FIRM, GARDEN AND ORCHARD.

ON THE CULTIVATION OF THE POTATO.

The remarkable difference that exists between the present yield of the potato, and the large crops that were raised at an earlier day, certainly calls for experiments which shall enable us to understand why it is that land which once produced four hundred bushels to the acre, should now yield with difficulty not more than one hundred bushels per acre, and frequently a crop even less than that. In the absence of such experiments as might throw some light upon this important question, we must do the best we can to ascertain by what method of cultivation it is possible yet to realize in favorable seasons fair and profitable crops. Before entering particularly upon this point, it may not be amiss to refer to what is generally regarded as the principal cause of failure. This is variously stated.—Some ascribe it to an impoverishment of the soil; some to a loss of vitality in the seed; and some to that strange and unaccountable disease, the rot. Perhaps all these have combined to bring about a diminution of the crop, but we think there is evidence enough to prove that it is mainly attributable to the cause first mentioned, namely, the exhaustion of the soil, by slovenly and incessant culture of those elements which constitute the proper food of the potato. If we turn to Boustingault's analysis of the ashe of the potato, we shall find that one hundred parts of the ash of the tubers and haulm, respectively, are made up of

	Tubers.	Haulm.
Carbonic Acid,	13.4	11.0
Phosphoric Acid,	11.3	10.8
Sulphuric Acid,	7.1	2.2
Chlorine,	2.7	1.6
Lime,	1.8	2.3
Magnesia,	5.4	1.8
Potash,	51.4	44.5
Soda,	trace	trace
Silica,	5.6	14.0
Oxide of Iron,	0.5	5.2
Charcoal and loss,	0.7	7.6
	100.0	100.0

If these constituents are found in the requisite abundance in the soil, the yield of potatoes cannot fail, under proper cultivation, to be a good one. If, on the contrary, they are wanting, the ratio of production, will naturally be diminished to the point of supply. In commenting upon the above synopsis, it has been justly remarked that, if we deduct the carbonic acid, the proportion of potash in the tubers exceeds fifty per cent., and if we deduct the charcoal and loss, the the potash to be found in the ash of the haulm also exceeds fifty per cent. In other words, that more than one half the entire potato, when reduced to an ash, consists of potash. Now, it is well understood by experienced farmers, that the element of fertility which is most speedily exhausted in soils that are under cultivation, is potash; because it is the one that is the most largely drawn upon. There may remain in the soil enough of potash to supply many succeeding crops of cereals, and yet it might not be sufficiently abundant to meet the wants of the potato until it is furnished from other sources. It is for this reason that the most productive yield of potatoes is recorded to have taken place on new lands; and especially on those where the brush and timber have been collected and burnt, and the ashes strewed over the soil and ploughed in. The next largest crops have been taken from meadows of a loamy texture that have been for many years in grass—the excess of potash required by the potato being, in this instance, supplied by the decomposition of the turf, and of the vegetable fibre with which the soil by remaining so long undisturbed had become filled. It is evident, then, that the potato demands a soil which is peculiarly rich in organic matter, and in alkalies and alkaline earths. Putrescent manures are of little or no service; for the heat which these give out during decomposition is injurious to the plants, which not only delights in a light soil filled with vegetable matter, but also one that is slightly moist and of a cool and equable temperature. Composts, such as we have often given in the Rural directions for making, are therefore better adapted to the growth of the potato than barnyard manure; and, if, in making up these composts, twenty bushels of unleached ashes and ten bushels of fine earth were added to the proportion set apart for each acre, not only would the yield of potatoes be greatly increased thereby, but the land would be left in prime order for any other crops that might follow in rotation. To ensure, then, a fair prospect for a profitable return on the outlay expended in cultivating a crop of potatoes, it is necessary to bear in mind the following facts:

1. That the potato requires a light soil, rather moist than dry, and that a northern exposure is infinitely preferable to a southern.

2. That the soil should not only be of a light texture, but should be deeply ploughed and completely pulverized.

3. That new lands, if good quality, after they have once been broken, are better than any other for the growth of the potato, and that next to these are rich old pastures that have become grass bound.

4. That commercial fertilizers in combination with composts formed of woods' earth, marsh muck and rough vegetable fibre, should be used in preference to any others in the cultivation of this crop.

