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MEDICINE OF GREAT MERIT AND VIRTUE IS FULLY AND PERMANENTLY ESTABLISHED,

AND IT IS THE GREAT Family Medicine of the Age.

TAKEN INTERNALLY, IT CURES Dysentery, Cholera,

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TAKEN EXTERNALLY, IT CURES Boils, Felons, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, and Scalds, Old Sores, Sprains, Swelling of Joints, Toothache, Pain in the Face, Neuralgia, and Rheumatism, Frayed Feet, &c., &c., &c.

Pain is supposed to be the lot of our mortal as inevitable as death, and liable at any time to come upon us. Therefore it is important that remedial agents should be at hand to be used on an emergency, when we are made to feel the excruciating agonies of pain, or the depressing influence of diseases.

Such a remedial agent exists in PERRY DAVIS' Pain-Killer, the fame of which has extended over all the earth. And by it, suffering humanity has found relief from many of its ills. The effect of the Pain-Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cold, Cough, Hoarse Complaints, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and has won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain, more extensive remedy, in cases of burns, scalds, sprains, cuts, stings of insects, and other causes of suffering, has secured for it the most prominent position among the Medicines of the Day.

The millions of bottles of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer which are sold every year should be sufficient proof of its efficacy to convince the most skeptical. Thousands of unolicited certificates have been received, and the millions who have used it speak alike in its favor. Sold by all druggists.

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**ARE NOW RECEIVING AND OPENING** at the stand formerly occupied by **MERONEY & BRO.**, a new and splendid stock of Staple & Fancy Dry Goods.

### BOOTS, SHOES, LEATHER.

Groceries, Hardware,

AND A GOOD STOCK OF

### WINTER CLOTHING.

to all of which we would most respectfully invite the attention of buyers. Having bought our goods for cash, we confidently believe that we can sell as cheap as anybody.

Give us a call, we ask nothing for showing our Goods.

All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange. Oct 12-2m.

### DR. EDWARD SILL, Commission Merchant, COLUMBIA, S. C.

**BEGS TO INFORM HIS MANY OLD Friends** in Rowan, Cabarrus, Iredell, Davie and the adjoining counties in the Old North State, (which as ever, he is proud to call the land of his birth,) that he is still in Columbia; and although he has been dreadfully scourged by the casualties of the late war, he will be happy to serve them in the capacity of a Commission Merchant, in the sale of any of the commodities which, such as Flour, Bacon, Lard, Butter, Corn, Whisky, Cotton, Yarn, Tobacco, etc., which they may be pleased to entrust to his care.

Any information as to the state of the market, either in selling or buying, will be cheerfully and promptly given. EDWARD SILL, Oct 25, 1866. tw-if

**DISOLUTION.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP** heretofore existing between LEWIS HANES and JOHN S. HAMPTON, under the name and style of HANES & HAMPTON, Publishers and Proprietors of the Old North State, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. By the terms of dissolution all the credits of the partnership are to be paid to the surviving partner, LEWIS HANES, who is authorized to sign in liquidation of the same.

LEWIS HANES, JOHN S. HAMPTON. November, 9th, 1866. 3k

**DISOLUTION.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP** heretofore existing in the town of Salisbury between W. C. ROBERTS, W. C. PORTER, and A. P. ECKLE, and the firm of W. C. ROBERTS & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. By the terms of dissolution, all the rights and credits of the late firm of W. C. ROBERTS & CO., pass to the new firm of ROBERTS & CO., who are also authorized to sign in liquidation.

W. C. ROBERTS, W. C. PORTER, A. P. ECKLE. Nov. 14th, 1866.

The Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to the citizens of this place and the surrounding country for the kind liberality with which they have patronized the late firm of W. C. ROBERTS & CO., and most respectfully solicits a continuance of the same to the new firm of ROBERTS & CO. Mr. Charles M. Brown, so well and favorably known in this community as a druggist, will be the principle clerk in the new establishment.

