THOMAS LORING, COMMERCIAL. foe approached—I bent over him and her-I looked down upon her beautiful face—it was as the marble on which she rested— EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. I gazed in those black eyes-they were THE COMMERCIAL Is published every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday lakes of beauty frozen over with the ice of \$5 per annum, payable, in all cases, in advance, death-open but not lustrous. I looked down upon her swelling bosom uncovered BY THOMAS LORING. PUBLISHED TRI-WEEKLY, BY THOMAS LORING. by the disarrangement of her dress, and a Corner of Front and Market Streets, ghastly wound of black and horrible rough-WILMINGTON. N. C. ness showed how she had died. A piece VOL. 2. RATES OF ADVERTISING. WILMINGTON, TUESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 9, 1847 of the iron shell had clove a rent in her bo-NO. 101. 1 square, 1 insertion, \$0 50 | 1 square, 2 months, \$4 00 som through which her soul had sped to a do. 2 do. 75 1 do. 3 do. do. 3 do. 100 1 do. 6 do. do. 1 month, 2 50 1 do. 1 year, 5 00 kinder world than this. In one hand she HARRISS & RUSSELL, 'I do,' I replied, not knowing which way clenched a locket, I looked upon it and re-12 00 American Glue. The Fashionable Lady's Prayer. Twelve lines or less make a square. If an adver-Superior quality American Glue, constantly on Shand and for sale by BARRY, BRYANT 4 Co. led the drift of his remarks. cognized the miniature of G-OGod ! (SUCCESSORS TO CHARLES D. ELLIS.) isement exceeds twelve lines, the price will be in pro-'For the love of Heaven spare that what a sight was this? So young, so beau-GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS BY W. FELCH. portion. house! I care not if every other in the town uful, loving and beloved-yet gone, gone, All advertisements are payable at the time of their WILMINGTON, N.C. Nov. 4th 1847. is blown to atoms, but do not destroy that forever-and in such a way? 'Give us this day our daily bread,' insertion. Contracts with yearly advertisers, will be made on GEORGE HARRISS. HENRY P. RUSSELL And pies and cakes besides, one?' I laid my hand upon G----'s shoulder REFER TO TO RENT. the most liberal term 'What is your reason sir?' To load the stomach, pain the head, and spoke to him, then for the first time he E P. HALL, Esq. All Advertisements inserted in the THAT large and commodious HOTEL, That is the palace of Don Ignato de looked up, and I saw that in him there was Wilmington. And choke the vital tides ;* O. G. PARSLEY, EEQ. the HANOVER HOUSE, situated on setri-weekly Commercial, are entitled to one JNO. A. TAYLOR, ESQ.) ARMER PATTOR, ESQ. New York. ALEX. HERRON, JR., ESQ., Philadelphia, MESSRS. WILLIAMS, WEISMAN, & Co.) H. F. BAKER, ESQ. 72.16 And if too soon a friend decays, Corrulla, a noble Castillian, not a Mexi- a change almost as great as her. Pale as ond street opposite the Cape Fear Bank, in nsertion in the Weekly, free of charge. Or dies in agony. can-' the Town of Wilmington will be rented on reason-able terms, from and after the first of October next death-his eyes fixed and strong in their We'll talk of 'God's mysterious ways,' There are Mexican colors flying on his almost maniac glare-his lips bloodless-The Hanover Honse is a new brick building, four sto-And lay it all to Thee. house top cold, big drops of sweat on his palid brow-GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, AND ries high, tin roofed, and built expressly for a Hotel. 73-tf. Sept. 4th, 1847. Its location is one of the best in the town of Wil-mington, and should the person wishing to rent it "Oh, it is only because he is brave, and oh ! who can describe his look. He spoke Give us, to please a morbid taste, HARDWARE, he sides with the Mexicans because he re- not-his eye again fell upon her form than BARRY, BRYANT & Co. In spite of pain and death, desire its enlargement the undersigned is prepared to WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, BY sides amongst them now-but you asked my which a lovier never pressed to the bosom enter into arrangements for that purpose. Consumption strings around the waist, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, For terms, &c., apply by letter or personally to the reason for wishing to spare that house .