Another Improvement.—We have just examined the plan of a beautiful brick building, drawn by Mr. A. B. Hendren, which Mr. Joseph F. Chambers contemplates erecting on the corner of the public square, made vacant by the fire in September, 1855. When completed it will add much to the beauty of the Town, besides extending very materially the business facilities of the place, and will also reflect credit on the public spirit and liberality of Mr. Chambers. We trust no obstacle may occur to prevent its speedy erection. It is to contain four apartments for stores, besides rooms for various purposes in the second and third stories.

Salisbury Herald.

Death of Capt. Thomas Petigru.—We regret to see by the following announcement in the *Charleston Standard*, the death of Capt. Petigru, a gentleman whom we knew well and esteemed highly:

We were pained, yesterday, to learn of the sudden death of Captain Thomas Petigru, late of the United States Navy. He was on his plantation, in Abbeville District, when he was attacked with a somewhat severe indisposition on Monday last, and though he rallied and there were hopes of his speedy recovery, he died at about 5 o'clock on Friday morning. He was one of those who suffered under the action of the late board for improving the efficiency of the Navy, and has not survived the opportunity of invoking justice.

Heavy Robbery.—A gentleman from North Carolina, whose name is not given, lost his pocket book at the depot in Baltimore, on Wednesday evening, immediately after the arrival of the train from Washington. It contained about six thousand dollars in checks on various banks with the exception of about one hundred and forty dollars in money.

Escape from Jail.—Jesse Langley, imprisoned in the jail of this county (Wake) some two months ago on a charge of horse-stealing, escaped on Wednesday night. He was confined in a cell, the entrance to which was secured by two iron doors. He first opened the inside door of his cell by filing through the granite to the bolt, and then apparently with much ease unlocked the outer door. Having got into the passage which divides the residence of Sheriff High from the jail, by means of an oven-lid he succeeded in burning out of the door of the jail the lock, which of course released him from the walls of the prison. We learn that the Sheriff has been absent from town several days. Langley is said to have escaped from one or two jails in this State and also from the Georgia penitentiary. —*Raleigh Register.*

Rail Roads in Georgia.—We copy a statement of the number of roads in the Empire State of the South, showing their large number and a remarkable degree of prosperity. These roads are dependent on travel and the ordinary sources of transportation only. They have no great items like coal and iron to sustain them. Yet they pay well. Their costs is moderate, and their expenses not more than an average.—*Fayetteville Observer.*

A VENERABLE CITIZEN DEPARTED!

We are pained to announce that Dr. Benjamin Robinson departed this life at Monticello, his residence in this vicinity, yesterday morning at half-past 9 o'clock.

Fayetteville Observer.

High Prices.—The Washington N. C. Times says that Riley Murray, Esq., residing on Mattamuskeet Lake, in Hyde County, has refused $120 per acre for his farming lands in that county.—*Fay. Obs.*

Royal Extravagance.—At the last court ball in Paris the jewels of the Empress Eugenie were estimated at four millions of francs, and the flounces of Alencons lace which covered the lilac satin robe of her Majesty cost six hundred thousand—the dress and jewels thus amounting to almost a million of dollars.

Printers in Pennsylvania.—General Parker, the Democratic nominee for Governor of Pennsylvania, is a printer by trade. The two United States Senators and the Chief Justice of Pennsylvania, were also formerly printers.

THE ETHEOPIAN TWINS.

Some few years ago a negro woman in Cumberland county, N. C., gave birth to twin children, more singularly and wonderfully united than the famed Siamese twins. They were purchased by Capt. J. C. Pervis of this place, and sold to J. P. Smith, Esq., of Anson county, N. C., who entrusted them to Brower & Shelton. They were taken to New Orleans for exhibition, where they were tricked out of them. Recently Mr. Smith heard they were on exhibition in England.—Knowing that he could not reclaim them as slaves, he purchased their mother and took her to England to reclaim her children. Upon reaching that country, he heard they were in Scotland, where he proceeded. He found them in Edinburgh, and the mother's claim was respected, even in Abolition England, where the rights of the master are unknown or disregarded.

No effort was spared to induce the mother of these children to desert her master and remain in England. She said she had seen white slavery, and it was far worse in civilized England, than African slavery in the United States. Indeed so strongly was she impressed with the misery of white slavery, that she clung to her master and returned with him home, to endure the misery of negro slavery in North Carolina, as not only a choice of evils, but as the happiest condition of the African race. Mr. Smith and his negroes arrived at this place on Monday last.

Cheraw Gazette.

Office Seeking.—A letter from Washington says that there are at least fifty applicants there for every office in the gift of the Administration. They are of course delighted to learn that Mr. Buchanan goes for rotation in office, and means to put new men into every vacant office, and into every one which he can with propriety vacate.—*Fay. Observer.*

WHAT A SHAKING THERE WILL BE AMONG THE DRY BONES.

