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## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

SOUTH-WATER STREET, (Third door below Market street,) WILMINGTON, N. C. GASTON MEARES. EDWARD SAVAGE.

March 5th.

## WM. H. LIPPITT,

564-1 vr.

DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN Brugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Due tuffs, Patent Medicines, Window Glass, hop Furniture.

PRHFUMERT, FANCY ARTICLES; STATIONERY; GAR-DEN AND FLOWER SEEDS. Prescriptions accurately compounded. Medicine can be obtained at any hour of the night by calling at his DRUG STORE, where will always be found

some one ready to wait on persons. N. E. Corner of Front and Market Street. Wilmington, Oct. 31st. 1849.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM General Commission Merchant, WILMINGTON, N. C.

advances made on consi my friends it New York.

J. WILKINSON & CO.,

CONFECTIONARY. Bruit, Muts, Tops, Fancy Articles, PERFUMERY, SOAPS, SEGARS, &C., Wholesale and Retail.

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G. & W. A. GWYER. MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS

CABINET FURNITURE In all its Varieties.
Bedsteads, Cots, Mattresses, Looking Glasses &c., &c.,

Front Street, Near Market, Wilmington, N. C. GEORGE GWYER. 523-tf. May 23d.

GEORGE S. GILLESPIE, CONTINUES THE AGENCY BUSINESS.

AND WILL MAKE LIBERAL CASH ADVAN-CES ON ALL CONSIGNMENTS OF Timber, Lumber, Waval Stores, &c. Wilmington, N. C., July 28th, 1845. 324-tf

JOHN C. LATTA COMMISSION MERCHANT, AND

GENERAL AGENT.

WILMINGTON, N.C.

November 10th, 1846 MARTIN & CRONLY.

AUCTIONEERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND

GENERAL AGENTS. Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 3d, 1848. GEORGE W. DAVIS. Commission & Forwarding Merchant,

WILMINGTON, N C. 172-if. August 29, 1842. LEIGHTON, CHADBOURN & Co., General Commission Merchants.

WILMINGTON, N. C.\*
G. F. B. LEIGHTON, JAS. H. CHADBOURN, GEO. HOOPER,

Jan. 2d. SCOTT, KEEN & CO.,

MERCHANT TAILORS. AND DEALERS IN THE REPORT OF THE PARTY OF THE Ready Made Clothing.

MARKET STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C.

T. C. WORTH COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Feb. 27th. J. E. TOOMER. COMMISSION MERCHANT AND GENERAL AGENT.

NORTH WATER STREET. WILMINGTON, N. C.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER. General Commission Merchant. WILMINGTON, N. C. Nov. 14th, 1849.

TEETH! TEETH!! TEETH!!! Cleansed, Plugged, Regulated, Extracted, and Inserted on Picols and Gold Plate, by

J. E. K. E. A., Dentist.

This operating Room, East of Carolina Hotel, corn or of Second and Market Street, where he invites all who have decayed Teeth, Scurvy, offensive breath, odontalgia, or any of the catalogue of troubles which the organs of mustication are heir to. All operations warranted to give satisfaction, or the money returned.

Nov. 14th, 1849.

548-1yr.

TOTICE.—The Subscribers have this day entered into Co-partnership, under the firm of MARTIN & CRONLY, for the transaction of a General Commission and Agency business, at the late stand of Cronly, Walker & Hall. A. MARTIN, M. CRONLY.

Oct. 4th. THE AMERICAN LIVE STOCK INSURANCE COMPANY; CHARTER UNLIMITED: Granted January 2d, 1850.

CAPITAL \$50,000! For the Insurance of Houses, MULES, PRIZE BULLS, SHEEF and CATTLE, of every description, against the combined risks of FIRE, WATER, ACCIDENTS and DIS-EASE. Losses paid in 30 days after proof of death.

Joseph G. Bowman, | John Alvin W. Tracy, Hon. Abner T. Ellis, Hiram Decker, M. n., Isaac Mass, George D. Hay. Ab'm Smith,

Hon. Thomas Bishop.

JOSEPH G. BOWMAN, Pres't. B. S. WHITNEY, Sec'y, WM. BURTCH, Treasurer.