--- of man. C. W. BRADLEY. Almost to stop the breath. Subscriber at the Journal Office, Wilmington, DAVID FULTON. Hear it. My betrothed Anita de Cornilla, I could stand the scene no longer. I April 4. 9 WILMINGTON, N. C. Then, if infirmity attends March 16. is there ; and oh God ! to what danger is rushed forth and joined my company in-July 10, 1847. Our stinted progeny, she exposed Licutenant do not deny my stantly, sending word to two of G----'s Chronicle copy till forbid. JOHN C. LATTA, MYERS & BARNUM, In visitation to our sins, request-spare that house; think of the mesmates where they might find him, and COMMISSION MERCHANT, We'll lay it all to Thee. MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN agony which I must feel in knowing that begged them to go to his assistance. Fresh Drugs & Medicines. AND GENERAL AGENT. HATS. CAPS, UMBRELLAS, Give us big bustles in the rear, she my love, my very hie, is there protected The next day I sent aboard of his ship WILMINGTON, N. C. 12 DOZEN Congress Spring Water; 50 lbs. Peruvian Bark; 8 dozen Henry's Magnesia; 6 doz. London Mus-tard, half and gr. lbs.; Gum Camphor; AND WALKING-CANES, (We ask it not in fun.) only by walls which crumble at every to inquire after his health, and heard to my Oct. 10, 1847. A thing for corn-field crows to fear, shot " sorrow that he was confined to his bed de-WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, And hens to roost upon. SANDFORD & SMITH, 'I will, and aim elsewhere,' I exclaimed, brious from a fever, and that feeble hopes MARKET STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C. And if we heat the hip and spine, Calcined Magnesia ; Bi Carb Soda ; Cr. for indeed I felt for the poor fellow. AGENTS OF THE were entertained of his recovery. J. M. BARNUM. Partar ; Seidlitz and Soda Powders What matter will it be? C. MYERS. 'Thank you dear Rainrod !' said he, 1 I learned by one of his shipmates that HOPE MUTUAL Fresh Hops; Extract and Oil of Lemon; When sickness follows we can whine Oct. 6, 1847. 85 have been to all the batteries but the mor- G---- had become acquainted with Donna Acetic, Nitric, and Sulphuric Ethersand 194 LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, And lay it all to Thee. Acids; Sp. Ammon. Arom.; Chloride Soda; Dover Powder; Alleppo Seamtar on the extreme left, and at the risk of Anita on a former cruise, that a mutual RICHARD MORRIS, WILMINGTON, N. C. being laughed at, have begged all to spare love had arisen, been confessed by both Give us good houses, large and tall, nony; Strained Honey; Scales and NOTARY PUBLIC, that house, all have promised me to do so, parties, and they were to be united at the Weights, on Stands and common; good To look the cabins down, SANDFORD & SMITH. assortment of Lancets. (Evans' Gen., Imitation do. WILMINGTON, N. C. and if, when we storin that place, I can be close of the war. And servants dodging at our call, Sup. German Silver and Brass Spring do ;) Horn and 126 AGENTS OF THE Jan. 13. first over the walls, and reach the doors be- And this, oh God ! this is tear ! These And shaking at our frown. Glass Cupping Instruments; sup. Spatulas, from 12 inch down; Leather Drinking Cups; Dominoes; Brandreth's Beckwith's and Wistar's Pills. Also, 40 North Carolina Mutual The poor, however worthy they, fore the others. I may yet save her from are the scenes which the pen of history the fearful perils which now environ her " must record of men who live in the nine-We'll treat right scornfully-JOHN HALL, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. gross vials. rose visis. For sale at low prices, at the Drug Store of A. C. EVANS The sixpence pay communion day I hope you may, said I, shuddering as I teenth century of the existence of that re-(LATE OF WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA.) WILMINGTON, N. C. And settle up with Thee. thought of the fearful excesses which must ligion which has peace, love and charity COMMISSION MERCHAN'T, June 26 Sep. 25. 