The New York *Herald* says it is advised from well-informed and reliable sources that upon the question of the distribution of the spoils, Mr. Buchanan has resolved upon a complete re-organization of the working machinery of the Government, and that this re-organization will comprehend out and out, a new catalogue of foreign appointments, diplomatic and consular, and a clean sweep of the higher offices at Washington, of the United States District Attornies and Marshals, of the heads of the principal Custom Houses and Post Offices throughout the country. It further says:

"That Mr. Buchanan will expect every American Minister abroad, every Charge d'Affairs, and every Consul or special Commercial Agent, to send in their resignations respectfully, without delay, for that they will all be displaced, with probably not a single exception from the operation of the rule. From Mr. Dallas, at London, to Major Cass, at Rome, and from the Consul at Liverpool, to the commercial Agent at the Sandwich Islands, new men will take the places of the present incumbents. The same law will be applied to the domestic offices enumerated; and may reach (Brigham Young included) a few of our Territorial saints, governors and judges. But this sweeping change in the personel of the new administration will not be made upon Marcy's mercenary doctrine that "to the victor belong the spoils, nor yet in pursuance of the politicians' rule of party rotation in office; for in this case the office holders and the office seekers are of the same party.

But there was a great principle upon which the November election turned in favor of Mr. Buchanan—the great principle of the preservation of the Union—against all disorganizing schemes and experiments, all trading demagogues, and all unscrupulous factionists and sectional agitators or disunion fanatics, North and South, within or without the lines of the democratic party; and by that principle will Mr. Buchanan be governed in this terrible work among the office holders. The dignity of the government in the eyes of the world—the restoration of its ancient honest and lofty policy and purposes at home and abroad—is another consideration which will contribute very materially to the execution of the important duty of new men to man the ship from stem to stern."

P. S. Later accounts contradict this statement in regard to the policy of the new President.

WASHINGTON DITS.

The British treaty is referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. The determination appears to be to act upon it.

Comptroller Whittlesey, and all the heads of Bureau, resigned on Monday.

Mr. Richardson, of Illinois, will probably be appointed Governor of Minnesota.

Gen. Thomas, the present Assistant Secretary of State has been agreeably notified by Mr. Cass to retain his position. No political changes will be made in the subordinates in that department, and even the confidential clerks continue in their former relation. The details of current business will be conducted by Mr. Thomas and Chief Clerk Hunter. Gen. Cass considering only the graver questions.—*Wil. Herald.*

DREADFUL RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Toronto, March 12.

Two cars in the train of the Great Western Railroad ran off the bridge near Hamilton, containing one hundred and twenty passengers, sixty-eight of whom are supposed to have been instantly killed. Those who escaped are supposed to be more or less mangled.

He that knows not how to spend his time, hath more business, care, grief, and anguish of mind, than he that is most busy in the midst of all his business.

NEW

SPRING GOODS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS are now receiving from N. York and Philadelphia, their Spring Stock of

Staple and Fancy

GOODS,

which will be complete in a few days. Our stock will be larger than usual, and comprise some of the finest and most desirable Dress Goods for Ladies and Gentlemen's wear ever before offered in this market.

Our stock has been selected with great care, and we think, we can sell many of our Goods at old prices, though a great many Goods have advanced very considerably in the Northern markets. All we ask is an examination before buying elsewhere. We have got the Goods and they must be sold.—We have a very large stock of bonnets all of the newest styles; also stella Shawls, Scarfs, Mantillas, and any quantity of a spendid assortment of Embroideries. The finest lot of Ready Made Clothing we have ever offered to the public. All kinds of servants wears Hats, Boots & Shoes of all kinds and qualities, all of which will be sold low for Cash, or to punctual dealers on short time. Give us a call. BROWN & COFFIN.

☞ Particular attention paid to filling all orders.

Salisbury, March 16th, 1857. 6w:43

Salisbury Emporium of Fashion.

NEW STORE, NEW GOODS.

A. & W. MYERS,

No. 4, Granite Building, Salisbury, N. C.,

ARE now receiving a LARGE and WELL-SELECTED Stock of FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS,

FANCY ARTICLES, HOSIERY, *BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, TRUNKS, CLOTHING, GROCERIES, &c., &c.*

Their selection of Dress Goods, Embroideries, White Goods, Mantles, &c., &c., have never been equalled in this section of country for richness, variety and elegance.

The Stock has been selected by both members of the concern, aided by the well-known experience of Mr. E. Myers, and they flatter themselves, if they are favored with a call, they will be able to give entire satisfaction.

A. & W. MYERS.

Salisbury, March 17, 1857. 3w43

Washington City, March 4, 1857.

Fellow-Citizens: The time for which I was elected to Congress has expired, and I avail myself of the earliest opportunity to inform you that I decline a second canvass. I would have resigned at the close of the last session, if I had not hoped that the change of the seasons would remove the necessity. Being disappointed in that, I think it *necessary* for me, and best for you, that I should retire.

Our relation of Representative and constituents, has not, to my knowledge, been disturbed by a single unpleasant incident. I have felt myself much complimented by your confidence. I am grateful for your favors, and proud of the honor conferred.