J. G. BURR, Agent. H. R. NIXON, Examiner.

The subscriber having been appointed Agent for the above Company, is now prepared to take risks on live Stock, as Horses. Mules, Cows, Sheep, &c., and any information desired in regard to effecting the insurance, will be cheerfully given.

J. G. BURR, be cheerfully given. Wilmington, June 12th, 1850,

BEACH'S CELEBRATED MEDICINES. THE Subscriber has been appointed Agent in Wil-mington for the sale of Dr. Beach's celebrated Medcines, and also his Medical works; and has now on hand

at the Book Store as follows.—
DR. W. BEACH'S AMERICAN PRACTICE, or Family

Physician. &c., Beach's Pile Electuary, Anti-Bilious Family Physic, Anti-Dyspeptic Pills, Hepatic or Liver Pills, Rheumatic Pills, Anodyne Pills, Anti-Bilious Pills, Corgh Pills. Female Pills,

Vegetable Emetic, Irritating Plaster, Black or Healing Salve, Brown Omtment, Compound Ulmus Powder, Pulmonary Powder, Alterative Powder. Restorative Wine Bitters, (Powder,) Worm Powder, Fever and Ague Powder.

Composition for steaming, &c. Pulmonary Syrup, Alterative Syrup. Restorative Wine Bitters. Rheumatic Liquid Diuretic Drops, Expectorant and Anti-Spasmodic Drops, ugh Drops, Sudorific Tincture.

Neutralizing Mixture, Diaphoretic Powders, Catarrh Powders, Nervous Pills.

L. H. PIERCE. August 9th, 1848.

J. T. SCHONWALD,

BOTANIC PHYSICIAN. Murphy's buildings, 2d door from the corner of Princes and Water streets, North side.

WOULD tender his thanks to the citizens of Wilmington and the surrounding country, for the very liberal patronage heretofore received, and respectfully informs the public that he still keeps on hand a large and fresh stock of BOTANIC MEDICINES, of his own manufacture, of purely regetable composition. These medicines are universally known to possess virtues that have never been excelled by any series of medicines ever offered to the pub-lic. They are effectual remedies for consumption, coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, cholera, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, cholic, gravels, liver and spleen complaints, dyspepsia, rheumatism, sick headach, piles, neryour diseases, worms, tetter, and all diseases of the skin, itch, scrofula, all kinds of fever, &c., &c.

Atso, on hand and for sale at manufacturer's prices, Rinehardt's patent glass pad double and single lever TRUSS for Hernin.

Wilmington, Sept. 1st.

Restoration and Preservation of the HAIR, by M. WISE & SON, of Virginia. A CARD.

WISE & SON, finding it altogether impossible . to attend personally to the great number of daily applications, from all sections of the Union, for their remedy for Baldness, and for their celebrated HAIR TONIC have found at necessary to appoint a General Travelling Agent, to visit different cities and towns throughout the Inited States, vesting him with authority to appoint subagents, to use and vend the Hair Tonic, and to apply the Restorative, and to put them into the hands of those he may appoint to operate wherever a sufficient number of patients in any town or neighborhood shall be obtained. Capt. GROBER CALVERT, of Fauquier county, Va., in alone authorized to act as General Travelling Agent, with

the powers above indicated. Capt. C. may be expected to visit, as speedily as practicable, the principal cities and towns of the Union. N. B .- Capt Calvert will always have on hand a full supply of the Hair Tonic, (which cleanses the head of dandruff, strengthens and invigorates the hair, and preventsit, also, from falling off,) for the region of country most contiguous to his operations or it may always be obtained, at wholesale, and forwarded to any part of the Union, by addressing the proprietors, M. WISE & SON,

Richmond, Va. Price \$9 per dozen cash. Six bottles for \$5-or one dollar single bottle. 558-tf.

Jan. 23d.

