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WILMINGTON, N. C.
HAVE ALWAYS ON HAND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
FAMILY GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, &c.
AND WILL PAY PARTICULAR
Attention to the sale of all kinds of Produce
S. J. CARROLL. C. N. FENNELL.
July 13, 1848.

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MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
CABINET FURNITURE
CHAIRS, BEDSTEADS, WRITING DESKS, MATTRASSES, PAILLASSES, &c.
FRONT STREET, NEAR MARKET,
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GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
March 17, 1848. 1-y.

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GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
159 FRONT ST. NEW YORK.
March 17 1848. 1-y.

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GENERAL AGENT
AND
Commission Merchant,
North Water, 2 Doors above Princess Street,
(Murphy's Building,)
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MERCHANTS,
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ROWLEY, ASHBURNER & CO.
General Commission Merchants,
Nos. 5 & 6, SOUTH WHARVES,
PHILADELPHIA.
We are prepared to make liberal advances on shipments of Naval Stores, &c., consigned to us for sale.
Refer to
Messrs. Hall & Armstrong, Bennett Flanner, George W. Davis. } Wilmington, N. C.
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ELIJAH DICKINSON,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Senior partner of the late firm of Dickinson & Morris
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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E. D. Peters & Co., Means & Clark, } Boston.
Walters & Souder, A. Benson & Co., } Philadelphia.
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AGENT FOR THE SALE OF
TIMBER, LUMBER, NAVAL STORES, &c.
Will make liberal cash advances on all consignments of produce.
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30 Hhds. Clear Sides; 5 hhds. Shoulders; 40 barrels mess Pork, for sale by
HARRISS & RUSSEL.
90-tf.

JOHN HALL,
SHIP AGENT
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
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AND
FIRE INSURANCE
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(SUCCESSORS TO CHARLES D. ELLIS.)
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WILMINGTON, N. C.
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ARMER PATTON, Esq., *New York.*
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(Late of the firm of NEFF & WARNER.)
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
SHIP CHANDLERY, SHIP STORES AND GROCERIES,
CORNER OF DOCK & WATER STREETS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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CASSIDEY, SCHRADER & Co.,
ENGINEERS AND MACHINISTS,
Wilmington N. C.
THE ABOVE FIRM HAVE ERECTED AN EXTENSIVE
Iron and Brass Foundry,
TOGETHER WITH
Machine and Blacksmith Shops,
Where orders for every description of work in their line of business, will be expeditiously and faithfully executed.
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MARTIN & CRONLY,
AUCTIONEERS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND
GENERAL AGENTS
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A LOT of A. B. Allams & Co's. superior No. 1 Ploughs. Just received and for sale, by
McKELLER & McRAE.
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50 BBLS. fine and superfine Flour. For sale at
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MERCHANT TAILORS,
AND DEALERS IN
SUPERIOR
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CORNELIUS MYERS,
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AND DEALER IN
HATS, CAPS, UMBRELLAS AND WALKING CANES, &c.
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AUCTIONEER AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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JAMES T. MORRIS,
Agent or the Sale or Purchase o NEGROES,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 12.

WM. M. HARRIS. EDWARD L. DRAKE.
HARRISS & DRAKE,
General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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" Pillsbury & Sandford.
" Hunting & Tutts, Boston.
" J. & G. P. Titcomb, Kennebunk, Me.
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W. BRANSON:
AGENT FOR THE SALE OF
TIMBER, LUMBER, NAVAL STORES, &c
Nutt's Building, North Water Street
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N. B. HUGHES,
AUCTIONEER
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
RALEIGH, N. C.
Solicits consignments, and will attend to all business entrusted to him, and pledges himself that all consignments and business shall be strictly done in conformity to the wishes of his employers.
REFERENCE.
T. LORING, Esq., Wilmington.
E. W. WILKINS, Esq., Fayetteville.
Aug. 26, 1848. 69-1y.

JOHN D. LOVE,
DEALER IN
CABINET FURNITURE.
BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, MATRASSES, &c,
ROCK SPRING,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Marine and Fire Insurance.
THE Subscriber having received the Agency the
Camden Insurance Company, N. J.
CHARTERED 1832.
WITH A CAPITAL OF $100,000,
or Wilmington and vicinity, will issue Policies on cargoes, freights and vessels out of this port; and also take Fire risks on as reasonable terms as any other Institution. Losses sustained will be promptly and honorably adjusted and paid, and in case of difference the Courts of North Carolina will be acknowleged.
A. MARTIN, *Agt.*
Dec. 14, 1847. 116-1y-c

Twenty Dollars Reward.
I WILL give Twenty Dollars Reward for the lodgement of my man PETER in Wilmington Jail. Peter is about 5 feet 4 inches high, has dark skin, is somewhat broken, and about 50 years of age. He is supposed to be about Wilmington, or on Town Creek.
S. DEWITT, All Saints, S. C.
Oct. 7.