W. C. ROBERTS, Salisbury, N. C., Nov. 17, 1866. wltw-1v

**Blackburn & Holder, PUMP MAKERS.**

TENDER THEIR SERVICES TO THE CITIZENS of Salisbury and the surrounding country. They have had much experience in the business, and will promptly execute all orders sent to them in the most satisfactory manner. Give them a trial. Address,

BLACKBURN & HOLDER, Commissioners N. C. or Salem sep 11-

**\$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS** wanted for our country new articles, just out. Address O. T. GAREY, City Building, Biddleford, Me. may 29-4dcw 5m

**OFFICE TO SETTLE.—THE NOTES** and accounts, and claims of the firm of Brown, Coffin & Mock are in the hands of Luke Blackburn, Esq., for collection and as we are in great need of money we hope our friends will call upon Mr. Blackburn promptly and make a settlement. His office is in the court house.

JOHN D. BROWN, J. M. COFFIN, A. J. MOCK. Salisbury, Oct. 26, 1866. tw-if

**NOTICE TO SETTLE.**

All of the Notes and Accounts belonging to the firm of BROWN, COFFIN & MOCK, are in my hands for collection, and all parties indebted to the firm will please call on me, at my office, and settle.

LUKE BLACKBURN. Oct. 27, 66. tw-if

**To Rent.—THE DWELLING HOUSE** lately occupied by James B. Beard, Esq., is for Rent. D. A. DAVIS. Oct. 29, 1866. tw-2r.

**Notice.—THE PROPERTY IN THIS** place occupied by the Branch Bank of Cape Fear is for sale. Persons wishing to purchase will please call on the undersigned on the premises. D. A. DAVIS, Cashier. Salisbury, Oct. 29, 1866. tw-4r.

**COMPTABLE WARRANTS** For Sale at the North State Office.

### NEW ENGLISH LAW & EQUITY REPORTS.

**THE ENGLISH COMMON LAW REPORTS** having increased to such an extent as to be a serious item of expenditure to the younger members of the Profession, the publishers propose continuing that with the current Reports, and issuing in its place the series recently commenced in England under the superintendence of the "Council of Law Reporting."

The work will be issued in two series, Law Reports, and Equity Reports, and will be published in monthly volumes, and as to bind into separate yearly volumes for the Queen's Bench Reports, Common Bench Reports, Exchequer Reports, and one volume for the courts of Probate, Divorce, Matrimonial causes and admiralty. The reports of the court of criminal appeal will be pagged and indexed separately, so as to bind into a volume when of sufficient bulk. The equity series will be pagged and indexed so as to bind into one volume for the court of appeal.

The decision of the Master of the Rolls and the three Vice-Chancellors (being Judges of co-ordinate authority) will be pagged together and separated into as many volumes as may be found convenient, and each volume separately indexed, not exceeding, probably, two volumes a year.

The two series will make about seven complete volumes per annum.

T. & J. W. JOHNSON & CO. Law Bookellers & Publishers, No. 535 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Oct. 13, 1866.

**Valuable Land for Sale, PURSUANT TO A DECREE BY THE** Court of Equity for the county of Iredell, at Fall Term 1866, I will sell at the Court House in Statesville, on Tuesday, the 29th of November next, (court week,) the following tracts of land, viz:

**100 ACRES,** belonging to the estate of Col. Milton Campbell, dec'd on the waters of Fourth Creek, well improved. Also, 15 acres near the same wood land. Also, 170 acres in the County of Alexander, known as the Freedman Campbell place, upon a credit of one and two years.

Also, at the same time and place, two other tracts of 411 acres each, belonging to the heirs of Wm C Johnson, on the waters of Candler Creek, in the southern part of Iredell county, to be sold on a credit of 12 months. Also,

**200 Acres,** belonging to the Estate of Jesse Cummings, upon a credit of 6 months, with interest from date.

Witness, John H. McLaughlin, Clerk and Master in Equity, at office, 22d October A. D. 1866. JOHN H. McLAUGHLIN, C. M. E. Oct 23, 66—(for fee \$40)

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SELL on Commission Cotton Yarns, Sheetings, Bacon, Flour, Lard, Dried Fruits, Whiskey, Brandy, and all kinds of country produce.