TO MY FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC. THE subscriber will be upon the wharves in Wilming I ton the first of October next, at the solleitation and encouragement of his friends, to enter upon the business, of general agent for the sale of all kinds of country pro duce on commission, as follows: Timber, Lumber, Staves, Shingles, Corn, Spirits Turpentine, Rosin, &c.—Also Neogres; having had experience in that business, he flatters himself that he can be of advantage to those who may sell to or through him, being so well (and he hopes favorably) known throughout the Wilmington district of country, he gives no particular reference, but merely challenges a trial; he will have hands of his own in attendance with him for the dispatch of business; he only adds that he will commence under favorable circumstances ever having claimed to be an honest dealer and faithful to his trust, responsible for any thing he may undertake; in saying this he believes his acquaintances will sustain him, and asks a share of patronage; every effort to please, will be made.

J. J. McDUGALD.

August 28th. WHITE LEAD.—A fresh supply just received. For wale by Wm. H. LIPPITT, Druggist & Chemist May 29th.

100 BLS. Rosendale Cement, for sale low at E. J. LUTTERLOH, Agent. May 15th.

OLASSES.—12 hhds. of new crop Cuba Molasses, low for cash, at GEO. H FD. 7 and Molasses, low for cash, at GEO.

Memphis Institute. MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

THE Regular course of Lectures in this Institute will commence on the First of November, and continue until the last of February. The Anatomical Department will be opened and ready to receive students by the First of October. The Medical Department will be under the direction of the following Professors:

J. Conquest Unoss, M. D., Professor of the Institutes of Medicine, and Medical Jurisprudence.

R. S. Newton, M. D., Professor of Surgery.

H. J. Huler, M. D., Professor of Theory and Practice of Medicine.

W. BYRD POWELL, M. D., Professor of Cerebral Phy-

J. King, M. D., Professor of Creating Toy-iology, Medical Geology, and Mineralogy.

J. King, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica, Thera-peutics and Medical Jurisprudence.

J. Milton Sanders, A. M. M. D., Professor of Chem-

stry and Pharmacy.

J. A. Wilson, M. D., Professor of Obstetrics and Dis uses of Women and Children.

CLINIQUE LECTURERS. MEDICINE-Prof. H. J. HULCE. SURGERT-Prof. R. S. NEWTON. Z. FREEMAN, M. D. Anatomical Demonstator, The fees for a full course of lectures amount to \$105. Each Professor's ticket, \$15. Matriculator's, \$5. De

nonstrator's Fee, \$10. Graduation, \$20.

Those desiring further information will please address their letters (post paid) lothe Dean; and student's arriving in the city will please call on him at the Commercial Hotel.

R. S. NEWTON, M. D.,

LAW DEPARTMENT Hon, E. W. M. KING, Professor of Theory tice of Law.

Hon. V. D. Barry, Professor of Commercial Juris-

prudence. TERMs-\$50 per session. All communications pertaining to this department muse addressed to E. W. M. KING, Esq. e addressed to I Memphis. Tenn., July, 1850.

The Faculties, for intellectual abilities, moral worth and professional acquirements, will compare favorably with the most distinguished in our country. The medical faculty constitutes an anomaly in this or any other coun try-all of them are able lecturers and the best of teachers. Those who will contemplate our geographical position, and the extent of our population, can have no doubt as to the eligibility of our situation for an enterprise of the kind.

As to health, including all seasons of the year, we deny that ANY OTHER OITT HAS MORE.

A common error exists in the minds of many students relative to the place of studying medicine; those who intend practicing among the diseases of the West and South should certainly educate themselves at a school

whose Faculty are practically acquainted with those dis-That the public may be satisfied of the permanency of this school, we feel it our duty to state, that the Trustees and Faculty form a UNIT in action, which augus well for its future success; and that the peculiar internal organization which connects them, cannot be interrupted.