COAL.
50 TONS Red Ashe Coal, broken and screened For sale by
W. L. SMITH.
Oct. 14 90-tf

F. J. LORD & CO.,
Agents for the
NAUTILUS MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE
Accumulated Capital, $130,000.
ALSO FOR THE
LIFE & HEALTH INSURANCE
Capital, $100,000.
Will take risks on lives of Slaves.
Office 23 North Water Street.
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THE CITY HOTEL.
Adjoining the Court House Square
RALEIGH N. C.
HAS been recently thoroughly repaired, and greatly improved by the addition of a large number of pleasant and commodious rooms which are not excelled by any in the City. The table always furnished with the best that can be procured, and the charges are as reasonable as can be afforded.—The stables are in good order, well furnished with provender, and attended by careful and experienced Ostlers.
Mrs. Lawrence would therefore respectfully invite the attention of the members of the approaching legislature and the travelling people to the advantages presented by this establishment.
Raleigh, Sept. 12 1848. 76-1y-w-t.

BROWN SALT
100 SACKS Liverpool Brown Salt, now landing from Schr. Charles Mary. For sale in lots to suit by
R. W. BROWN.
Oct. 10. 10.

New Family Grocery.
South side of Market St. 1st door West of Second St
THE undersigned have formed a Co-partnership under the name of
MORSE & YOPP,
for the transaction of a general *Wholesale and Retail* Grocery business, and would respectfully invite the attention of their friends and the public generally, to their assortment of GROCERIES, which have been judiciously selected in New York, by one of the firm, expressly for this market. Their stock embraces every thing usually found in a Family Grocery Store, which they will sell on as good terms as any other house in Wilmington. They only ask the trade that by keeping GOOD ARTICLES and selling low they can recommend to receive a liberal share of public patronage.
C. C. MORSE
W. JOHN YOPP.
Oct. 12. 89-1m.

GRAIN STORE
Received per W. L. Jones.
100 BUSHELS Corn & Rye;
25 bush. Seed Wheat;
ALSO IN STORE.
175 bales superior Wheat Straw Hay;
North Carolina Corn;
Cow Peas at 75 and 50c per bush;
Fresh ground Hominy and Meal;
Fayetteville and Canal Flour;
Oats at 37½ cents per bushel,
Cow feed Oats. do. do. For sale by
ELLIS & MITCHELL.
Oct. 14. 0

LIVERPOOL SALT.
360 SACKS Stoving 100 Sacks fine or blown For sale by
R. W. BROWN.
Oct. 21 93-tf.

SHIP CHANDLERY
MASTERS of Vessels will find Chandlery, Spirits &c. For Sale by
HOWARD & PEDEN.
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100 SACKS Salt. For sale by
HOWARD & PEDEN.
Oct. 11. 90

NOTICE.
THE subscribers have this day entered into Co-partnership under the firm of MARTIN & CRONLY for the transaction of a General Auction Commission and Agency business, at the late stand of Chas. Gray & Jones.
A. MARTIN
M. CRONLY
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10,000 Cords Pine Wood.
PROPOSALS will be received until 1st November next, for the delivery of ten thousand cords Pine wood for the Steam Boats of the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road Company. To be delivered during the year 1849, on board the Steamboats or at the wharves as may be required.
Bidders will please state the kind of pine, distance living and the price of each.
JNO. A. TAYLOR, Sup't.
Sept. 12.

Fine Set of Teeth for 25 Cents.
Waite Teeth, Fowl Breath, Healthy Gums.
Yellow and unhealthy teeth, are rendered white and pearly by using once or twice cleaned with
JONES' AMBER TOOTH PASTE
Gives the appearance of the most beautiful Ivory, and at the same time it is so perfectly innocent and exquisitely fine, that its constant use is highly advantageous, even to those whose teeth are in good condition, preserving them in health and purity, and preventing a premature decay. Tartar, the great enemy to teeth, it prevents from becoming worse. In all cases such as are becoming loose, and by perseverance it will render the most decayed teeth delicately white and make the breath deliciously sweet.
PRICE 25 OR 37½ CENTS A BOX.
Sold in Wilmington, by Lippitt & Willkings.

MOLASSES
50 HHDS Superior retailing Molasses. For sale by
BARRY BRYANT & Co.
September 12, 1848. 76,

NOTICE
THE subscriber has this day entered into a Co-partnership with R. J. Jones, for the purpose of carrying on the Boot and Shoe business in all its branches, at his old stand in Market street, under the firm of GRAY & JONES.
All persons indebted to me, either by note or account, will please call and settle, as the old business must be closed up.
CHAS. GRAY.
Wilmington, Aug. 16th, (29th.) 70 tf.