They also keep constantly on hand for sale, Plows, Hoes, Axes, Shovels, Spades, Corn Shellers, and all kinds of Agricultural Implements, Hardware, Tin Ware, and groceries of every description.

They respectfully solicit consignments from Farmers and others, in the western part of the State, and pledge themselves to give their best attention to all orders and consignments entrusted to them.

Reg. to refer to McCubbin, Foster & Co., Salisbury, Tod. R. Caldwell, Pres't., N. C. R. R. Morganston, J. A. Roseboro, Statesville. April 1, 66. no 1f

**VALUABLE PLANTATION for Sale.**—For sale a Valuable Plantation lying on the Yadkin River in Davidson County, between miles North-west from Lexington, and fourteen miles South-west from Salem, contains about 350 acres of land. This is a very valuable and desirable farm, lying immediately on the river which bounds it on the South side for nearly one mile, and contains about 60 acres of excellent bottom, besides a quantity of the best upland in a good state of cultivation. There is also on the place one of the best WATER POWERS to be met with on the Yadkin river, below the Bear Shoals. The improvements are good.

For further particulars address the editor of the Old North State, Salisbury, N. C. oct 16-1f

**VALUABLE PLANTATION AND**

**FLOURING MILL to Rent.** AS AGENT OF COL. GEO. T. BARNES. I wish to rent For Cash, the plantation and mill owned by the late Dr. Saml. Kerr. The plantation has about

**1000 Acres of open land,** in a high state of cultivation and is well adapted to the raising of Cotton, Tobacco, Wheat and Corn, and is one of the most desirable places for cultivation in the county. The dwelling house is large and commodious, surrounded by one of the most beautiful and ornamental gardens in the county.

The mill has three sets of stones and is a superior mill in every respect, having a large custom and plenty of water. Parties wishing to obtain further information can do so by calling on me in Salisbury, or on Lieut. Warden on the premises.

LUKE BLACKBURN, Agent. Sep. 20, 1866. tw-if

**Furniture Rooms!** [Corner of Main & Council Sts.] SALISBURY, N. C.

THIS SUBSCRIBER HAS OPENED IN THIS CITY A SET OF

**SUPERIOR FURNITURE** CONSISTING OF Bureaus, Wardrobes, China Presses, Wash-Stands, Chairs, Tables, Cribs, &c.

We will keep hand or make to order at short notice anything in the Furniture line, and upon reasonable terms. We have now in store an excellent quality of REDSTEADTS, which are well adapted for use in the country. COFFINS of every description kept on hand and ready to order.

We respectfully solicit your consignments and orders. July 29, 1866. tw-2m.

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We are prepared to sell at Manufacturer's prices, deliverable in Richmond or Petersburg, the celebrated

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**STONE, WILSON & FOSTER,** Wholesale Grocers & Com. Merchants, Oct 6-1v 2m-1f

**WHOLESALE Importing Hardware House, Richmond, Va.**

WE HAVE NOW TO HAND ONE OF THE largest and most complete stocks of English, German and American Hardware, Cutlery, Guns, Boiling, Rope, Bolting Cloths, &c., &c., to be found in any store in this country, to which we take pleasure in calling the attention of the merchants of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, as we are prepared to do as well for them as any house in the trade.

W. S. DORRICK, W. S. DONNAN & CO. JOHN ADAMS, Sept. 4, 1866. tw-2m

**BURRESS, Powers & Yancey, 1308 MAIN STREET, Richmond Va.**

**Importers of White Goods, Fancy Goods and Notions.**

TO THE MERCHANTS OF VIRGINIA North Carolina and Tennessee, we are prepared to offer every inducement.