E. W. M. KING, Pres. of the Memphis Ins. July, 1850. 583-tf

AMERICAN ART UNION. THE undersigned, one of the Honorary Secretaries of the American Art Union, will receive subscriptions

at the office of the Canonicle.
Each subscriber for the year 1850 (subscription Five Doffars) will receive as follows:

I. A copy of each number of the BULLETIN, (an illustrated monthly Journal of Art,) which shall be issued after

the payment of subscription.
II. A print of Mr. Burt's line engraving on steel, measuring 204 inches by 164 inches, after Mr. Leslie's celebrated painting of Anne Page, Slender, and Shallow, and illustrating a scene in Shakspeare's "Merry Wives of

III. A set of five prints, from finished line engravings on steel, of the average size of 74 inches by 10 inches, and executed by distinguished American engravers, after the following paintings, viz: The Dream of Arcadia. by Colk; Dover Plains, by Dunand; The Image Breaker, by LEU . ZE; The New Scholar, by EDMUNDS; and The Card Players. by Woodville; thus forming the com-

IV. A share in the distribution of a large number of Paintings and other works of Art, which will probably in clude BRONZE STATUEETTS, MEDALS, SCULPTURES IN ARRIE, and DRAWINGS in water colors. The Collection, will be constantly increased by the addition of new purchases, which will be announced, from time to time, in the

Extract from the Society's Circular for 1850.
It is acknowledged by all who have examined the pres ent collection, that none has ever been exhibited in Amer ica equally rich in attraction. The subscriber for the present year has an unequalled opportunity for achieving the triple purpose of obtaining a ratuable return for a small investment, of securing the possession of a superior work, gratifying his taste for art, and of affording encour agement to promising artists of his own country A. A. BROWN.

MARBLE YARD

AT WILMINGTON, N. C. HE subscriber takes this method of informing the citi zens of New Hanover and the surrounding counties, that he has established the above business, in all its variety in the building known as the Carriage Repository. next door to Mrs. Cowan's, on Market street, where he will b constantly receiving from one of the most extensive manufactories in New York, as well as from an establishment in Baltimore, a constant supply of articles in his line-consisting in part of

MONUMENTS: Plain and Box Tombs; Head and Foot Stones Fire Places; Mantel Pieces; Bureau and Centre Table Tops; Pastry Slabs; Imposing Stones; form Tables; Paint Stones and Mullars; Window

and Door Sills and Lintels; In short, every article required, either of Italian, Egyptian, or American Marbles, he is prepared to furnish, at prices that cannot fail to please—and in a style of work-manship that cannot be surpassed at the North or else-were. He will attend to the delivery and putting up of all jobs that require his attention-thereby saving the purchaser the trouble of employing inexperienced men to pu up a job after it has been bought at the North; and he has resitation in saying that there will be a net saying of 20 to 25 per cent in buying of him, together with the assurance of having the work sound-not running the risk of breaking by shipping from a distance. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine his stock and indge for themselves. Orders by mail or otherwise, from he country, will be attended to, and charges the same as i ordered in person, and instructions implicitly obeyed.

Agents for Duplin County, at Kenansville, I. B. & J. J KELLY. For Sampson County, at Clinton, J. & W. Johnson with whom all orders can be left.
Agents at Goldsboro', Gregory & Griswold.

May 24th, 1848. RTIFICIAL LEECHES .- Just received another supply, for sale by WM. H. LIPPITT,

Druggist & Chemist.

SHIRT ESTABLISHMENT. ONE of the most extensive in the

SHIRTS Inited States, No. 179 Baltimore stwhere 500 persons are employed, and a stock of 1000 dozen of shirts always

on hand; style and qualities suitable for all parts of the Union. Merchants and others visiting Baltimore are invited to call and examine the largest and best assortment of shirts that has ever been offered in this city, consisting of all sizes and qualities, for Men and Boys, which, for style and workmanship, cannot be surpassed. More than usual effort has been made to render the assortment of Sairts, Collars, Lines & Cotton DRAWERS, complete and desirable in every respect.
T. W. BETTON,

179 Baltimore street, near Light. 567-1yr. March 27th. FOR RENT.

THAT roomy and convenient house and lot at present occupied by Mr. J. E. KEA. Possession will be given on first of October. A. J. DEROSSET. August 21st.

RYE FLOUR.—Twenty barrels fresh, for sale low by ALEX. McRAE, Jr. Aug. 21st.

THE NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

RALEIGH, N. C. THE above Company has in been operation since the list of April last, under the direction of the following Officers, viz.:

Dr. Chas. E. Johnson, President,

Wm. D. Haywood, Vice President, James F. Jordan, Secretary, Wm. H. Jones, Treasurer, Perrin Bust ce, Attorney, Dr. Charles E. Johnson, Medical Board of Dr. Charles Er. Jones Dr. Wm. H. McKee, Consultation.