Of each one of you, without distinction of party, I most respectfully take my leave; in the hope that you will continue to be, as you always have been, conservative citizens devoted to the best interests of the Union. E. G. READE.

An Old Bachelor Bristling Up.—Mr. Buchanan in his Inaugural, speaks of "our children and our children's children."

☞ The New York Tribune notices a new Sewing Machine, which can be sold as low as ten dollars.

THE MARKETS.

Salisbury, N. C., March 17th, 1857.

Apples dried,	62 a 100	Lead Bar,	9 a 10
Bacon,	10 a 10½	" White,	10 a 12
Beeswax,	20 a 23	Molasses Cuba,	60 a 65
Beef,	4 a 5	" N. O.	87½
Butter,	15 a 20	" Muscovado	65 a 70
CANDLES—		Nails (Cut)	6 a 6½
Tallow,	18 a 25	Oats,	45 a 50
Adamantine,	31 a 37	OILS LINSEED—	
Coffee Rio,	13 a 15	" Tanners,	50 a 62½
" Java,	17 a 20	Potatoes, Irish,	75 a 100
Cotton,	11 a 12	" Sweet	75 a 100
Cotton Yarn,	100 a	Rags per lb.	3
Corn,	80 a 85	Salt per sack,	2 12½ a 2 25
" Meal,	85 a 90	Sheeting Bro.	9 a 10
Chickens per doz.	1 50	Sugar Bro.	12 a 14
Eggs per doz.	12 a 15	" Crushed,	16 a 17
Feathers per lb.	35 a 37½	" Clarified,	12 a 14
Flour per bbl	6 50 a 6 65	Tallow,	12½ a 13
" " Sack,	3 10 a 3 20	Wheat White,	1 20 a 1 25
Iron (Bar)	5 a	" Red,	1 10 a 1 15
Lard,	10 a 11	Wool.	25 a 28

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

March 14, 1857

BACON, per lb	13 a	13½
COFFEE, per lb.		
Rio,	11½ a	13
Laguira,	14 a	15
St. Domingo,	00 a	17
FLOUR, per barrel—		
Family,	7 50 a	00
Superfine,	6 70 a	00
Fine,	6 30 a	00
Cross,	5 60 a	00
GRAIN, per bushel—		
Corn,	a	1 15
Wheat,	1 10 a	1 20
Oats,	75 a	80
Peas,	1 00 a	00
Rye,	90 a	1 00
LARD, per lb.	12 a	00
SPIRITS, per gallon—		
Peach Brandy,	90 a	1 00
Apple do. new	65 a	70
N. C. Whiskey,	55 a	60
Rye do.	65 a	70
Rectified do.	40 a	45
NAILS, cut, per keg	4 75 a	0 00
IRON, per lb—		
English,	4½ a	5
Sweedes, common bar,	6½ a	00
Do. wide,	7 a	00
WOOL, per lb	17 a	18
TALLOW, per lb	11 a	12
HIDES, per lb—		
Dry,	16 a	00
Green,	6½ a	00
SALT—		
Liverpool, per sack,	1 25 a	00
Alum, per bushel,	00 a	00
MOLASSES, per gallon—		
Cuba,	50 a	62½
New Orleans,	00 a	00
SUGAR, per lb—		
Loaf and crushed,	16 a	17
St. Croix, Porto, & N. Orleans,	11 a	12
BEEF—Wholesale,	4 a	4½
choice, Retail,	6 a	8

NORFOLK MARKET.

Reported by Rowland & Brothers, March. 13. 1857.

BACON—Hams, 13 @ 16. Hog round, 13 @ 13½. " Sides Western, 13. Shoulders 11½.

FLOUR—Super. $7.—Extra, 7.75.—Family, $8.50

DRIED APPLES—1.75 @ 1.85.

" PEACHES—$5.50.

CORN—62 @ 64.

FLAXSEED—$1.50 @ 1.60.

FISH NORTHERN—Pickled Herrings per bbl. " $6.—Mullets & Blue Fish, $6½ @ 8. pickled " Cod and Haddoc in bbls.—$3.25 @ 4.50. Mackerel No. 3 $7.50. @ 8.

PEAS—Black Eye per bush'l $1.56

COFFEE—Rio 11 @ 12½.

SUGAR—Crushed & Pourdered 15.—Refined 13 " @ 14.—West India, 11 @ 12½.

MOLASSES—West India, 63 @ 70.

SALT LIVERPOOL—G. Alum, $1 12—Fine $1.65. " @ 1.70.

LIME per Bbl., $1.25.

CANDLES—Tallow, 16.—Adamantine, 26 @ 30.

SOAP—Brown, 4½ @ 5.—Yellow, 5½ @ 6½.

REMARKS.—Flour is very depressed, all the late accounts are unfavorable, sales have been made in Baltimore as low as $5.87. Superfine which of course affects us here, there is no export demand at all this year, and low prices will prevail no help for it. Bacon has advanced very much and will be higher.