5. That a sprinkling of plaster applied in the hill at the time of planting, and around the vines when six or eight inches high, will increase the yield upon dry uplands, but has no effect upon a low moist soil.

6. That care should be taken in the after culture to keep the soil perfectly free and loose about the vines, and in the intervals between the rows; and to hill up the vines at least three times during the season.

7. That repeated experiments go to prove that early planted potatoes almost invariably succeed best.—A report of Mr. Eastman to the New York Agricultural Society, shows that of three lots of potatoes planted on the same plot, and under similar conditions, on the 18th and 23d of May, and on the 18th of June, and the first produced at the rate of one hundred and forty-two bushels per acre; the second gave one hundred and forty-one bushels, and the third only one hundred bushels per acre.—*Rural Repeater.*

THE VEGETABLE GARDEN.

Attend to all work not performed last month, without delay. Set out all Cabbage plants you may have, and sow more Cabbage seed to head in the summer; Flat Dutch is the best. Thin out Turnips, as soon as they have four leaves, and sow more Turnip seed; Early White Dutch and Rep Topped Dutch are the best for Spring use. Also sow the White Norfolk Turnip; it will grow larger and succeed them. If you have not already sown Onion seed (black,) do it at once; they will come into use in the latter part of the summer, when all that were raised from the sets or buttons are gone. If you did sow black Onion seed last fall, it can now be transplanted.—Sow Carrots, Beets, (Extra Early is the finest) Parsnips, Salsify, Lettuce, Radishes, Thyme, Parsely, Rape, (for early greens.) The White Belgian Carrot stands our hot summers best.—Also, sow Mangel Wurtzel; it will be found very good for late use, when the other beets are gone. Plant all in rows about 18 inches apart. Sow, also, a little spot with Celery and protect the plants from the sun.—When Cherry trees are in bloom, plant Snap Beans; Early Valentine is an excellent variety, and we are inclined to recommend it in preference to all others. When Apple trees are in flower plant Squashes, (Scallop Squash is the best) in hills three feet apart; also, Cucumbers and Muskmelons six feet apart; the Nutmeg and Citron Melons are very fine and the earliest; Beechwood Melon is very superior, but a little later. The Persian Melon, or "Ispahan," is an excellent variety, too tender for the middle States, but does well here. All vines are greatly benefitted by guano or poultry manure, applied in a liquid form, often, but not too strong. At the same time, also, sow Okra, Tomatoes and Egg Plants. Hoe up Rhubarb. Asparagus will now begin to sprout; do not suffer any to run up to seed, but cut all down.

Watermelons may now be planted in hills ten feet apart using leaf mould, ashes and poultry manure liberally to the hill. There are so many different kinds and varieties that we will not undertake to decide as to the best.

Plant a full crop of English Peas, for a succession. For a late crop, we think the "Blue Imperial," and the "Prussian Blue" the best; when planted at the same time as the "Extra Early," they will come in three weeks later.

The Orchard and Fruit Garden.—Young trees, if properly planted and trimmed, will need no stakes; but if they are inclined to blow about in the wind, tie them up to a firm stake with a stout and broad strip of cloth—tailor's "lining" or "selvedge" is excellent for one season. Should the spring be dry and warm, they must be immediately "mulched" heavily (as directed for Roses below,) and watered, through the mulching from time to time. Do not delay the mulching beyond the middle of April, at all events. It is one of the most important operations connected with tree culture in the South.

Spare the birds in your orchards and garden—they are your best friends—they "pay their rent," not only in music and in the delight which they afford the eye and the heart, but also in the destruction of myriads of rapacious insects. As a further protection against predatory insects, hang up a number of wide mouthed bottles, half filled with molasses water, in your trees—you will catch a great number of them.

The Flower Garden.—Propagate and set out Dahlias—plant the seeds of all hardy Annuals—mulch your roses with a thick layer of leaves from the hollows of the woods, sprinkling a little soil over the mulching to keep the wind from blowing it away—transplant Evergreens of all kinds, *just as the new growth is commencing*—the only proper time. Clean up and roll your gravel walks—dress your borders—tie up all herbaceous flowering plants to stakes of cypress or China tree wood, and put every thing in trim for the season.

If Annual Flower seeds have not been sown, do so at once; work the soil deep, and enrich it well—poultry manure is excellent; all Stocks and Gilly Flowers are highly benefitted by it.

SWEET POTATOES.