Dr. R. B. Haywood, J. Hersman, General Agent. This Company has received a charter giving advant ges to the insured over any other Company. The 5th Section gives the Husband the privilege to insure his own life for the sole use of his Wife and Children, PREE from any claims of the representatives of the husband or any

of his creditors. Organized on purely MUTUAL principles, the life mem bers participate in the whole of the profits which are de-clared annually. Besides, the application for life, when the annual premium is over \$30, may pay one half in

All claims for insurance against the Company will be aid within ninety days after proof of the death of the party is furnished. Slaves are insured for one or five years, at rates which will enable Slaveholders to secure this class of property

against the uncertainty of life. Sizves insurance presents a new and interesting feature in the history of North Carolina, which will prove imporant to the Southern States. The last four months operation of this Company shows a very large amount of business—more than the Direc-

tors expected to do the first year-having already issued more than 200 Policies. All Communications on business of the Company should be addressed to JAS. F. JORDAN, Sec'y, Raleigh, Dec. 24th, 1849. 554-1yr.

A LARGE STOCK OF GOODS TO BE SOLD!

THERE has just been received at MAYER'S CHEAP STORE, on Market Street, near the river, (the old stand,) a very large general assortment of Goods for the Fall and Winter trade, all of which will be sold at the usual low prices of that Store.

Come and see my Stock before buying. The stock consists in part of blue and black French loths; Ribbed, Plain and Pancy Cassimeres; Plaid Mixed and other Satinets; Silk, Valencia and Satin Ves-tings; Blue and Mixed Kentucky Jeans; Best Woolen inseys; Brown and bleached Shirtings and Sheetings; Striped, Figured and Plain Silks, &c. &c. &c.

Cashmere, Thibet, and Woolen Shawls ! A large assortment of FASHIONABLE CLOTHING. Consisting of the Finest, Weaved, Plain, Figured, Blue Black and Brown Braven over Coars. Fine blue and black French Cloth DRESS, FROCK, and SACK COATS .-Plain. Plaid, Blue, Black and Fancy Cassimere, Doeskin. Casinet and Satinet Pants, of all sizes and qualities.— Figured, Plain, Bluck, Satin, Velvet, Cloth and Valencia

Vests. Clonks of kinds. A GREAT VARIETY OF HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c. large assortment of Venitian and Ingrain CARPETING Trunks, Looking-glasses, Window curtains.

TAKE NOTICE. I will supply Planters, for their slaves and servants with Boots, Shoes, Blankets, Socks, Hats, and Caps at the lowest Philadelphia and New York prices. Citizens and Planters well do well to call and exami my stock of the above named Goods, which I will sell Wholesale and Retail, at the lowest prices.

JOSEPH MAYER, Next above Anderson's old stand, Market Street, Sept. 19th. Maryland State Lotteries,

D. PAINE & CO., Managers. RICH AND BRILLIANT SCHEMES. Grand Consolidated Lottery, Class 28. To be drawn on Saturday, October 19, 1850. \$60,000 in 2 capitals of 30,000 each.

FOR OCTOBER, 1850.

100 prizes of \$1,000, being the lowest 3 number prize RICH SCHEME. ¥30,000 } are \$60,000 -30,000 ---5.0007 -5,000-5,000 are 30,000 -5,000 -5,000---2,500 are 30,000 (lowest 3 nos.) 1,000 are 100,000 1st and 2d numbers \$300, 3d and 4th \$200

&c. &c. &c. &c. Tickets only \$10—Halves \$5—Quarters \$2 50. Certificates of packages 26 wholes \$150 26 halves 75 26 quarters 37 50 Grand Consolidated Lottery, Class U To be drawn in Baltimore, October 26, 1850.