MARRIED:

In Cabarrus County, March 5th, by Samuel Rothrock, Mr. JOHN KLUTTS, and Miss ELIZABETH C. daughter of Mr. Charles Fisher.

DIED:

In this County March 3d, Mrs. ELIZABETH, relict of the late Valentine Pence, in the 52 year of her age.

$3,000 WORTH OF GOODS AT COST FOR CASH.

THE undersigned having determined to close their business, now offer their entire Stock of Goods at COST FOR CASH. Our stock consists of a general assortment of

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS—

BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, HARDWARE, CUTLERY, QUEENSWARE, DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c. &c.,

They were bought for cash in Northern markets, and at much lower prices than the present. Persons wanting Goods will do well to examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell.

N. B. We would invite the attention of those wishing to engage in the merchantile business to our *well known Stand*, (also our Stock of Goods on hand) as being an excellent location, where a handsome business of from $15,000 to $20,000 per year may be done. For further particulars call on or address.

BARNHARDT & SULLIVAN.

Gold Hill, N. C.

NOTICE.

All persons having accounts standing previous to January 1856–'57, will please call and settle them either by Cash or Note, *Cash preferrable*, as our books must be closed.

BARNHARDT & SULLIVAN.

March 10, 1857. 5wpd42

THE GREAT SOUTHERN

HAT AND CAP MANUFACTORY, AND DEPOT.

SPRING TRADE, 1857.

JOHN DOOLEY,

81. MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

MANUFACTURER AND IMPORTER OF

HATS, CAPS, LADIES FURS, TRIMMINGS &c., &c.

WOULD on this occasion particularly call the attention of his regular customers and others, to the preparations he has made for the business of Spring.

During his recent tour in the North, he visited not only the cities of Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, but also the principal manufacturing districts where goods in his line are got up—thus he has been enabled both to obtain samples of every article made, and purchase more advantageously than heretofore.

For the importation of French goods, he has made such arrangements as will insure him a regular supply of the newest and choicest styles.

The silk and other Hats of his own make have invariably been deemed by his customers superior to those of Northern importation. From various improvements recently made in his factory, the superiority will not only be maintained, but added to.

Such country merchants as purchase elsewhere, without giving Richmond a trial, he would respectfully invite them to visit his establishment—he assures them should they do so, they will find a stock of goods equalling in variety, quantity, and low prices, that of any other house *North or South.*

His business arrangements are of the completest kind, and the greatest attention is paid to the careful packing and prompt shipment of goods. [tf42

Copartnership.

THE Copartnership of SILL & SILL having been dissolved, the Subscriber has associated with him in the Drug Business, Doct. C. A. HENDERSON, formerly of Mecklenburg, a gentleman of high character; and one whom he takes pleasure in introducing to his customers. The business will hereafter be conducted under the name of

SILL & HENDERSON.

EDWARD SILL.

Salisbury, March 17th, 1857. 5w:43

Wanted to Purchase,

*YOUNG AND LIKELY NE-*groes from 10 to 20 years old. APPLY at the MANSION HOTEL.

Salisbury, March 17th 1857. tf:43

CLOVER SEED,

Timothy,

Blue Grass,—

Orchard Grass, and

Lucerne Seeds.

A supply, fresh and very fine, just in, at SILL & SILL'S Drug Store.

March 10, 1857. 41

DANCING ACADEMY.

SECOND SESSION.

MISS R. CARNCROSS,

WOULD INFORM THE CITIZENS OF SALISBURY that the *Second Session* of her *Dancing School* will commence on Tuesday the 24th March, instant. She solicits the patronage of all lovers of Terpsichore.

Miss R's ability as a teacher, is too well known to need comment. Parents are invited to attend, to notice the easy and graceful department of her pupils.

Sixteen lessons in Dancing and Waltzing, including Polka, La Gorlitza, La Sicillienne, Mazourka, La Vassovenne, Hop, and 'Deux Temps,' Waltz.

Class for Misses and Masters, from 3 till 5 P. M., Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

Gentleman's Class—from 7 till 9 P. M. same days—At the residence of Jas. A. Slater.

TERMS, $10,00.

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FOR SALE CHEAP.

A first-rate Threshing Machine and Horse-power. Any one wishing a bargain will call on

R. L. BEALL.

Office, Holtsburg. tf41

REMOVAL.

THE undersigned take occasion to unform their Southern friends and Customers that they have removed from No. 74 North Third Street, to the Store No. 139 Market Street, North side, between Third and Fourth Streets.

In addition to their usual assortment of COMBS, BRUSHES, TRIMMINGS AND FANCY GOODS, their stock will consist of full lines of

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

LACES, WHITE GOODS, &C.

which they will offer at the very lowest market prices.

☞ Our terms will be six months, or six per cent. discount for Cash in par funds, within thirty days.

CUMMINGS & CO.

No. 139 Market Street.

