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GILLESPIE & ROBESON,
AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF
TIMBER, LUMBER, NAVAL STORES, &c.
Will make liberal cash advances on all consignments
of produce.
March 17. 1

CHARLES BLAKESLEE,
(Successor to James Pufferford.)
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
Boots and Shoes,
MARKET ST., WILMINGTON, N. C.

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PRINTED TO ORDER, AT THE
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SAM'L P. GAUSE,
AGENT FOR THE SALE OF LUMBER,
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Ginger. Just rec'd and for sale by
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10 BBL'S. Tanners Oil,
15 " Whale "
10 " Racked "
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under the firm of McMillan & Co., for the trans-
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Store, for sale.
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JUST RECEIVED—A full assortment best Quality
of Nails, Grain Scoops, Short Scythes, Ames' Shovels
and Spades, Cast Steel Shovels and Spades, Common
do. do., Long Handle Shovels; Assortment Hollow
Ware, Piongs and Points, Corn Shellers, &c.
C. W. BRADLEY.
April 4.

SADDLE, HARNESS, AND TRUNK
MANUFACTORY,
Front Street, Wilmington, N. C.

THE subscriber takes this method
of informing his friends and the public gener-
ally, that he has taken the store formerly occu-
pied by Porter and Blakelee, and immediately opposite
the Chronicle Office, where he is now opening a com-
plete assortment of
Saddles, Bridles, Harness, Trunks, Martingales,
Valises, Carpet and Saddle Bags, Collars,
Whips, Spurs, Bits, &c. &c. &c.
All of which will be warranted of good manufacture
and materials, and will be sold low for CASH.
Having long experience in the above business, he
flatters himself that he will be able to render full sat-
isfaction to those who may be disposed to patronize
him.
It is his intention to keep no Books, but to adopt
the CASH SYSTEM, by which means he will be
able to furnish articles much cheaper than they have
heretofore been bought in this market.
REPAIRING of all kinds done at the shortest
notice.
JOHN J. CONOLEY.
1561

SUGAR, COFFEE, BRANDY, &c.
20 Bags Rio Coffee, 10 do. Laguira do.
4 Hds. Porto Rico Sugar, 1 do. N. Orleans do.
10 Barrels Apple Brandy, 5 do. Pure Rye Whiskey,
40 Bags Shot Brains, Figs and Cheese.
Also on hand, 25 Bbls. Common Whiskey, 16 Hds.
Molasses.
C. W. BRADLEY.
April 11. 12

CANDY! CANDY!—Just received, and will be
opened for a few days, Stuart's Superior Candy.
C. W. BRADLEY.
April 4.

GLUE—6 bbls. Glue a good article, for sale by
J. GAMMELL.
51

JUST RECEIVED—Per Schrs. James Smith, 10
kegs prime Goshen Butter, 10 bbls. Crackers, 5
bbls. Pilot Brand, and for sale by
August 1. [59] E. J. LUTTERLOH.

For Rent.
THE Store at present occupied by R. H. Grant &
Brother—possession given the 1st of October.
Apply to
J. D. L. VE.
Aug. 4, 1846. 60

FLOUR
BEST Canal Flour. For sale, by
E. PETERSON.
Sept. 26. 81

SHEETING—Four-Fourths, from the ROCKFISH
FACTORY, for sale by BROWN & DEROSSET.
July 7. 48

TO RENT.
SEVERAL well finished offices, in the fine proof
building on Water Street, over the stores of Smith,
Mitchell & Gude.
That large and convenient Wharf on Eagle's Island,
opposite Town and known as the site of the Phoenix
Battery, 220 feet front, and running back 1600 feet
with convenient dock, Warehouse 40 by 80 feet, negro
quarters, &c. all in good repair. Apply to H. Nutt.
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YARN AND SHEETINGS.
A CONSTANT supply on hand, for sale exclu-
sively upon Manufacturers account. By
SANDFORD & SMITH.
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FOR RENT.
A FINE roomy store, in Mr. Parsley's building,
one door north of the Custom House. For terms
apply to
E. J. LUTTERLOH.
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CROCKERY—Plates, Cups and Saucers, Pitchers,
C. Basons and Ewers, Bowls and Mugs, Jugs and
Demijohns, Tumblers, Glass Lamps.
C. W. BRADLEY.
April 4. 9