16 drawn ballots out of 78 numbers. MAGNIFICENT SCHEME. \$75,000-\_50 000--is---- 50.000 \_10.164\_\_\_is -10.164-7,500- 7.500 --- is-5,000-- are-4.000-are-3 000 --- are \_30 000 10 -2.500---are -----25.000 10 -2.000-are- 20.000 -1.500 --- are--1,000----are--10,000 -300----are---500 --- 15.000

&c. de. Prizes amount to \$1,825 824. lickets \$30-halves \$15-quarters \$7 50-eighths \$3 Certificates of package 26 wholes 360 do 26 haives 180 do 26 quarters 90

do 26 eighths 41 Orders for tickets, shares, or packages, will be prom y filled by first mill, and drawings forwarded to all who rder as soon as drawn. Address R. FRANCE & CO.

Manager's Office, Baltimore, Md JUST RECEIVED.

PER BRIG JOHN DAWSON.

FROM our manufactory in Stratford, Conn., a fresh

I supply of those extra quality, sewed and pegged Boots. Also, a lot of Misses and Ladies Gaiters. Daily expected, a supply of Children's Gaiters, and Ties; Lace nd Polka Boots, at G. N. OREHOUSE & Co's. To those wanting Boots or Shoes made to measure we would say, that we have just engaged the service of a ntleman from the North, who is in every way calculaquit the most fastidious in a good fit and a neat Boot; Gents leave your measures at

CON. MOREHOUSE & Co's., Market St March 27th. NOTICE.

THE subscriber having opened an office for the trans action of a general collecting business, and also for the sale and rent of Real Estate and Negroes, pledges himself fuithfully and promptly to execute any business entrusted to him, and solicits the patronage of the business

mmunity of Wilmington and the public generally. Office in the Superior Court Clerk's room, E. A. CUSHING. TE. A. C. is agent for the N. Y. Nautilus Life Inurance Company. April 3d. WOWNSEND'S SARSAPARILLA .-- Warranted

WM. H. LIPPITT, fresh, for sale by Druggist & Chemist VALUABLE LOT lying between Market and A Princess Street, will be sold cheap. Apply to E. A. CUSHING.

TMPORTED London Porter and Scotch Ale, in quarts by the cask, dozen, for sule by ALEX. McRAE.

During a visit to a friend in the country. was enjoying a walk in his garden before break-fast on a delightful morning in June, when my attention was suddenly arrested by the pensive attitude of a little boy, the son of my host, whom I observed standing before a rose bush, which he appeared to contemplate with much dissatisfaction. I inquired what had attracted him to this particular rose-bush, which presented but a forlorn appearance when compared with its more blooming companions. He replied: "This rosebush is my own; papa gave it to me in spring, and promised that no one should touch it. I have taken great pains with it; and as it was cov-

shall not have one full-blown rose after all." "And yet," said I, "it appears to be as healthy as any other bush in the garden; tell me what you have done for it, as you say it has cost you

ered with beautiful roses last summer, I hoped

to have had many fine bouquets from it; but all

my care and watching have been useless; I see

so much pains?" "After watching it for some time," he replied, I discovered a very great number of small buds, but they were almost concealed by the leaves which grew so thickly; I therefore cleared away the greater part of these, and my little buds then looked very well. I now found, as I watch them, that though they grew larger every day, the green outside continued so hard, that I thought it impossible for the delicate rose leaves to force their way out; I therefore picked them open; but the pale, shrivelled blossoms which I found within never improved, but died, one after another .-Yesterday morning I discovered one bud which the leaves had till then hidden from me, and which was actually streaked with-the beautiful red of the flower confined in it; I carefully opened and loosened it, in the hope that the warm sun would help it to blow; my first thought this morn-

ing my one precious bud for mama-but look at it now!" The withered, discolored petals to which the child thus directed my attention did indeed present a melancholy appearance, and I now under stood the cause of the looks of disappointment which had at first attracted my attention. I explained to the zealous little gardener the mischief which he had unintentionally done by removing the leaves and calvx with which nature had covered and enclosed the flower until all its beauties should be ready for developement; and having pointed out to him some buds which had escaped his care, I left him full of hope that, by waiting patiently for nature to accomplish her own work he might yet have a bouquet of his own roses to present to his mother.