Philadelphia January, 1st., 1857. 2mo.34

Fresh Supply of

Salem Almanacs,

FOR THE YEAR, 1857.

For sale by the gross, dozen, or single one, at

34 J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

North Carolina Law Books.

ON hand, The New Revised Code of North Carolina; Eaton's Forms; Wiley's North Carolina Form Book; Cantwell's Justice, designed for Justices of the Peace; Civil Practice in the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of N. Carolina. For sale at

J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

January 20, 1857. 34

TAKE NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to me either by note or account, are hereby notified to come forward and settle ten days before May Court, as my business must be closed up by that time. Those failing to comply with this notice, may expect their notes or accounts to be placed in the hands of an officer for collection, without fail.

THOS. E. BROWN.

March 3, 1850. tf40

Mules! Mules!!

FOUR extra fine Mules, for Sale. APPLY TO

MICHAEL BROWN.

March 3, 1857. tf4

CORN WANTED.

100 BUSHELLS Corn wanted, for which the market price will be paid. Apply at this office.

March 3, 1857.

VALUABLE LANDS FOR SALE.

PERSONS wishing to invest in Yadkin Lands, would do well to examine my horse shoe plantation, lying upon the North Yadkin, twelve miles from Salisbury, and eight from Holtsburg, containing

Five Hundred and Sixty-six Acres,

two hundred and fifty of which are supposed to be bottom. Mr. J.J. Williams on the place, or Mr. Y. J. Brown on the opposite side of the river, will shew the premises to any one wishing to purchase. For terms &c., address the subscriber at Madison, Rockingham County, N. C.

ROBERT GALLAWAY.

Feb. 26th, 1857. tf40

Lost Volume.--Bring it in.

SOME borrower has failed to return a Volume of the Watchman from July, 1841, to July 1842. He, she or they, will please do us the favor to return it, as we are frequently needing it.

J. J. BRUNER.

December 16, 1856.

MUSIC BOOKS.

ON HAND—Southern Harmony, new edition; New Carmina Sacra; The Christian Minstrel; Hesperian Harp; Mason's Sacred Harp, with patent notes: The Psalmodist, and the Boston Academy's Collection of Church Music. For sale at

J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

January 20, 1857. 34

IF YOU HAVE WORK FOR ME, Please bring it in.

GUN AND LOCK SMITHING, AND Bell Hanging.

THE subscriber having opened an establishment, proposes to carry on the above business in the town of Salisbury, on Water Street, in all its various branches. GUNS and LOCKS repaired at short notice and on reasonable terms. His thorough acquaintance with the business, he hopes, will command a reasonable share of patronage. All work warranted. All orders left with him will be faithfully and promptly attended to. Orders respectfully solicited.

CHARLES HARTMAN.

Salisbury, Oct. 21, 1856. 21:3mo

WILLIAMS BROWN,

Tin, Sheet-Iron and Copper Smith,

At his old Stand opposite the Store of MURPHY & CO.

HOUSE-ROOFING and GUTTERING done in the most substantial manner and warranted. Great variety of Wares and Stoves always on hand for sale.

January 20, 1857. 1y:34

Office of Western N. C. R. Road Co.,

Statesville, Feb. 26th. 1856.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

THE Stockholders of the Western North Carolina Rail Road Company, are hereby notified to meet in Morganton, Burke County, on Thursday the 2d day of April next, for the purpose of considering the amendments proposed to the Charter of the Company by an Act of the last Legislature.

A full attendance of the Stockholders is respectfully requested. By order of the President,

R. F. SIMONTON,

Sectr'y and Treas'r.

[5w:40]

New-York Advertisement.

STAPLE AND FANCY

DRY GOODS

EDW'D LAMBERT & Co.

55 Chambers St., and 33 Reade St.

Opposite the Park,

WILL be prepared on and after January the 1st., to open their SPRING IMPORTATION, comprising an extensive and varied assortment of choice, novel and desirable

Silk and Fancy Goods,

adapted, especially, to the wants of first class North Carolina Merchants, and which will be offered at the LOWEST MARKET PRICES.

Dec. 30, 1856. 31:13tpr$4

J. P. GOWAN,

WITH

COL. H. L. ROBARDS,

AT THE

ROWAN HOUSE.

STAGE OFFICE FOR ALL *the Stages at this* HOUSE.

Salisbury, Feb. 2, 1857. 35

Thunder & Lightning

DISUNION AND CIVIL WAR,

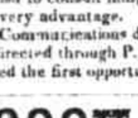
Pestilence, Patent Medicine

FAMINE, &c., &c.,

ARE evils and calamities that should be guarded against. BAKER & OWEN beg leave to inform the public generally and private individuals particularly, that they are ready, willing and able to protect them from one at least of the above (Lightning) by putting up to their buildings, their Patent Isolated Lightning Conductors, at prices lower than it has ever been done at in this part of the country. Address your orders to Baker & Owen, Salisbury, N. C.

July 22, 1856. 8—tf

DENTAL NOTICE.