Our stock will be kept full and complete throughout the season. An examination is invited.

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### RICHMOND (VA.) ADVERTS.

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RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION

of the Merchants of this State to the fact that we have just received from Northern markets, and are now offering at a low price as any market, with only freight from Northern markets added.

Consignments of the products of North Carolina solicited. Orders faithfully executed.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 1st, 1866. tw-2mpd.

**MALL & HUTCHISON, Notions at Wholesale, No. 1217 Main above 13th Street, Richmond, Va.**

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**C. A. Baldwin, Beah & Co., WHOLESALE Boot, Shoe and Hat House NO. 19, PEARL STREET, RICHMOND, VA.**

OUR PURCHASES BEING MADE OF THE MANUFACTURER, we pledge ourselves to furnish

**COUNTRY MERCHANTS,** and the trade generally, low as they can be had here or in any of the Northern markets.

We sell no goods at Retail. C. A. B., B. & CO. Sept. 1, 1866. tw-2m

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### GENERAL NEWS.

**KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.**—On yesterday morning this association, forty-five strong, proceeded by the way of Fredericksburg to Baltimore, to assist their brother Knights of the Monumental city in laying the cornerstone of the great temple. They expect to have a good time, and return on Thursday next. While standing at the foot of Africa's sons remark "dat dat was de greatest demonstration he ever seed." We suppose that he had been disgusted with drilling, and on last Saturday night had betaken himself to studying his dictionary.—Rich. Whig.

Those keeping horses should, twice a week throw in a handful of each of salt and ashes. Mix them by putting in three parts of salt to one of ashes. Horses relish this, and it will keep their hair soft and fine. It will prevent bots, colic, &c. A little ground sulphur mixed with salt and ashes and given once in two or three weeks, is also beneficial. All domestic animals will thus be benefited.

Every family may make its own vinegar. The Maine Farmer publishes the receipt for making it, furnished by a lady. She took the parings and cores of apples, poured on boiling water, with a little molasses and yeast, put all in a large stone jar and kept it where it was moderately warm. In three weeks it was good, sharp vinegar.

Recently, in Wisconsin, a bear and an Indian were found in each other's embrace. The Indian stabbed the bear, and the bear broke the Indian's head.

A French Bishop, in a sermon, recently administered a philippic to crinolene wearers: "Let woman beware," said he, "while putting on their profusive and expensive attire, how narrow are the gates of Paradise."

Mrs. Snyder says Snyder's excuse for being out all night, that he was waiting to see the meteoric shower, would be more plausible if his clothes didn't smell so strong of cigar smoke and he wasn't troubled with hiccups.

There will be a great deficiency in Tennessee pork this winter, the cholera having swept off the live stock to an alarming extent. As pork is one of the principal commodities of this State, the deficiency will be greatly felt.

Mrs. Ford, of Monroe county, Kentucky, gave birth of five days since to three children, all boys, weighing seven and a half pounds each. All are living and healthy. Names—George D. Prentice, Robert E. Lee, and Jefferson Davis.

The man who has been most liberal to the poor of London is not an Englishman, but an American; and the man who proposes to spend \$5,000,000 for the poor of New York is not an American, but a Scotchman.

Marquis de Montholon, the present French Minister at Washington, has been recalled, and M. Berthemy, lately the French Minister to China, succeeds him.

A woman in Wheeling cut the throat of her new born babe the other day. It is becoming absolutely dangerous, in many parts of the country, for children to have parents.

President Johnson is said to have assured Mrs. Jacob Thompson that her husband is at liberty to return to this country.

ASSISTANT BISHOP CUMMINS.—It has already been stated that the Rev. Dr. Geo. B. Cummins was last week consecrated as Assistant Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Kentucky. The Louisville Journal says: Dr. George B. Cummins was born at Smyrna, Delaware, about 1825 or 1826. He was first a licentiate of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and afterwards began his ministry in the Protestant Episcopal Church at Norfolk, Va. Afterwards he was called to Richmond, then to Washington and Baltimore, and lastly to Trinity Church, Chicago. He is said to be a man of fine administrative ability, and high hopes are entertained that by his consecration as ASSISTANT BISHOP of this Diocese his interests will be greatly advanced, Rev. Dr. B. Smith, the present Bishop of Kentucky, will still remain bishop of the diocese, while Dr. Cummins will be his assistant.