NEFF & WARNER
HAVE just received per Schrs. E. S. Powell and
R. W. Brown,
At their General Ship Chandlery and
Family Grocery Store,
The following supply of GOODS, which they offer
for sale on most accommodating terms, viz:
20 BBL'S. Mesa Beef, 20 " Rio do.
20 " Family do. 20 " St. Domingo do.
20 " Pork do. 5 chests Yg. Hyson Tea,
1000 lbs. Smoked Beef, 10 " Ship Staples,
20 " Bbls. Beef Tongues, 12 boxes Lemon Syrup,
20 " Mess Pork, 6 " Lemons
20 " Prime do. 10 boxes Sperm Candles
20 boxes Cheese, 20 " Tallow
40 bbls. Canal Flour, 20 " Cut Nails, all sizes,
20 " Pilot Bread, 20 " Ship Staples,
20 " Navy, 500 lbs. cop. Smith Nails,
20 " Soda Biscuit, 100 lbs. Copper Tacks,
30 " 60 kegs No. 1 White Lead,
3 Hds. Porto Rico Sugar, 40 " Extra "
6 bbls. Crushed Sugar, 20 " Black Paint,
10 " Powdered " 50 Cans Imperial Green,
1000 lbs. Lard, 50 " Paris "
10 bags Laguna Coffee.
A general assortment of Summer Clothing. A
general assortment of Wood and Willow Ware.
Also, per Schrs. Wilmington, and Brig Duffell:
30 boxes Tobacco; 10,000 Spanish Segars, assorted
Brands; 30,000 American do.
3 casks first rate French Brandy, with Custom House
Certificates, and 5 casks London and Philadelphia
Porter.
All of which we offer for sale on accommodating
terms. N. & W. 64
Aug. 13, 1846.

MESS AND PRIME PORK for Sale by
GILLESPIE & ROBESON.
Sept. 15. 79

FOR SALE.
A FIRST RATE northern built Buggy. For sale
low, by
BROWN & DEROSSET.
Sep. 24. 80

FOR RENT.
A DWELLING on Second between Market and
Dock Street, at present occupied by Mr. August-
ine, well adapted for the accommodation of a small
family. Apply to
J. MULOCK.
Sep. 12. 77

MUSKETS! MUSKETS!!
200 MUSKETS of a very superior quality at
a remarkable low price, made expressly for
the use of Planters, just received, and for sale by
HART & POLLEY.
July 13, 1846. 651

LIME—300 Casks fresh Thorndike Lime, just land-
ed, for sale by SANDFORD & SMITH.
April 23. 17

CORN—2500 bushels, a prime article just received
and for sale by
J. MULOCK.
June 8. 37

BUCKETS, &c.—Brass Hooped Buckets, Iron do.
Tubs, Keels, Trays and Bowls, White Wash
Brushes, Axe Handles, Flour Pails, Bbl. Covers, Meas-
ures, Brooms and Hearth Brushes; also Baskets,
Cocoa Nut Dippers, &c.
C. W. BRADLEY.
April 4.

BRICK—25,000 hard Bricks for sale, by
E. J. LUTTERLOH.
July 21. 55

Pork and Corn.
50 BBL'S. City Mess Pork, and 5,000 bushels Corn,
a prime article. For sale, by J. MULOCK.
Sep. 21. 79

RAILROAD CORN—1000 Bushels, just received
and for sale by
ROBT. G. RANKIN.
April 25. 18

LINSEED OIL.
5 BBL'S. Linseed Oil, just received. For sale, by
SANDFORD & SMITH.
July 10. 53

LARD.
25 Kegs Lard, prime article for family use, for sale
low, by
J. MULOCK.
Aug. 27. 70

SOAP—50 boxes Brown Soap, for sale by
J. GAMMELL.
July 14. 51

TO DISTILLERS.
A SITUATION wanted by a young man, who has
had considerable experience in the distilling busi-
ness, to attend to a Distillery. No objection to go-
ing in the country. Best of references given. Apply
at this Office.
Aug. 25, 1846. 70