Prepare and bed your sweet potatoes the first warm, dry swell of weather that comes on during this month. Spread a pretty heavy coat of compost manure on the surface of the ground intended for the bed—say five feet wide by the length that will furnish you plants enough—dig up the land deep with a long grub hoe, then rake smoothe and pulverize, and lay down your potatoes, the last you have, nearly touching throughout the entire surface. This done, cover the potatoes with some light, well pulverized compost, then throw on this three to four inches of soil, dug up immediately around the bed, which ditches and drains off the bed effectually, giving it partially the advantages of a hot-bed. This should be protected at first till about the middle of March, by boards or brush, from the hard rains, rabbits and chickens. The land intended for the potato crop, should be laid out and thoroughly prepared by deep ploughing and manuring, that it may be ready, (when the slips comes up on the bed,) by simply throwing up the ridges to receive the slips.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
ROWAN COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, February Term 1861.

Reuben J. Holmes, vs. The Gold-Hill Min. Co. } ATTACHMENT.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the officers of the Gold-Hill Mining Company are non-resident of this State, it is therefore ordered and adjudged that publication be made in the Carolina Watchman for six successive weeks notifying said Company and its officers to be and appear before the Justices of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, at the next Court to be held for the County of Rowan, at the Court House in Salisbury, on the first Monday in May next, then and there to plead or replevy, otherwise judgment will be rendered against him in favor of Reuben J. Holmes, plaintiff, and the land levied upon be sold to satisfy the same.

Witness, James E. Kerr, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the first Monday in February, A. D. 1861, and in the eighty-fifth year of our Independence.

JAMES E. KERR, C'k.

Feb. 26, 1861. [6:40] pr adv $5.50

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
ROWAN COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, February Term 1861.

Ephraim Mauney, vs. William A. McCorkle, } ATTACHMENT.

IT appears to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant William A. McCorkle, resides without the limits of the State, it is therefore ordered and adjudged that publication be made in the Carolina Watchman for six successive weeks notifying him to be and appear before the Justices of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, at the next Court to be held for the County of Rowan, at the Court House in Salisbury, on the first Monday in May next, then and there to plead or replevy, otherwise judgment will be rendered against him in favor of Ephraim Mauney, plaintiff, and the land levied upon be sold to satisfy the same.

Witness, James E. Kerr, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the first Monday in February, A. D. 1861, and in the eighty-fifth year of our Independence.

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ARE offering to the public the best assortment of FIRE ARMS ever brought to this market. Colt's Belt and Pocket Pistols, old and new styles; also, Smith & Wesson's seven shot; Sharp's 4-ounce Pistol, that can be carried in the vest pocket, will shoot through an inch board 25 yards. Sharp's 10-in. shoots through an inch board 100 yards; imitation Colts at reduced prices.

Blue Cartridge Pistol, 6 shot; Rider's self-cocking; 1 X L self-cocking; also Bowie Knives, assorted sizes; Sharp's Sporting Rifles, will kill 200 yards, and a good lot of guns. They offer their stock of goods at reduced prices for cash, as they intend doing a cash business. Their remaining stock consists of Combs, Brushes, Buttons, Suspenders, Belts, Fans, Watches, Jewelry, Silver Plated Ware, fancy Jewel Pins, Perfumery, Extracts, fancy and toilet soaps, stationery articles, Portemonais, Pocket Books, Work Boxes, Razors, fine and common pocket Cutlery, walking Canes, sporting articles, Whips, Musical Instruments, Willow Ware, Baskets, Traveling Satchels, Fancy Groceries, Fruits, Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, and countless other articles too tedious to mention, all of which they offer at low prices.

Those indebted to us, must call and pay their notes and accounts by the first day of February, after that place all accounts then unpaid in the hands of officers for collection.

MERONEY & BRO.

Salisbury, Jan. 7, 1861. 34tf

The Ad Valorem Banner,

DAILY AND WEEKLY.

A short time since I issued a prospectus for a Weekly newspaper, to be called the AD-VALOREM BANNER, to be published in the City of Raleigh, N. C. The encouragement I have received, far exceeding my most sanguine hopes, induces me to issue this prospect, the object of which is to inform the public that I will on the 1st of January, 1861, commence the publication of the BANNER, not only WEEKLY, but DAILY.