82 inevitably occur if we stormed the town; for its mottoes and emblems. I know, We disdain to toll and sweat, AND AGENT the excesses which the madness of victory reader, that this is a poor train of thought Like girls of vulgar brood ! N. B. HUGHES, Broughton's Confession. and the desire to revenge fallen comrades and an inconsistent one for a soldier; but FOR THE SALE OF NORTH CAROLINA NAVAL STORES COMMISSION MERCHANT UST published, and for sale at the Commercial Of labor give us not a bit, ever leads even well disciplined soldiery were you to see such scenes as these you 33 GRAVIER STREET, For physic, nor for food. AND GENERAL AGENT Office, "Sketches of the Life of JOHN BONDFIELD, to commit would not wonder that I should almost be New Orleans. And if, for want of exercise For the sale of all kinds of Goods, Country Produce alias JOHN BROUGHTON, who was executed for the Again he warmly thanked me and turn- | willing to exchange the sword and uniform January 4, 1847. 12 marder of DE SILVA, on the 21st of May, 1847." We lack the stamina and Real Estate, ed to go to the battery he had not yet vis- for the priest's gown and prayer book. Price 124 cents. July 24 1527. Of those we trample and despise, RALEIGH, N.C. 55 DEROSSET, BROWN & Co., ited I passed along the line of guns and We'll lay it all to Thee. Business entrusted to him shall be promptly and directed my men only to aim at the ene-GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. aithfull, attended to. The Fruits of Equivocation. Refer to the Editor of The Commercial. TO RENT, If any curse we have forgot, my's guns and especially to spare the house WILMINGTON, N. C. FROM the first day of October next, the large four story building, now going up, on the north side of Princess, between Wa-ter and Front Streets. The building is so divided as June, 1847 That on a votary which G---- had pointed out, but what Fashion lets fall, withhold it not, BROWN, DEROSSET & Co., were my feelings, when, in the act of poin-I was married while young to the man But send it grievously. BLANKS GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. ting it out to one of my gunners, I saw in of my choice; and how happily my mar-And if too hard a mill-stone light to make two comfortable private dwellings; but is well located, and can easily be converted into a con-venient boarding house. It centains, including 4 in its place nothing but a cloud of smoke and PRINTED TO ORDER, AT THE 159 FRONT ST. NEW YORK. ried life was, I can hardly bear to think .--For frail humanity, dust. I knew at once that a bomb had COMMERCIAL OFFICE. Mr. Percy was -----; but no matter, I must We'll never blame ourselves a mite, the basement, 20 large and well ventilated rooms. Also, from the same time, Office No. 1., 2. & 3. second story of Murphy's buildings, fronting Water struck it and from the look of things fear-A. MARTIN, Butlay it all to Thee. not venture to give words to my full heart. THOMAS SANDFORD, ed the worst for my young naval friend, es-GENERAL AGENT We lived in London. My husband's pecially when as the dust and smoke set-NOTARY PUBLIC, GILLESPIE & ROEESON. Yes, give us coffee, wine and tea, Street. profession made a city residence almost ne-Aug. 3, 1847. 59 AND tled I saw the flag gone, a large part of the And hot things introduce, cessary, and confined him very close to his WILMINGTON, N. C. Commission Merchant, Murch 25, 1847 wall fallen, and the palace a perfect wreck. The stomach's warm bath, thrice a day, office. But what signified this? There IN STORE NOW! The bomb had been fired by the mortar To weaken and reduce North Water, 2 Doors above Princess Street, are happy hearts, and unspeakable enjoy RED ASH COAL. CIROCERIESbattery which he had failed to reach in i And if, defying nature's laws, ments, in the closest and most crowded (Murphy's Building.) Loaf, Crushed, Powdered and Brown Sugars; Dyspeptic we must be, tune to prevent it. 12 street of a city, and ours was was a happy Domingo, Laguira and Rio Coffee; WILMINGTON, N. C. We scorn to search for human cause I continued on in my duty and a hot ish, Monongahela, and Corn Whiskey; rench, French imitation, and Common Brandy; 81 Lan home Oct. 3. But lay it all to Thee. time, indeed, we had of it. It was almost For ten years after our marriage we had llow, Adamantine, and Sperm Candles 0 painful to see the smoked and sweaty faberin, Whale, Olive, Sweet, and Castor Oils; never left London, except for an occasional J. & W. L. McGARY "The two circulations- the nervous and the sances of our worn-out men, as they toiled on OVISIONSday's recreation. Would that we had never FORWARDING AND COMMISSION guincous ess and Prime Pork . in the work of destruction; it was sickening Beef and Beef Tongues;