TAYLOR SONG.

By a Lady Quaker of Pennsylvania.

Zach, the brave—the honest-hearted!
These our rallying words shall be;
See the doubting truth has started,
From the mountains to the sea.
Unfurl our banners to the breeze;
'Tis like the Hero's story;
Its azure hue an emblem true,
Its star bright as his glory.

Come gather, then, ye noble men,
From every State and station;
Reward our chief, and, *faction-free,*
We'll prove a happy nation.
Unfurl our banner, &c.

Then swell the songs in triumph
For Columbia's noble son;
'The battle now we'll wage for him
'Till victory be won.
Unfurl our banner, &c.

'Tis not *La Palma's* well-fought day,
Nor *Buena Vista* nobly won,
Nor bolder feats at Monterey.
That warm us to Virginia's son.
Unfurl our banner, &c.

'Tis more: he fearless acts his part,
And thus his worth we prize;
We love the goodness of his heart,
His deeds without disguise.
Unfurl our banner, &c.

Come gallant Whigs—a noble band!—
With purpose true and steady;
Record your votes, and then hurrah
For Fillmore, "Rough and Ready!"
Then fling their banner to the breeze;
Their deeds will live in story;
Its azure hue their emblem true;
Its stars bright as their glory.

A. L. B.

From the Republican Banner.

Parody on the Quarrel of Brutus and Cassius.

By W. P. M.

SCENE—Tammany Hall—Enter Lewis Cass and Martin Van Buren.