SUGAR—5 hds. New Orleans Sugars, for sale, by
E. J. LUTTERLOH.
July 23. 55

10 BBL'S. LINSEED OIL, superior quality, for
sale by
E. J. LUTTERLOH.
April 4. 9

TOBACCO—10 Hds. No. 1 Leaf Tobacco, for
sale by
E. J. LUTTERLOH.
March 24. 6

BILLS OF EXCHANGE—Price \$1 per quire, for
sale at the
COMMERCIAL OFFICE.
March 21. 3

SADDLES, BRIDLES,
HARNESS, TRUNKS, &c. &c. &c.
THE Subscriber has on hand a general as-
sortment of Goods in his line, together
with Rokkays, Daggers, Trotting Waggon,
and Sulkies, all of which he will sell low. Purchasers
are respectfully invited to call at the Old Stand, North
Side of Market Street.
GUY C. HOTCHKISS.
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10 KEGS fresh Tamarinds, just received and for
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D. W. WOOD.
Sep. 22. 79

Wood and Willow Ware.
A GOOD assortment of wooden and willow ware.
For sale, by
D. W. WOOD.
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Linseed Oil.
5 BARRELS Linseed Oil, in Store, for Sale low, by
J. & W. L. MCGARY.
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BUTTER.
6 KEGS Goshen Butter, strictly prime, landing this
day
BROWN & DEROSSET.
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FRESH best Rice, constantly on hand, at retail, by
the cask, by
E. DICKINSON.
Oct. 3. 1m84

Copartnership.
THE subscribers have entered into a copartnership,
under the name and firm of Howard & Peck,
Wm. C. HOWARD,
W. N. PEDEN.
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AGENCY OF CAPE FEAR STEAM BOAT COMPANY,
March 11, 1846. 5

THE Cape Fear Steam Boat Company, having thoroughly placed in
order the favorite Steamer, Cotton
Plant, and are building Lighters of the most approved
style, and peculiarly adapted to the lower stages of the
River, are prepared to give despatch to Goods for Fayetteville,
and the interior, on the most favorable terms.
The keel of a new Steamer has been laid, which will
soon be completed, of such light draft of water, as to
visit all stages of the River; and which, in lightness of
draft, will serve as an advantage.
Goods will be received and forwarded promptly thro'
Wilmington, free of all charges for Storage, Drayage,
Wharfage, and Commissions; and will be attended to
at Fayetteville, free of Commissions. Goods can be
stored there, up town or at the river, as shippers may
desire.
The Cape Fear Steam Boat Company are deter-
mined to carry Goods on as favorable terms as any other
Company; and from the long experience of their agents
at Wilmington and Fayetteville, have no doubt
of giving their friends entire satisfaction.
E. W. WILLKINGS,
Agent at Fayetteville.
ROBT. G. RANKIN,
Agent at Wilmington.
March 17. 1

EMPTY SPIRITS TURPENTINE BBL'S.
A CONSTANT supply of the above barrels for
sale by
SANDFORD & SMITH.
Aug. 4, 1846. 60

5,000 BUSHELS TURKS' ISLAND SALT
for Sale by
O. G. PARSLEY.
Wilmington, March 19. 24

STATIONERY—Letter and Cap Paper, Steel Pens,
Quills, Ink, Superior Paris Marking and Writing
Black Lead Pencils, Common English do. Childrens
Copy Books, Pass Books, 2 and 4 quire Blank Books,
Wrapping Paper, Paste Board, Slates.
C. W. BRADLEY.
April 4. 9

PACKING YARN.
7 Cotts Russia and Italian Packing Yarn for sale low
to close consignment.
By
NEFF & WARNER.
May 12. 25

JUST RECEIVED, and for sale at the Literary
Depot
"THE OLD SANCTUARY."
A new Novel, by A. J. Requier.
Sep. 9. 76

FOR SALE, OR RENT.
A POSSESSION given last Nov. next. A
dwelling House and Lot, situated on East
side of Boundary, between Market and Dock
Streets. Terms accommodating. If not sold between
this and the 1st of November, it will then be rented.
R. G. RANKIN, Agent.
Oct. 6. 861

HAY of good quality, for sale in lots to suit, by
BROWN & DEROSSET.
Oct. 8, 1846. 88

From the Dr. Louis Revell
A YANKEE IN A COAL SCREEN.
BY JOE MILLER, JR.