 Mulets, and Cod Fish; thought of leaving it. But at that time we М to see here and there a ghastly mass of MERCHANTS, had two children-boys; and I, foolish that From the Star Spangled Banner, AGENTS OF THE MERCHANIS' STEAM BOAT CO. flesh and crushed bones, which, by some ands and Tongues; I was, thought that they were delicate-A Tragic Incident of the Bombard-, huge shot, had been thus transformed from itter, Cheese, and Lard; WLMINGTON, N.C. that they pined for fresh country air. I lot and Navy Bread ; hie and heanty; but soldiers must sicken at ment of Vera Cruz. said so, and urged my husband ; for he too, eta Biscuit: Sola Diseur; Leman, Sugar, Butter and Water Crackers; Canal, Payetteville and Buckwheat Flour; nothing in times like these. ROWLEY, ASHBURNER & CO. I thought, was wearing himself away by $100^{\rm RONDS \ refe \ crop \ Raisins}_{\rm 50 \ hall \ n \ s}$ I saw no more of my young friend G-General Commission Merchants, BY PETER RAMROD, P. F. A. keeping himself so close to his office. I Patatoes and Applas; evet during this time I had thought of him. 1.00 Nos. 5 & 6, South Wilkeves, 50 qr. Pickles, Catsups, Sauces, preserved Fruit; urged him to retreat from business and Lon-Just as I was sighting one of the guns and his deep anxiety, and inwardly praved. Tens of all kinds i SHIP CHANDLERY For sale at HOWARD & PEDEN'S don for a few weeks, and take us all into PHILADELPHIA. of my battery on the first day of attack, 1 that, for his sake as well as for the cause of October 30, 1747. 117-tf the country for a change of air. I had me Condage of all kinds ; heard my name called by one at my side, humanity she was spared. Oh, it was a We are prepared to make liberal advances on ship ver proposed any plan to which Mr. Percy and looking up I saw G-----, a young mid. harrowing thought as we fired these showments of Naval Stores, &c., consigned to us for sale VALUABLE RICE AND TURPENTINE LANDS was not willing to accede; and he now shipman, whose activity and officer like ers of shell and shot amongst them, that Refer to Boiled English and raw Linseed Oil; SAMUEL POTTER Esq. } Wilmington, N.C. FOR SALE. took pains to gratify me He could not Coal Tar ; conduct I had noticed at the time of our the innocent, feeble and helpless were even Illo ks. Susives, Dead Eyes and Jib Links: JOHN GAMMELL, ESq. 5 THE subscribers offer far sale between two and three hundred acres of valuable Rice Lands on Lockwood's Folly river, in Brunswick county. Inleave London entirely, he said, but he would 128-ly. landing, when he had charge of a cutter in more danger than the garrison soldiers January 18 Copper bolt Hod ; look out for a cottage, a few miles in the who stood behind the embrasures, and often which aided in putting us on shore. mediately in the neighborhood of the Lands is a good Composition do country, to which I might take the boys, He seemed very much excited; his dark I fancied, that I could hear the shricks of ELLIAH DICKINSON, stream of water emptying into the Lockwood's river odo: and he would come and see tts as often as eyes were flashed with emotion; his face wounded and dying women; that the pitiful furnishing water power sufficient for watering the Ship Spikes; COMMISSION MERCHANT, was deadly pale, and yet there was some. cries of poor children were borne down up fields and for pounding and threshing the Rice, as well as for a Saw Mill. A part of this land has been Quadrants, Pooks and Charts Senior partner of the late firm of Dickinson & Morris Clothing, Boots and Shues; Well, we went into the country ; I and thing in his