W. F. BASON, D. D. S., M. D. Office on the Lot with Mr. McNeely and on the corner next to Doc Whitehead.

N. B. Having prepared suitable ROOMS, those who wish to consult him, or need dental services, can have every advantage.

☞ Communications dropped in the Box at Office door, directed through P. Office or otherwise will be attended the first opportunity.

BOOK STORE

IN

STATESVILLE.

H. W. AYER, has just opened a Book Store in Statesville, where he keeps on hand a large stock of School Books and quite a variety of miscellaneous works, also a full supply of

FANCY ARTICLES,

and YANKEE NOTIONS, Stationary, Wall paper, Window Shades, Fire Screens, together with a first rate stock of CONFECTIONARIES, Fine Cigars and TOBACCO, Musical Instruments, &c., &c.

Special attention given to ordering Books, Music, and any thing else in his line

Opposite the COURT-HOUSE.

Statesville, N. C. Jan. 6, 1857. 32tf

LAST NOTICE, SAVE COST.

THE undersigned being very anxious of closing up his business in this community, earnestly asks those who are indebted to him by open account to settle up without delay—and save cost, as longer indulgence is out of the question.

Wm. A. Mann, is my authorized collector.

J. J. SUMMERELL.

March 10, 1857. 4w41

FAIR WARNING!

ALL persons indebted to us as Administrators on the estate of Margaret Anderson, dec'd, are hereby notified to settle by the 1st April next, or they shall have to settle with an officer.

G. A. LOCKE,

J. D. JOHNSTON.

March 10. 2w41 Adm'rs.

Salisbury Female Academy.

THE Proprietors of the Salisbury Female Academy have procured the services of the Rev. William G. Campbell, of Staunton Virginia, who will open the school on the 1st day of April, with such assistants as the number of Pupils may require. The Prices of Board, Tuition &c., will be the same as heretofore charged at this Institution. Mr. Campbell comes to us with such recommendations, as to give the assurance that a first class Female Academy will be secured under his management.

D. A. DAVIS,

for the Proprietors.

Salisbury, March 10, 1857. 4w:41

A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND

FOR SALE.

CONSISTING of 215 ACRES, situated within a mile of J. H. Thompson's Saw mill, Foundry, &c. About 35 or 40 acres cleared, the remainder well timbered. Call on or address,

R. L. BEALL.

Holtsburg, N. C., March 4th, 1857. tf41

Premium Snow White Mineral Paint

1000 lbs. JUST RECEIVED.

MICHAEL BROWN.

Salisbury, Feb. 24, 1856. 5w39

SWAN & CO.'S LOTTERIES!

CAPITAL PRIZE $50.000

Owing to the great favor with which our Single Number Lotteries have been received by the public, and the large demand for Tickets, the Managers, S. Swan & Co., will have a drawing each Saturday throughout the year. The following Scheme will be drawn in each of their Lotteries for March, 1857.

CLASS 28.

To be drawn in the City of Atlanta, Ga., in public on Saturday, March, 21st, 1857.

CLASS 29.

To be drawn in the City of Atlanta, Georgia, in public, on Saturday, March 28th, 1857,

ON THE PLAN OF

SINGLE NUMBERS.

3,260 Prizes!

MORE THAN ONE PRIZE TO EVERY TEN TICKETS!

30.000 Tickets

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME!

1 Prize of	$50,000	is	$50,000
1 " "	20,000	is	20,000
1 " "	10,000	is	10,000
1 " "	9,000	is	9,000
1 " "	8,000	is	8,000
1 " "	7,000	is	7,000
1 " "	6,000	is	6,000
1 " "	5,000	is	5,000
1 " "	4,000	is	4,000
1 " "	3,000	is	3,000
1 " "	2,000	is	2,000
1 " "	1,000	is	1,000
100 Prizes of	100	are	10,000
100 " "	50	are	5,000

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4 Prizes of	$250 approximating to	$50,000	Prize, are	$1,000
4 "	200 "	20,000	"	800
4 "	100 "	10,000	"	400
4 "	80 "	9,000	"	320
4 "	65 "	8,000	"	260
4 "	60 "	7,000	"	240
4 "	55 "	6,000	"	220
4 "	50 "	5,000	"	200
4 "	45 "	4,000	"	180
4 "	40 "	3,000	"	160
4 "	30 "	2,000	"	120
4 "	25 "	1,000	"	100
3,000 "	20 are			60,000
3,260 Prizes amounting to				$204,000

Whole Tickets, $10; Halves, $5; Quarters, $2½.

PLAN OF THE LOTTERY.

The numbers from 1 to 30,000, corresponding with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled with small tin tubes and placed in one Wheel.

The first 212 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The Number and Prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioners; the Prize being placed against the Number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.—The two preceding and two succeeding Numbers to those drawing the first 12 Prizes will be entitled to the 48 Approximation Prizes, according to the scheme.