So far as the Banner takes sides with political parties, it will be Democratic; but with regard to Internal Improvements, a change in our system of Taxation, and the preservation of a Constitutional Union, it will know no party, but will be a zealous advocate of all these, repudiating secret caucuses, (where the spirit of the Constitution is often violated,) packed and partial Conventions, and the scheming of would-be political demagogues and tricksters. I shall be just and fearless.

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A LARGE quantity of Northern lime (unbacked) in barrels or by the bushel, for sale at Simonton's Tan Yard. It will be sold very cheap, wholesale or retail.

A large quantity of finished Leather, (Sole, Upper and Harness) always on hand and for sale.

Green and Dry Hides always in demand at cash prices.

H. C. SIMONTON

Salisbury, July 27th, 1860. 1f10

GREAT SOUTHERN HAT AND CAP MANUFACTORY.

JOHN DOOLEY,

No. 61, Main Street, Richmond, Va.

Wholesale Dealer and Dealer in

FUR, STRAW, LEGHORN, PANAMA, SOFT AND SILK HATS

DRESS HATS.

I HAVE now ready my Spring stock of HATS, CAPS and STRAW GOODS, to which I would invite the attention of the merchants of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, confident of my ability to supply them with everything they may want in my line, on as good terms as they can be procured in any market in the country.

My stock will be kept constantly fully by the addition of everything new or desirable; and, having greatly increased my manufacturing facilities, many desirable styles will be of my own manufacture. My Black Mole-skin Hat is still in the front rank, and is equal, if not superior, to anything produced in the country. My assortment of Boys', Misses' and Children's richly trimmed Hats and Flats of all the different styles of Braid and Leghorne cannot be excelled.

In Military Goods, I can furnish anything required. My stock of the various qualities of Army "Regulations" Hats is very complete, and any of the different styles of Hats or Caps made to order at short notice.

JOHN DOOLEY.

March 13, 1860. 1f63

NO HUMBUG!

Selling Off at Cost!!

THE subscriber respectfully informs his former patrons, and the public generally, that he is determined to make a change in his present business, on or before January next, and will commence selling his

EXTENSIVE STOCK
OF
Ready-Made Clothing,
Gent's Furnishing Goods,
Hats, Caps, &c., at Cost
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LESS THAN COST.

from this date, for the purpose of closing. The balance remaining will be sold at public vendue.

Save all you can, and call early at

M. HOFFLIN'S,
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Oct. 2, 1860. 1f39

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BRYAN'S

Pulmonic Wafers!

Two thousand Physicians throughout the United States, and first circles of the Old Continent have introduced under the name of "Pulmonic Wafers," (in this or any other country) all other Pulmonic Wafers are counterfeits. The Genuine can be known by the name BRYAN being stamped on each WAFER.

BRYAN'S PULMONIC WAFERS
Relieve Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Hoarseness
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Not only relieve, but effect rapid and lasting Cures.
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NO FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT A BOX OF
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JOB MOSES, Sole Proprietor, Rochester, N. Y.

Sold in Salisbury by HENDERSON & ENNIS, and all Druggists.

May 28, 1860. 1yr

WILLIAM C. LORD,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SALISBURY, N. C.

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Feb. 14, 1860. 1f38

MARRIAGE LICENSES FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

The proprietors and manufacturers of HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS can appeal with perfect confidence to physicians and citizens generally of the United States, because the article has attained a reputation heretofore unknown. A few facts upon this point will speak more powerfully than volumes of bare assertion or blooming puffery. The consumption of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for the last year amounted to over a half-million bottles, and from its manifest steady increase in these years, it is evident that during the coming year the consumption will reach near one million bottles. This immense amount could never have been sold but for the rare medicinal properties contained in the preparation, and the assertion of the most prominent physicians in those sections of the country where the article is best known, who not only recommend the Bitters to their patients, but are ready at all times to give testimonials to its efficacy in all cases of stomachic derangements and the diseases resulting therefrom.

This is not a temporary popularity, obtained by extraordinary efforts in the way of trumpeting the qualities of the Bitters, but a solid foundation of an invaluable medicine, which is destined to be as enduring as time itself.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters have proved a Godsend to regions where fever and ague and various other bilious complaints have counted their victims by hundreds. To be able to state confidently that the "Bitters" are a certain cure for the Dyspepsia and like diseases, is to the proprietors a source of unalloyed pleasure. It removes all morbid matter from the stomach, purifies the blood, and imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving it that tone and energy indispensable for the renovation of health. It operates upon the stomach, liver, and other digestive organs, mildly but powerfully, and soon restores them to a condition essential to the healthy discharge of the functions of nature.