In order to load the coal boat on the
Lehigh canal, a short but steep inclined
plane of about one hundred and fifty
feet in length, is made at the chute
which runs from a station house on the
side of the mountain, to a large circular
revolving screen. To the loaded car is
attached a rope which draws up an empty
car, and, arrived at the screen, the lower
end of the car is suddenly unbolted, and
the coal is shot with great velocity into
a hopper; this conveys it directly into
the screen, which has three large cham-
bers, through which coal of as many
sizes is riddled out, and shot, by scuppers,
into just as many boats, waiting
for different descriptions of the article.

A few months since, a Yankee of the
genuine breed, quite inquisitive, but more
verbal than a Yankee should be, gained
the station house, and gazed with
wonder at the contrivances. He peculiarly
admired the swiftness with which the
loaded car descended and emptied its
load, and the velocity with which it re-
turned to give place to another.

Shortly his attention was attracted by
seeing a laborer mount one of the full
cars about to make the descent.
"Going to slide?" inquired he.
"Yes, going to chute; won't you
go?"

"Wal, I guess I'll stop a bit, and see
you do it."
The car swiftly descended, and, ere it
reached the hopper, the passenger jumped
off safely.

"Do you do that often?" inquired he
of one of the laborers in the station
house.
"Oh, yes, continually," was the wag-
gish answer, "you know most all the
boatmen are single men, and as they of-
ten have orders for 'family coal,' we al-
ways send down a married man with
every car of that kind, to let 'em know."
"Wal now, du tell," uttered the eastern
man.

The more the Yankee looked at the
apparatus, the more did he become con-
vinced that it would be a great thing to
go down the steep in that way—some-
thing that he could tell "to hum."
Plucking up courage, he approached
the superintendent.

"That beats sleddin' down hill, don't
it?"
"I s'pose it does."
"You couldn't let a fellow go down,
could you?"
"Why, do you think you can jump
off in time?"
"Yes, I'm reckoned considerable of a
jumper—jumpin' does me good; I once
jumped off a hay mow thirty feet high,
and it made me so supple that I'm give
in to be the best dancer in the hull town-
ship."

Suddenly the car moved off, and our
friend found the speed so fearful, and the
declivity so great that he was forced to
stoop down and grasp the sides of his
vehicle for support. The place where
the laborer had leap off was reached,
but the Yankee was not in the position
to jump; he had to hold on, and run-
ning down a descent three times as steep
as that which he had come, a sudden
click shot the bolt, and, with a violent
force, out went the contents, Yankee in-
cluded, into the hopper.

"Murder! get me out stop the cor-
sarn!" shouted our hero, as he felt him-
self sliding down the hopper to the
cylinder. "Murder! stop the consarn
—I'll be killed." But the motive power
of "the consarn" was water, which had
no sympathy with those who pursue
knowledge under difficulties, and those
who saw were too distant and too much
convulsed with laughter to yield assis-
tance. Into the screen he slid, landing
on the top, and as he felt himself revolv-
ing with the coal, he grasped the wires
in desperation, to prevent himself from
being rolled to the bottom—around the
wheel he went, and our friend's sensi-
bilities were touched up by a plentiful
shower of fine coal dust riddled through
from all the chambers. He managed to
get one eye open, and saw with delight
that the cylinder was only about fifteen
feet in length, and he forced his way
forward to the opening with desperation
but it was not altogether successful; an-
other revolution of the wheel had yet to
be borne, and the next time he reached
the bottom he was shot out of the scuppers
into the boat beneath. To the
screams of laughter with which his ad-
vent was hailed, our hero said not a

SINGULAR FORTUNES
OF AN IRISH GIRL.