look as he stood boldly upon on the breeze. I could almost see them Hardware, Crockery, Earthen and Glass Ware ; Wood and Willow Ware, and sundry other goods, cultivated in Rice and Cotton, and produced equal to my children. It was a pleasant village (at WILMINGTON, N. C. the parapet of my battery, that told me clushed, mangled, dying, dead ! Oh God any land. least I thought it pleasant then) about eight Adjoining to these Lands are between fifteen hun-REFER TO which I offer for sale on accommodating term that it was not fear that paled has cheek save me from ever witnessing the bombard-Messis, B. DeForest & Co., } New York. WILLIAM NEFF. miles from our London home; and two or dred and two thousand acres of first rate Turpentine Though shot and shell came bushing ment of any inhabited city as least, if so, let Nesmith & Walsh, Lands, very convenient to the river, all within three 0et 24 three times a week my husband left busi-E. D. Peters & Co., Boston. through the darkened air, he stood unino- there be none but men within its walls. miles of the sea-shore, and a healthy location. That ness early in the afternoon to spend the whole neightsorhood abounds in good Turpentine Lands. W.M. L. HALL, Means & Clark. Walters & Souder, | Philadelphia. yed like a sea girt tower amid the storia. When the city had capitulated, I entered evening with us, and returned carly the D. B. BAKER. gazing city ward. with the rest who were sent to take formal A. Benson & Co.,) next day Wilmington, July 29, 1847. 58 tf. Oct. 3, 1817. 81-1y-p "What do you want G,' said I, when possession and found the street which led One day-O' I shall never forget that day I heard his voice, and at the same time towards the quay facing the castle where -I received a note from a friend who lived stepping clear of the recoil of my gun, we were directed to march directly past the three or four miles from our cottage, invit-GILLESPIE & ROBESON, the Minning + Minning while the artillery man advanced with his palace which G---- had pointed out as AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF ing me to spend the day with her; that TIMBER, LUMBER, NAVAL STORES, 4match to fire it. that of Don Ignatio de Corrulla. As I friend was the mother of our dear Lucy Encourage Competition. Will make liberal cash advances on all consignments "For Heaven's sake don't fire yet" shou- looked up on the blackened walls I felt a - I determined to go; and after taking of produce. ted he as he sprang from the parapet's front strong anxiety to enter it, and try and find a lunch with my poor boys, I prepared for 1 March 17. and glanced along the right of the gun, out the fate of G---s betrothed, and obthe walk. I preferred walking there, and then setzing a crow, and with the strength tained leave for a few minutes from my my friend had engaged to see me safe home NEW PUBLIC HOUSE, SANDFORD & SMITH. of a Hercules heaved the breach of the captain. I hastily entered through the ruat night in her carriage. I had no expec-WELDON, N. C. AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS, gun to one side, so that the shot that I aim- med arch-way which opened into the courttation that my husband would visit us that ed with care at one of the largest and finest yard, which always centres a spanish built day Indeed I believed it impossible that WILMINGTON, N. C. On the left or west side of the Bail Road looking buildings in the city over which palace, and saw at a glance that G-- he could, as I knew he had an appointment WM. L. RMITH. THOS. BANDFORD, waved the national flag of Mexico, would had been before me in his visit. The basin to keep with some committe that very even-THE SUBSCRIBER, Conductor Uct. 17, 1847. A on the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road, opened this House on m ON of a large fountain was in the mulst, but fly wide of its mark Oct. 21, 1847 93-11. J. HATHAWAY & SON, the 1st January, 1847, especially for the convenience "What mean you by this strange conduct. General Scott had cut off the aqueducts I had given directions to my servant, and and accommodation of the traveling public, and in sir?' said I sternly, not