Elderly persons may use the Bitters daily as per directions on the bottle, and they will find in it a stimulant peculiarly adapted to comfort declining years, as it is pleasant to the palate, invigorating to the bowels, excellent as a tonic, and rejuvenating generally. We have the evidence of thousands of aged men and women who have experienced the benefit of using this preparation while suffering from stomach derangements and general debility, acting under the advice of physicians, they have abandoned all deleterious drugs and fairly tested the merits of this article. A few weeks is the gentlest use. There are certain periods when their cures are so harrowing that many of them sink under the trial. The reunion of mother and child is an unutterably tender, that the mother, especially if she be young, is apt to forget her own health in her extreme anxiety for her infant. Should the period of maternity arrive during the summer season, the woes of body and mind is generally aggravated. Here, then, is a necessity for a stimulant to recuperate the energies of the system, and enable the mother to bear up under her exhausting trials and responsibilities. Nursing mothers generally prefer the Bitters to all other invigorants that receive the endorsement of physicians, because it is agreeable to the taste as well as certain to give a permanent increase of bodily strength.

All those persons, to whom we have particularly referred above, to wit: sufferers from fever and ague, caused by malaria, diarrhœa, dysentery, indigestion, loss of appetite, and all diseases or derangements of the stomach, superannuated invalids, persons of sedentary occupation, and nursing mothers, will consult their own physical welfare by giving to Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters a trial.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, South America, and Germany.

SCOVIL & MEADE,
WHOLESALE AGENTS,
NEW ORLEANS, LA.,

SOLD BY Henderson & Ennis, and W. H. Wyatt, Salisbury; by J. Reed, Concord, and by Porter & Gorrell, Greensboro', N. C.

May 29, 1860. 1y1

SPECIAL
NOTICE.

BLUE STONE,
3000 lbs. BLUE STONE. 3000 lbs.
For sale by HENDERSON & ENNIS.

50 Bush. CLOVER SEED.
Nice and clean for sale by
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For Curing Tobacco.
From 210 to 240 deg., for sale by
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10.000 *POUNDS* 10.000.
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1000 *GALLONS* 1000
PURE LINSEED OIL.
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Ague and Fever Cured
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Eanes' Ague and Fever Pills,
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Pepper, Spice, Mustard, Cloves, Ginger, Mace, Cinnamon, and Nutmegs, for sale by
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Sept. 1st, 1860. 1f39

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Returning my thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, I hope for a continuance of the same. Remember the Stand,

NO. 2, MURPHY'S GRANITE ROW,
Salisbury, N. C.

March 25, 1861. 1f44

National Flag!

WM. M. BARKER

WOULD INFORM HIS OLD friends and customers that he is again in the

Carriage Business,

and prepared to furnish any style of BUGGY or CARRIAGE from the best to the lowest priced.

He has recently visited a number of the Northern manufactories and acquainted himself with all the late improvements in his line, and made arrangements by which he can supply those preferring it with Northern work much cheaper than could be done by ordering a single job. He intends to build the finest and best work ever done in the country and solicits a call at the Sign of the *National Flag.*

WM. M. BARKER.

July 31, 1860. 1f10

Book Bindery
IN
SALISBURY.

MR W. R. DICKS would respectfully inform the citizens of Salisbury, Charlotte, Statesville, Concord, Gold-Hill, Mocksville, Greensboro', Lexington, Morganton, Newton, and the surrounding country generally, that he has established a Book Bindery in this place, and will be pleased to receive orders in his line. Music Books, Law Books, and Periodicals, bound to pattern, or in any style to suit.

☞ His establishment can be found on the second floor over the Post-Office.

☞ Orders from a distance promptly attended to

W. R. DICKS.

Salisbury, Sept. 18, 1860. 6m18

Browns Livery Stable.

IS kept up as heretofore. Any gentleman trying to him that this establishment has begun, at first, as a doubtful experiment, has proved to the public a great desideratum and a complete success. Travelers, and others can always have their wants, in the line, well supplied.

Cash prices paid for Provender. And the subscriber is always ready to sell or buy good Horses.