Amongst other legends or anecdotes of
a romantic kind which Mrs. Blanckley
records, we find a story of an Empress of
Morocco that is quite as good as any
thing furnished by the novelists. Truth,
in this case, is quite as good as fiction, and
a great deal more impressive. Mr. Clark
told me the following curious story:
That when he was at Alicante a galley
arrived, which had just escaped from
Tangiers, with the first or favorite wife
of Muli Mahomed, the late Emperor of
Morocco, who had lately been assassi-
nated by his rebellious son, Muli Ismael.
This lady, who, with her attendants,
was seeking a refuge in Spain, was origi-
nally a Miss Thomson, of Cork, and
when on her passage from that city to Cadiz,
on a matrimonial expedition, she had
been captured by a Moorish corsair, and
made a slave. Her first intended bride-
groom had been a Mr. Shee, an Irish
merchant settled at Cadiz, who during a
visit which he had made to his native
country, had become acquainted with,
and attached to Miss Thomson, who
possessed great charms; but as some
impediments existed to their immediate
union, they parted, having first plighted
their troth; and with the understanding
that, at some future period, she should
join him at Cadiz, as it would be injuri-
ous to his commercial interest for him to
absent himself again from the field of
his speculations.

The lady, in fulfillment of her promise,
sailed to join her future husband; but as
just narrated, her destiny was changed
by the capture of the vessel she was in
by a Maroquin Corsair, which carried
her to Fez. Here Miss Thomson was
detained as a slave, and closely con-
fined, until a report of her uncommon
beauty having reached the Emperor Muli
Mahomed, she was by his orders remov-
ed to the imperial palace, and every in-
ducement held out to her, to embrace the
Mahomedan faith, and to accede to the
Emperor's desire of making her his wife.
Whether it was by persuasion, or from
conviction that her fate was irrevocably
decided, her various scruples were over-
come, and she became the wife of Muli
Mahomed, and subsequently the mother
of two sons, who bore the names, the el-
dest of Muli Ismael, and the younger of
Muli Mahomed. She was the most fa-
vored of her imperial husband's wives,
for he had many besides; and the num-
ber must have been great, as I have
heard both from Mr. Clark and Mr. Ro-
mans, who were at one time established
as merchants in Morocco, that the Em-
peror Muli Mahomed actually formed a
regiment composed entirely of his own
sons, to the number of 523, most of them
being blacks. Mr. Clark says that this
wonderful fated lady, when he saw her
in Spain, was dressed in the Moorish
costume; and, strange as it appears, she
seemed in all respects to have adopted
the taste of the new country in prefer-
ence to those of Christendom; for she af-
terwards returned to Morocco and there
ended her days.

MR. BANCROFT AND SENATOR RUSK.
'Potomac,' the excellent correspond-
ent of the Baltimore Patriot, writes to
that paper as follows:
Perhaps there never was a man treated
worse than Mr. Bancroft has been! People
somehow or other will not like him.
On the Saturday previous to the
adjournment of Congress, when the Presi-
dent and Cabinet were at the Capitol,
Mr. Bancroft advanced, with his own
peculiar manner, up to Senator Rusk and
offered his hand to that gentleman.—
Gen. Rusk drew himself up in all the
dignity of his nature—for he is a very
fine specimen of a man—and said, "Sir,
I shall not shake hands with any such
person as you are. I do not consider you
a gentleman."

The insulted Secretary repaired to
Mr. Walker and told him how he had
been treated by the Texas Senator.—
Whereupon Mr. Secretary Walker sought
out General Rusk and undertook to chide
him (somehow gently though) for hav-
ing insulted a member of the Cabinet!
"A Member of the Cabinet!" exclaimed
General Rusk, "and who is he any
more than any one else who conducts
himself properly and like a gentleman!"
The person I refused my hand to is no
gentleman, and if you sir, wish to resent
the affront which he is unwilling to re-
sist, you can do so in any way you may
choose." Mr. Walker was soon non est.

These facts were communicated to
me by a Loco-Foco Ex-Senator to Con-
gress, and by an officer of some note in
the world, and will, I imagine, hardly
be denied.