As I pursued my walk, it occurred to me that this childish incident suggested an answer to the question asked by Dr. Johnson, "What becomes of all the clever children?" Too often, it is to be feared, are the precious human buds sacrificed to the same mistaken zeal that led to the destruction of the roses which had been expected with so much pleasure by their little owner. Perhaps a few hints suggested-not by fanciful theory, but by practical experience in the mental training of children-may help to rescue some little ones from the blighting influences to which they are too often exposed.

The laws by which the physical development of every infant, during the earliest period of its existence, is regarded, seem to afford a striking lesson by the analogy they bear to these laws on which the subsequent mental development depends. On the babe's first entrance into the world, it must be fed only with food suitable to its delicate organs of digestion; on this depends its healthful growth, and likewise the gradual strengthening of those organs. Its senses must at first be acted upon very gently: too strong a light, or too loud a noise, may impair its sight or hearing for life. The little limbs of a young infant must not be

allowed to support the body before they have acquired firmness sufficient for that task, otherwise they will become deformed, and the whole system weakened; and last, though not least, fresh and pure air must be constantly inhaled by the lungs, in order that they may supply vigor to the whole frame. All enlightened parents are ac- drinking pure water, since many articles of diet quainted with these laws of nature, and generally act on them; but when owing to judicious management their children emerge from baby hood in full enjoyment of the animal organs, and with muscles and sinews growing firmer every day in consequence of the exercise which their little owners delight in giving them, is the same judicious management extended to the mind, of which the body has been so carefully furnished, is only the outer case? In too many cases it is not .-Too often the tender mind is loaded with infor mation which it has no power of assimilating and which, consequently, can not nourish it .-The mental faculties, instead of being gradually exercised, are overwhelmed; parents who would check with displeasure the efforts of a nurse who should attempt to make their infant to walk at too early a period, are ready eagerly to embrace any system of so-called education which offers to do the same violence to the intellect; forgetting that distortion of mind is at least as much to be dreaded as that of the body, while the motives held out to encourage the little victims are not calculated to produce a moral atmosphere conducive either to good or great mental attainments .-Children are sometimes met with-though few and far between-whose minds seem ready to drink in knowledge in whatever form or quality it may be presented to them; and the testimony of Dr. Combe, as well as any other judicious wri- arn't all. I have left somethin' on board that's a ters, proves the real state of the brain in such cases, and also the general fate of the poor little prodigies. Such children, however, are not the subject of these observations, of which the object is to plead for those promising buds which are closely encased in their hard but protecting covering; to plead for them especially at that period when the "beautiful red streak" appears; in other words, when, amid the thoughtless sports and simple studies of childhood, the intellect begins to develop itself, and to seek nourishment from all that is presented to it. There exists at the period alluded to, a readiness in comparison, and a shrewdness of observation, which might be profitably employed in the great work of education. Here it may be observed that to "educate" means to bring out, the term education can be applied with propriety to a system which performs this work, and never to one which confines itself to laying on a surface work of superficial information, unsupported by vigorous mental powers. Information may be acquired at any age, provided that the intellectual machinery has been kept in activity; whereas, if the latter has

been allowed to rest and stiffen from disease, the

efforts of the man-supposing him to have ener-

gy -ufficient to make an effort-to redress the

What becomes of all the Clever Chil- vain. That self-educated men are generally the best educated is a trite remark; so trite, indeed that it frequently falls on the ear without rousing attention to the apparent paradox which it contains; and yet there must be some reason well up unassisted, and in many cases surrounded by apparent obstacles to their rise.

From these considerations, it appears that the most judicious system of education is that in which the teacher rather directs the working of his pupil's mind than works for him; and it must be recollected that such a system, compared with some others, will be slow, though sure, on producing the desired result.—Chamber's Edinburg Journal.

GEORGIA PECULIARITIES.—Some one who has been recently travelling in Georgia, gives a spec-Georgians, in the following imaginary of A traveller stops at the house to

night. Traveller—Can I stay with you to night!
Landlord—I reckon. We does not like to
turn people away. We does not practice keep ng people. T-(Interrupting him.) If it is not conve

ment for you to keep us, we will go on. I.—Yes, oh yes, we'll keep you. Alight. It will be dark before you can overtake the next house; and it is mighty hot too. Your horse looks mighty sorry, and I reckon you can take up with my fare.