Cass.—That you have wronged me doth appear in this.
You have condemned the Baltimore Convention
For making me the party nominee:
Wherein your friends could all have had a voice.
But now complain that you were slighted off;
For which you've I red sedition in our ranks.
Van.—You wrong'd yourself, to get the nomination,
By bartering your honor for the post.
Cass.—To touch my honor's too unkind a cut;
A little finesse, I agree, I used—but,
In such a case as this, it is not meet
That every nice offence should bear this comment.
Van.—Let me tell you, Lewis, 'tis no small offence;
You are much condemned for practising such intrigue;
To sell and mart your principles for place,
To those bold Southern men.
Cass. I intrigue for place?
You know that you are Matty that speak this,
Or, by the gods, this speech were else your last.
Van.—The game of Cass is steep'd in this corruption,
And condign punishment awaits such sin.
Cass.—Chastisement?
Van.—Remember, Cass, your *free soil* vows remember,
Did not great Johnson teach us sterner virtue?
What traitor treads his footsteps that shall do
Aught so base as this? Shall one of us,
That apes the foremost man of all this world,
Contaminate our names by such disgrace,
And sell the mighty space of our large honors,
To obtain thereby political promotion?
I'd rather be a dog, and bay the moon,
Than such a Loco
Cass. Martin, bay not me.
I'll not endure it; you forget yourself
To hedge me in. What have you not done
To win this very prize for which I strive?
"A northern man with Southern principles,"
Was the fictitious motto which you bore,
And under which you won. 'Twas your success
That strings my hope for a like victory.
Besides I am a soldier—sensitive to insult—
A warrior by trade—abler than yourself
To make conditions.
Van.—*[Placing his thumb on his nose and working his fingers.]*
Indeed a warrior! as a most valiant knight!
Don't break another sword now, in this fight.
Cass.—O gods! aye gods!—must I endure all this?
Van.—All this? aye more; fret till your false heart breaks.
Go show those Southern men how choleric you are,
And make those *negroes* tremble. Frighten me
With your vain boasting? By the gods!
You shall digest the venom of your spleen
Tho' it do split you; and from this day forth,
I'll use for mirth—yea, for my laughter,
When you grow valorous.
Cass.—And have I come to this?
Van.—You say you are a warrior by trade;
And talk as familiarly of swallowing Mexico
As boys of thirteen would a tempting cherry.
Where sleep your dead? What fields attest your fame?
Your vaunting has no terror, sir, for me;
For I regard you but a harmless soldier,
Although a statesman most belligerent.
Your nerves, friend Lewis, were not framed to bear
The "*noise and confusion*" of the din of war.
Cass.—You wrong me, Martin; you wrong me every way;
Remember we are Locofocos of our school;
Why, then, should we devour each other so?
You know I was a soldier under Hull—
Tho' I meant not disparagement of you.
Van.—If you did I care not.
Cass.—While Jackson liv'd you durst not thus have done.
Van.—I durst not?
Cass.—For your life durst not.
Van.—Is it denied that Jackson did command,
That in this self-same year of forty-eight,
The *unterrified*, with one mighty voice
Should, to a man, around my standard rally,
And make me President?
Cass.—The prescience of old Hickory never scann'd
The foul extent of treachery to which
His Matty's heart was subject, when, in kindness,
He issued that command.
Van. You talk of treachery!
A very Janus, from your Federal crib,
Wherein have I betrayed my trusting friends,
As you have your Wilmot confederates?
When have I trim'd my sails for every wind,
That such a man as *Jimmy Polk* could raise,
And truckling, cring'd to power for reward?
Or, when have I the public coffers filched
Of *extra* gold for services not done?
By heaven, I had rather coin my heart
And drop my blood for drachms, than to be found
Swindling my country's treasury of its dollars
By any indirection. When Martin Van
Grows thus debas'd, unmanly, vile, corrupt,
To play the traitor, and defraud the state,
Be ready gods with all your thunderbolts,
Dash him to pieces!
Cass. Come Van,
A friend should bear a friend's infirmities,
And brother Locos should be wondrous kind.
But you make my faults even worse than they are—
A friendly eye should never see such faults.
Van.—A party hack of James K. Polk's would not
Tho' they should tower as high as huge Olympus.
Cass.—O Van! you love me not
Van.—I do not love this truckling to the South.
Cass.—Well now, good fellow, I did not outright.
Surrender up the point to Nicholson,
But only said a *vague impression* had I,
That such a change was working on my mind.
Had you observ'd how cutely that was said?
I still, at heart, aim with you free soil men,
But 'tis not meet the South should know this fact;
And surely your connivance I may claim!
Van.—Nothing from me, sir, may you beg or claim,
But detestation and supreme contempt!
Cass.—Then come Old Zack and Mr. Fillmore come,
Revenge yourselves alone on Lewis Cass,
For Lewis is a weary of the world;
Hated by one he loves—brav'd by his brother—
Checked in his designs—all his faults exposed—
Set in a note book, learn'd and con'd by rote;
To cast into my teeth. O! I could weep
My spirit from mine eyes! Hath Lewis liv'd
To be but mirth and laughter to his friends?
And then that *broken sword* I'm taunted with,
O that was the unkindest cut of all!
Would that I'd plung'd it in this naked breast,
Instead of striking that old lifeless stump.
Van Come now, no tears—
I have no anger for a soul so servile.
O Lewis, you are yok'd with a spirit
That carries courage, as the flint bears fire;
Which, much enforc'd, shows a hasty spark,
And straight is cold again. But since you do
Confess so much, I will wink at your crimes.
Give me your hand:
Cass.—And my heart too—*[weeping.]* O Martin!
Van.—What's the matter?
Cass.—Have you not love enough to bear with me
When these vile tricks which Locofocoism makes me do
Lead me astray?
Van. Yes, Lewis, sure I have!
For well I know the exactions it demands.
I've threaded all its devious windings through.
You are but following in my footsteps now;
So as you're twisting through your evolutions,
I'll remember it is Locofocoism, and leave you so.

Lebanon, Sept. 1848. *[Curtain Falls.*

MRS SCRUGGINS' ADVICE TO A YOUNG WIDOW.

"You can't think, my dear Mrs. Jones," said Mrs. Scruggins the other day to a fellow boarder, "how dreadful afflicted I was to hear of the dyin' of poor, dear husband, Mr William Jones. I felt like one of our family had gone; such a honest, livin', affectionate, good-natured soul, he was, too! I allays took a great hanow to him, arter you told me that he never failed givin' you money when you wanted it, which instortunately, isn't a fashin' with the lords in gineral, exceptin' when they marry rich femnines, and then they have to be reminded of the sarcumstance pretty often. My dear gone Mr Scruggins was very partic'lar about givin' me money, and never would refuse me 'ceptin' on some partic'lar 'occasions—when he hadn't it, for instance, and then I couldn't blame him much, you know. Well, as I was a sayin', your husband is gone, and it's no known when you'll git another, for I've found, by dredful experience, that the lords are excessive 'fraid of the widders, 'ceptin', indeed they're rich, and you know you ain't partic'lar troubled that 'ere way. Don't think I want to make you feel bad, my dear; there's no tellin' what'll happen, and you may be blessed with anuther lord some of these days, if you set your cap right; and that's what I want to give you some advice about.

"Femmines that hasn't been married, and widders that has, are situated oppositely to each other in matters reverential to matermony; the lords don't look at 'em in the same way, and the widders has to mind their hint's, or else they don't get married very soon agin, and I am a livin' example of the fact. I've been a widder jist two