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Jan. 1st, 1861. 1f47

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Jan 29, 1861. 6m36

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February 14, 1860. 1y38

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Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in
HATS, CAPS,
Straw and Millinery Goods
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SALISBURY, N. C.,
One door below H. & A. Murphy's Store.

KEEPS constantly on hand a large assortment of WATCHES and JEWELRY of all kinds.

Clocks, Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired in the best manner and on the most reasonable terms.

February 14, 1860. 1y38

NOTICE.
CALL AND SETTLE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to us, by note or account, are hereby notified that payment of the same is required to be made without delay.

We have been very indulgent towards our customers, and take this occasion to acknowledge our thanks for their favors, and trust that they will speedily comply with the above notice and save us and themselves further trouble about unsettled business.

N. B.—Interest charged on all standing accounts after the 1st January.

HARRIS & SULLIVAN.

Gold-Hill, Jan. 8th, 1861. 1f34

Collecting Agent.

THE undersigned offers his services to the public as a Collecting Agent in and about Salisbury. He holds the appointments of Tax Collector for the Town, and therefore feels authorized to refer persons to our Superintendent and Commissioners as to qualifications, &c.

JOHN BEARD,
April 10, 1860.-[1f16] *Collecting Agent.*

ALL PERSONS who are indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and make immediate payment, as I am compelled to have money; and as this is the first time that I have called on my friends, I hope they will come up promptly.

R. P. BESSENT.

Nov. 29th, 1859. 1f27

DRAYING.

THE undersigned gives notice that he keeps a TEAM AND WAGONS for the purpose of Draying, and will serve all who may favor him with calls in this line on accommodating terms.

GEORGE MOWERY.

March 20th, 1860. 1f43

North Carolina Foundry
AND
MACHINE WORKS!

FRERCKS & RAEBER,
SUCCESSORS TO
N. BOYDEN & SON,

WILL continue to manufacture and keep on hand a

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

made heretofore. A full assortment of

Plows, Cultivators,
Corn-Shellers, Straw and Feed Cutters,
Horse-Powers, Seed-Sowers,
Threshers, Cider and Sugar Mills.
Thresher and Separators, They also manufacture

Shafting and Machinery

for Grist Mills, Circular and Vertical Saw Mills, Gold, Copper and Silver Mines, Tobacco Presses and Fixtures, &c., &c.,

IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS,
FORGINGS and FINISHED WORK of every description made to order, and warranted in every respect. Repairs of every description of Machinery done at short notice.

Salisbury, N. C., Jan. 2, 1861. 1y34

Standard, Raleigh; Patriot, Greensboro'; Democrat, Charlotte; Western Advocate, Asheville; Carolinian (tri weekly) Columbia; Observer, Fayetteville; and Iredell Express will publish 3 months and forward accounts.

Greensborough Mutual
INSURANCE COMPANY.
Pays all Losses Promptly!

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All communications on business connected with the Office, should be addressed to

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Greensborough, N. C., June 12, 1860. 1f4

COWAN'S
Vegetable Lithontriptic,
OR
FRIEND OF THE HUMAN FAMILY.
CURING FROM
DISEASED KIDNEYS,
Stone in the Bladder and Kidneys, Weakness of the Loins, &c.

THIS invaluable Medicine is for sale only at Mocksville, Salisbury, Statesville, Concord and Fayetteville, and at Col. Austin's and no where else.

The subscriber having entered into copartnership with John F. Cowan, original patentee, for the manufacture and sale of the above Medicine, is prepared to furnish a supply by addressing him at Salisbury, N. C., or calling at his residence, 10 miles west of this place.

E. D. AUSTIN.

June 21, 1855. 1f5

HARDWARE!!

THE Subscribers are receiving and opening at the old stand of G. M. & A. T. Jones, the largest

Stock of Hardware

ever offered in this Market, which having been bought directly of the Manufacturers or their agents, exclusively for cash. They are prepared to offer inducements to Wholesale or Retail buyers. A call is respectfully solicited.

JONES & OVERMAN.

Salisbury, Mar. 13, 1860. 1f63

SOUTHERN
BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY!