T-Have you corn and fodder? L-Yes, right smart of both.

T-Well, take my horse. L-Here, Jack, carry this gentleman's horse to he lot. Give him a smart chance of corn and ing was of the pleasure I should have in gatherfodder. You hear?

Jack-Yes, massa. Traveller goes into the house and asks for Landlady-Ann, ho! Ann. (Ann answers.) Here, get some supper for this gentleman. Fry some bacon and make a hoe cake. Get a smart chance of bacon. Make a heap of coffee. You

hear? (Ann answers.) Be peert now. (Turning to the traveller.) You come from Florida, I reckon? Landlord-(To the traveller.) You had a heap of bad road to day. It has been mighty hot too. Shall I tote your plunder (baggage) into the house?

In the morning the traveller asks for his bill. Landlord-Well, I charges for eating a man over night 75 cents, 25 cents for sleeping him, and 50 cents for eating his horse. That makes, I reckon, about a dollar and a half.

The following (says the Commercial Gazette) s from the London Spectator, and may prove very beneficial advice, now that the use of lime water has been found to be so productive of cholera:

IS PURE WATER FIT FOR DRINK! To the Editor of the Spectator : SIR: Your correspondent, "A Water Drinker," must be very ignorant of the laws of the animal economy, if he supposes that water impregnated with lime is useful for the preservaion of health. On the contrary, the presence of this ingredient (alas ! so common) is the fruitful source of dyspepsia, with all its horrors; of constipulation; of obstructed kidneys, and of various other ailments too well known to us medical men. On the contrary, pure water (i. e. fil-tered rain water) is one of the finest solvent in nature, and I hail with pleasure the suggestion of the board of health for the supply of the metropolis with pure water. All England knows the repute of the Malvern water, and its value consists in its purity-scarcely a trace of saline or earthly ingredients being found in it; the absence of limestone in that locality allowing the water of the district to filter through the gravel and sand, and thus returning to give health to the valetudinarian. As to the presence of lime in water being necessary for the preservation of our bones, your correspondent need not fear that his osseous fabric will become enfeebled by

contain hosphate of lime. The following whimsical circumstances happened some time ago in Kilkenny: "A tailor. who was married to a very sickly woman, got enamoured of a young girl who lived in his neighborhood, and on certain conditions he agreed to give her a promise in writing, to marry her immediately on the demise of his wife; in consequence of which Mr. Snip passed the following curious note of hand: "In two days after the demise of my present wife, I promise to marry Miss Moran or order, value received, under fifty pounds sterling. Given under my hand this sixteenth day of May, &c., J. Sullivan."-Shortly after Miss Moran received the above note, she died, leaving it endorsed to a female friend, who also chanced to take fever and died before the tailor's wife; however, on her sick bed, she also endorsed the note, and gave it to a cousin, whom the tailor absolutely married, agreeable to the endorsement, in two days after the death of his wife, and it is said the tailor and his wife are now living happily in the city of Kilkenny."

Тнем's им.—"I say, captain," said a little keen-eyed man, as he landed from the steamer Potomac at Natchez, "I say, captain, these here fact." "Them's all the plunder you brought on board, any how." "Well, see now, I grant its O K according to list—four boxes, three chests, two banboxes, a portmanty, two hams, one part cut three ropes of invans and a teakettle; but you see, captain, I'm dubersome; I feel there's somethin' short. 'Though I've counted um over nine times, and never took my eyes off um while on board, there's somethin' not right somehow." "Well stranger time's up ; them's all I know on: so just fetch your wife and five children out of the cabin, as I'm off." "Them's um ! darn it them's um! I know'd I had forgot some

Tom Thumb's house, now building at Bridge-port, is said to be a remarkable edifice in some respects. The little fellow has rather grand respects. The little fellow has rather grand notions of space, and has planned for himself ample rooms, wide passages, and lofty entrances, as if it were a mansion for Patagonians. In other respects we hear that the house is extremely well contrived, in all his arrangements, for the convenience and comfort of its inmates.

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