The 3,000 Prizes of $20 will be determined by the last figure of the Number that draws the $50,000 Prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $50,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to 20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the Number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Certificate of Package of 10 Whole Tickets, $80

" " 10 Half " 40

" " 10 Quarter " 20

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES,

Enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail. Purchasers can have tickets ending in any figure they may designate.

The list of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

☞ Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

☞ Remember that every Prize is drawn and payable in full without deduction.

☞ All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other prizes at the usual time of thirty days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Prize Tickets cashed or renewed in other Tickets at either office.

Address Orders for Tickets or Certificates of Packages of Tickets either to

S. SWAN & CO., Atlanta, Ga.,

or S. SWAN, Montgomery Ala.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

IREDELL COUNTY—In Equity.

Filed 19th February, 1857.

Petition to sell Land for Partition.

William Troutman and wife Sarah, Michael Stirewalt, and others,

against

Henry Stirewalt, and the Heirs at Law of Anna Haultoman.

IT appearing to my satisfaction that the defendants are not residents of this State, but residents of other States: It is ordered, advertisement be made for the space of six weeks, in the Carolina Watchman, notifying them to appear at our next Court of Equity, to be held for the county of Iredell, at the Court House in Statesville, on the 6th Monday after the 4th Monday in February instant, and plead, answer or demur to the plaintiffs' petition, otherwise a decree pro confesso will be entered up against them.

Witness, W. P. Caldwell, Clerk and Master in Equity at office in Statesville, this 19th day of February, A. D. 1857.

W. P. CALDWELL, C. M. E.

Price adv. $5 50. 6w39

DR. WILLIAM S. TATE,

Surgen and Mechanical Dentist,

(Graduate of the Baltimore Dental College)

STATESVILLE, N. C.

RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the cittizens of Iredell and public generally.

"'Tis mine to beautify
And mine to bless. T' assuage the stinging throe
Of pain; bid suffering cease, and pour the oil
Of comfort into many wounds. The lost
To restore, deformity to raise up from
Her humble path obscure that she, with smiles,
May take her unaccustomed place among
The sons of man. To me
The noble boon is given, to model o'er
The human face divine, on which
The signet seal of Heaven hath fixed her impress true.
I'm cautious then, nor we're with careless and
Indifferent hand, abuse my honored trust."

Terms positively cash on completion of work.

Office at Residence, West of the Female College. Communications by mail or otherwise will receive prompt attention.

February 10th, 1857. [1y37]

HARRIS' HOTEL,

CONCORD, N. C.

THIS Hotel, formerly known as the "SMITH HOUSE" having been put in thorough repair, and refurnished throughout, is now ready for the reception of guests. Having the advantage of a first-rate market, the TABLE will always be bountifully spread. BED ROOMS, neat and comfortable, servants attentive and polite, and no pains will be spared to make all comfortable who may stop at this House. Travellers will find at this Hotel at all times files of the principal newspapers published North or South.

CHAS. F. HARRIS.

Feb. 28, 1857. tf:40

VALUABLE

LANDS FOR SALE.

I OFFER for sale my valuable plantation lying on Big Rocky Creek, containing about

400 Acres,

some 70 acres of first rate bottom lands, some 200 acres of excellent land in virgin timber, tall and heavy; all necessary buildings for comfort and convenience, and every thing in good repair. The lands in cultivation are in an improved state of culture. Said lands join M. Dobbins & Brothers, distant from Olin College 1½ miles. All persons desiring to purchase land in this vicinity would do well to call and examine before buying elsewhere. L. GAITHER.

Iredell Co., N. C. February 24, 1857. 4w39

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of Mills, Moose & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to them must settle without delay, as the business of the firm must be closed.

Salisbury, Jan. 24th, 1857. 5w38

THE Undersigned would respectfully announce to their friends and the Public, that they have formed a Copartnership, under the name and style of W. J. Mills & Co. for the purpose of carrying on the Merchantile and Produce Business in the town of Salisbury, in the Brick House formerly occupied by Mills, Moose & Co. They will at all times have on hand a complete Stock of

Fancy and Staple

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, LEATHER and all articles usually kept in their line. Messrs. Mills and Moose return their sincere thanks to their many friends and customers, for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon the late firm of Mills, Moose & Co. and would most respectfully solicit a continuance of the same for the New Concern.

W. J. MILLS.

J. E. MOOSE,

THOS. STENHOUSE.

February, 17th 1857. [38tf]

NOTICE.

ALL those indebted to me in any way are kindly invited to call and settle, as longer indulgence will not be given. Those failing to comply with the above notice may expect to settle with a legal gentleman.

R. W. GRIFFITH.

Mt. Vernon, N. C., Feb. 1, 1857. 6t:38

WRITING PAPER.

JUST received a large supply of superior Foolscap Letter, Commercial, Port and Note Paper, of all sizes and colors. For sale at

J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

January 20, 1857. 34

NEW BOOKS.