SMITH & MILLER,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Gentlemen's Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,

HAVING opened neither paltry nor extensive, in procuring materials of the best quality—Machinery of the latest improvements—and the most finished Workmen, they flatter themselves that they can sell as good an article of

Boots, Shoes & Gaiters,

as can be purchased in New England for the same money. They therefore feel confident that their appeal to the citizens of the South to sustain them in their endeavor to introduce among them a branch of Manufacture now entirely in the hands of abolitionists, will not be in vain or disregarded. They offer at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

Fine Cinnamon Boots, French Calf,
Fine French Edge, " "
" Half Welts, " "
" Double Soles, " "

OPERA BOOTS,
(Patent Leather and French Calf)
Fine Open Gaiters, Patent Leather and French Calf,
" Congress Gaiters, French Calf,
" Oxford Ties, French Calf,
Union Ties, (a new style) French Am. Calf.

☞ Go to them and supply your wants and be fortune you will purchase no Boots, Shoes or Gaiters, save those manufactured by

SMITH & MILLER,
THOMASVILLE, N. C.

July 24, 1860. 1f2

New Firm.

MURR & SOSSAMON,

HAVING purchased of J. D. Brown & Co., their entire stock of

TIN, SHEET-IRON, COPPER-WARE, STOVES, &c.,

now offer the largest and handsomest lot of COOKING, PARLOR and CHURCH STOVES ever offered in this market, and will sell for cash as low as can be had in Western North Carolina. Also, all kinds of Plain and Japanned TIN-WARE and STILLS kept on hand. All kinds Tin, Sheet-Iron or Copper work done at the shortest notice.

MURR & SOSSAMON.

Salisbury, Jan. 29, 1861. 1y34

NOTICE THIS.

THE subscribers having taken up the books of the late firm of Bell & Julian, gives this notice, that those indebted may have a chance to pay, as the settlement of every account will be rigidly enforced.

R. W. JAMES,
Dec. 27, 1859. 1f31

BLANK DEEDS
FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

A CARD.

SEEING IS BELIEVING!

THE LARGEST AND MOST
EXTENSIVE STOCK
OF
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
AND
GROCERIES,

Are now opening at the Subscriber's over

Exhibited in Salisbury,

And which will be sold as heretofore at unprecedentedly low prices. This is

NO CANT ADVERTISING PHRASE

Common with many, who enumerate their articles. Because an examination of the stock and prices, will convince the most sceptic, and cheat to boot, of the truth of the assertion.

Returning my sincere acknowledgments to the citizens of Rowan and adjacent counties for past favors, I hope by close attention to my business, to merit a continuance of the same.

☞ No trouble at all to show Goods at

S. FRANKFORD'S.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

THE SUBSCRIBER would call the attention of COUNTRY MERCHANTS, to his large and varied Stock of

DRY GOODS,
Clothing and Groceries

which he will sell at WHOLESALE as low as can be bought in any city in the Union, the Great Emporium New York not excepted.

S. FRANKFORD.

WHOLESALE.

HOOP SKIRTS in endless variety at
S. FRANKFORD'S.

March 19, 1861. 6t-44

SPECIAL NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO US, by note or account, will oblige us by coming forward and paying up. We want money and must have it, to enable us to continue our business.

McNeely & Young.

July 17, 1860. 8

WORTH & DANIEL,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers,
AND
Commission Merchants,
No. 2 Granite Row, Front Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Dealers in all kinds of Groceries, Provisions, Fruits, Liquors, Wines, Cigars, and Tobacco.

Consignments of Flour, Dried Fruit, Feathers, Bacon, Tobacco, and Country Produce generally. Agents for Howe's celebrated Scales.

D. G. WORTH. N. G. DANIEL,
Late of Asheboro', N. C. For the past 7 years with T. C. & R. G. Worth.

Sept. 10, 1860. 1y10

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. BESSENT,

HAS REMOVED to the DENTAL ROOMS on the corner formerly occupied by Dr. Bass, where he is prepared to attend all operations connected with his profession.

Jan. 1, 1860. 1f28

Fine Suits.

If you wish to buy FINE SUITS of CLOTHING for as little money as possible, call at the *Great Clothing Emporium* of

DAVID WEIL.

☞ Remember the Stand—No 2, Murphy's Granite Row, Salisbury, N. C.

Sept. 25. 1f39

W. L. BARRIER,
DENTIST,
MT. PLEASANT, N. C.

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Fine Shirts and Collars.

If you wish to purchase fine Shirts or Collars, call at the *Great Clothing Emporium* of

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Sept. 25.-1f39