liking this interfer- which had supplied the city fountain and FOR SALE OR RENT, told her that I should not return until fate, but COMMISSION MERCHAN'TS, tends that its furnish and accommodations shall not this was dry By its verge, however on a ence with my orders. had not said whither I was going | and was LARGE AND COMMODIOUS PEW, No. Wait one instant till I have fired, and I broad slab of marble sat G—, and she in leaving the door of our course, when my ull explain?' said he, meanwhile sighting his arms. I paused for an instant as I saw youngest boy (dear little fellow, then not be surpassed by any house in the place. His house 3rd Door North Water Street, Episcopal Church. Apply to WILLIAM HILL, Administrator. is situated about 50 feet from the cars going north, WILMINGTON, N.C. and near the Depot of the Wilmington Road. The will explain?' said he, meanwhile sighting [his arms. I paused for an instant as I saw] liberal share of patronage which he has received, is Oct J. L. HATHAWAY. J. HATHAWAY. the gun. The next moment he snatched him and the beautiful form which he held, evidence that his efforts to please the traveling public quite five years old.) ran up to me and ank 64 Oct. 27,1847. the match from the man who stood near for I thought it indelicate to advance at edhave been appreciated. RANDOLPH SHEETINGS. His Table shall always he supplied with the best tion on his part, and that of his Lady, he hopes for a 3 BALES for sale by continuence of the neuronal transformer of the neuronal sector. Lim, and fired Springing upon the para- that moment, but I could not retreat, and - Mother, where are you going ?" WILLIAM H. MEAD, pet to watch the effect of his shot, I saw it there seemed something so strange in his J. C. LATTA I evaded the question, for I feared the dismount and render useless a gun on the actions that I could not well tear myself boys would wish to go with me if I should GROCER bestowed. enemy's wall which had annoved us very away. He held her still and motionless in mention the name of Mrs. -----, and I had The lovers of good eating; clean and comfortable FRESH DUTCH BULBS. much all the morning. his arms, her long black hair fell in dishevchambers; faithful and obedient servants, will find made up my mind to go alone. Commission Merchant, them at He smiled when he saw my look of grat- elled masses down upon the cold marble Imported per Belgian Barque Vierge Marie. But Willy clung to my hand, and, in his WHITFIELD'S. ONE case superior fresh imported Flower Roots. ification at this unexpectedly successful and over a partly bare and lovely shoulder. winning way, said, " You must not go, mo-RALEIGH, N. C. · ROANOKE HOUSE. from the celebrated Gardens of Messrs, R. VAN Liberal Cas's advances made on Consignments. DER SCHROAT & SODS, Florists, at Hillegon, near Haarlem, Holland. This case comprises, in part--W. T. WHITFIELD, Proprietor. 55 Y Raleigh, Aug. 16, 1847. "Lieutenant forgive me for interfering, were open, still he spoke not, but with a fix-Tulips. Hyacinths, and Crocus, of nearly every variput a question in another way. WELDON, N. C., July 12, 1847. ety; Iris, Narcissus, Anemone, Renunculas, &c., &c. Also Mantel Glasses for the above. Catalogues, giv-ing full descriptions, accompany the case For sale in lats to suit, by JOS. WILKINSON. with your duty, but your gun was aimed ed and strong gaze looked down upon her " Are you going to London to see father?" G. W. DAVIS, P. S.-Supper always ready on the arrival of the at a spot which I had come hither to desire [I slowly advanced, he could have heard Unguardedly, thoughtlesaly, and yet, O. Don't forget WHITFIELD'S ROANOKE COMMISSION MERCHANT. you to spare You see that palace with my footsteps but he raised not his head, he in lots to suit, by JOS: WILKINSON, Market Street, near the Post Office how criminally, I answered, " Yes, yes, to HOUSE. Give mea trial, and you shall not go away the flag flying at which you was aiming?" did not seen to take care whether friend or be sure I am going to London." Little did WILMINGTON, N. C. dissatia July 1847 40.10 (let 11

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