THIRTEEN Years in the Itinerancy. Life and Correspondence of President Reed, 2 volumes. Victoria or the World Overcome, by Caroline Chesebro'. Gardenings for the South, by William W. White of Athens, Georgia. Lists' National System of Political Economy. Flanders Lives and Times of the Chief Justices. The Sons of Hiawatha. Hiawatha Legends, by Schoolcraft. At

J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

January 20, 1857. 30

NEW BOOKS.

JUST Received "Chain of Sacred Wonders," by Rev. S. A. Latta, A. M. M. D. "Knowledge is Power," a view of the productive forces of society, and the results of labor, capital and skill, by Charles McKnight. "The Old North State in 1776," Second Series, by the Rev. E. N. Caruthers, D. D. "Religion in America," by Robert Baird, D. D. "Lectures on Science and Art," by Dr. Lardner, 2 vols. At J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

Salisbury, Jan. 20, 1857. 34

JONES' HOTEL.

THE Undersigned has taken charge of this popular Hotel in the village of LENOIR, in Caldwell county, lately occupied by A. E. Hagler.—The buildings (and out-buildings) are ample for the entertainment either of travellers or families seeking up-country residence in the summer months. No attention or expense will be spared to make it a first-rate Hotel. The village is delightfully located, and has the best roads to it of any mountain village in the State. Patronage is respectfully solicited.

W. A. BALLEW.

January 20, 1857. 3mo34

REMOVAL.

R. & A. MURPHY,

HAVE Removed their Store to the NEW-BRICK BUILDING next door to the "Watchman" office. Their friends and customers, are invited to call and see them at their new and elegant stand.

Salisbury, January 6th, 1857. tf-32

CONCORD FEMALE COLLEGE.

STATESVILLE N. C.

THIS Institution, which has now been in successful operation for the last five months, commences its second session on Monday, 16th February. The services of a full corps of experienced teachers have been secured, and instruction is given in all the departments, useful and ornamental, of female education.

TERMS per Session of five months:

PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.

Board and Tuition in Eng. branches,	$61 00
Tuition alone,	$16 00
Music on Piano and Guitar with use of instrument,	$22 50
Ancient and Modern Languages, (each,	$10 00

S. B. O. WILSON,

Pres't Board Trustees.

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NO HUMBUG.

THE Subscriber is now prepared to fill all orders for

SUPERIOR WATER BUCKETS.

He Manufactures North Carolina Materials; he employs North Carolina Capital and labor, and he solicits North Carolina patronage. By giving him a trial and by comparing his with Northern work and prices, he hopes to be able to make a favorable showing. A TRIAL IS WHAT HE WANTS.

G. A. MAKEPEACE.

N. B. Messrs Worth & Utley of Fayetteville N. C. are Agents for the sale of the above Buckets.

Fayetteville, Feb. 1857. 1y39

SALISBURY

CLASSICAL SCHOOL.

THE undersigned has opened a Classical School in the town of Salisbury, for the purpose of preparing young men for College, or any of the learned Professions. Pupils will be prepared to enter any class in the University, or any of our Colleges, which they may desire. The scholastic year will consist of one session of ten months, commencing on the 1st of October and ending in July, with a vacation of one week at Christmas.

Terms---Per Session of 10 Months.

Primary English branches,	-	$20 00
Higher do do and Mathematics,		30 00
Classics and Mathematics,	-	30 00
Contingent fund,	- - -	1 00

One-third of the tuition will be required in advance, one-third on the 1st of March, and the remainder at the close of the session. No deduction for absence except in cases of protracted sickness.

REFERENCES:

President and Faculty of the University; Rev. Drury Lacy, D. D., President of Davidson College; Hon. John M. Morehad, Hon. John M. Dick, Greensboro'; Rev. A. Baker, Hon. Burton Craige, John I. Shaver, Esq., A. Henderson, Esq., Jas. E. Kerr, Esq., Salisbury.

JOHN B. GRETTER, A. B.

October 14, 1856. 209

NEW BOOKS.

JUST Received, "Home and the World," by Mrs. Wm. C. Rives of Virginia. Hills of the Shatemuc, by the author of Wide Wide World. Ernest Linwood by Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz. Napiers' Peninsular Wars, new edition, 5 vols. 12 mo. Little Dorrit, by Charles Dickens. Life of Prince Talleyrand. Chips from Uncle Sam's Jack Knife. Live and Learn, or a guide for all who wish to speak or write correctly. At J. H. ENNISS' Book Store.

Jan., 1857.—34

NOTICE.

ON the 12th March next, we will sell, at public Sale, at the late residence of Thomas Allison, near Bethany Church, in Iredell County—FIVE OR

SIX LIKELY NEGROES,

(one a very good Black Smith,) a large number of Horses, Cattle, Hogs & Sheep; Three Valuable Jacks; a large quantity of Corn, Wheat, Oats and Hay, Bacon, Farming Utensils, Waggons, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and many other articles ote mentioned, belonging to the Estate of Mrs. Mary Allison, deceased.

Terms made known on day of Sale.

W. F. COWAN, } Executors.
W. M. ALLISON, }

Feb. 20th, 1857. 3w39