A Paris journal states that M. Greecer a composer and pianist known in N. York and Boston, has set the American Constitution to music. This strange oratorium was lately performed before a selected audience, and though it lasted for several hours, it was received with enthusiastic approval. The critics compare Greecer favorably with Mozart and Rossini.

Mrs. Mary Sick, a resident of Harrison Township, Boone county, Indiana, died last week at the advanced age of one hundred and six years. She was, no doubt the oldest citizen of the State of Indiana.

### Maryland a Mediator between the North and the South.

A Washington letter says that "for many reasons a plan is being considered in Maryland bearing upon the constitutional amendment question, in which that State is to figure as a mediator between the North and the South. The Baltimore delegation to the Legislature have had private meetings and passed resolutions requesting the Governor to call upon this question."

Memphis, Nov. 17.—In the Presbyterian General Assembly to-day the reports of the Committees on Foreign Missions and Education was read and received. After this the discussion of the revised book of discipline was taken up. A long and animated debate was held upon that section which defines the relation of baptized children to the discipline of the Church. The debate was opened by the Rev. Arnold W. Miller, North Carolina, in opposition to the proposed change. He was followed by Rev. Dr. Adger, of South Carolina, and the Rev. Dr. Baird of Virginia, in favor of the amendment, and the Rev. Dr. Rice, of Alabama, in opposition.

Rev. Dr. Palmer, New Orleans, had the floor at the hour of adjournment.

Boston, Nov. 17, 1866.—A brutal and outrageous assault was committed last Friday forenoon on the person of the wife of Rev. David A. Wasson, residing on Spring Hill, Somerville, by a colored man, who is supposed to be one James Robertson, who has been hanging around that vicinity and Cambridge for the past few days. The black villain entered the house about ten o'clock, and finding the lady alone, made a foul proposal to her, accompanying it with threats of personal violence, and even death, if she did not submit. In addition to her entreaties to be spared from his brutish passion she held out a sum of money, which he finally took, and also a pistol which struck his fancy; but after receiving these, in spite of her struggles and entreaties, he accomplished his foul purpose and hastily left, and to this time has not been arrested.

MEMBERS of the communion baskets of St. Michael's Church, and requested the sacriligious wretch to return them, more on account of their associations than for their intrinsic value. No truth has been proved so plainly as that conscience makes cowards of us all; for the thief, fearing the evil consequences of his deed, took advantage of the time and deposited the baskets in the vestry room Saturday night, while the workmen were busy on the interior of the church. We are requested to thank the individual for his disinterested kindness, and assure him that the restoration is appreciated, as the baskets were mementoes of a peculiar nature. The church was kept open rather late that evening, and the thief must have watched his opportunity, as the vestry room was unoccupied for only a few minutes.

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 19.—Phoenix Hall the only theatre in this city, was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The building was insured for eight or nine thousand dollars in the Metropolitan office, New York, which covers only about half the loss. Harry MacArthur closed an engagement at the Hall last night. His company lost all their wardrobe. The fire was accidental.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—A fire occurred here this morning which destroyed eight stores on Lake and South Water streets, involving a loss of \$450,000, upon which the insurance is \$236,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The Legislature of Vermont has passed a bill making habitual drunkenness for a period of two years, a sufficient cause for divorce.

**Extraordinary Answers.**

A deaf and dumb pupil of Abbe Sicord gave the following extraordinary answers: "What is gratitude?" "Gratitude is the memory of the heart." "What is hope?" "Hope is the blossom of happiness." "What is the difference between hope and desire?" "Desire is a tree in leaf, hope is a tree