

HARGRAVE & CO.

THE CHAMPION LEADERS OF LOW PRICES!

CLOTHING.

In this line we are showing more novelties than our patrons and the people expected to behold!

SUITS FOR THE STOUT MAN, SUITS FOR THE SLIM MAN, SUITS FOR THE EXTRA SIZE MAN.

Our line of Young Men and Youths Suits are beauties. In Schools and childrens Suits we are very strong. This Department is filled with the latest novelties. An elegant line of men's Wide-wall and Cork-screw Suits in Sacks; one, three and four button cutaway; single and double-breasted Prince Alberts, bound and unbound, with and without Satin facing. The finest line of pants ever brought to this market.

OVERCOATS

In light weights, heavy Chinilla in Blues, Blacks and Browns, with or without Satin lining. A good line of 3-orm Ulsters.

Take into consideration the fact that our goods are better made, better trimmed, and superior, as to style and fit, to the general get up ready-made clothing. Look us over, compare our clothing with other dealers, look at the inside as well as the outside, examine the sewing, try the strength of the stitches, see if the buttons are only tacked on or thoroughly adjusted. Look at the quality of the material, and the trimming also. Look at the difference in price for our strictly first-class clothing, compared with the general assortments about Town. This done we are dead sure that your impartial judgment will be in favor of selecting your Winter supply from the superb showing of

HARGRAVE & CO.

Gents Furnishings.

We have always had the satisfaction of knowing that in this line our stock is up to the average Haberdasher of the city. Our standard shirt, The Pearl, is too well known in this section to need any remarks from us. We can give you in The Pearl Shirt any length sleeve you wish, in all sizes. Our seventy-five, sixty-five, fifty and forty cent shirt can not be beat. A large line of patent bleached jeans Drawers in all sizes, all made up with the welt seams and halbrigon sock bottoms, and perfect fitting in every particular. Our Merino wool, and Camel Hair, in Shirts and Drawers, is a line that would do credit to a City. We handle Earl & Wilson Collars and Cuffs, which are known as THE BEST. In Scarfs and Puffs we have bought an unusually large and attractive line in all the new and correct shapes. A first class line of half Hose. Our line of Domee and negligee Shirts are very pretty this season, especial attention being paid to their cut and make. A beautiful line of Windsor Ties to be worn with these shirts. Do not fail to examine our very large line of Handkerchiefs and Mufflers in silk and linen. Also a beautiful line of Cashmere Mufflers. All of the patterns in these goods are the latest and very new. A complete line of Gents Gloves in Kid and Dog Skin, dressed and undressed. A good line of Gents Thread Gloves. All for much less money than you can buy the same quality from dealers who carry a general stock. Be sure you call on

HARGRAVE & CO.

STEAM ENGINE CLOTHIERS OF THE NEW WORLD!

We are warming up for the Fall and Winter season, full of Clothing, Shoes and Hats for Big and Little Folks.

Full of activity and anxiety to please the masses. Stirring up competition with the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices.

Showing Stupendous Bargains in every department. Naming Prices that surprise the shrewdest buyers. No staggering along the busy highway with footsteps clogged by the curse of credit.

CASH! CASH! CASH!

Whether buying or selling is the lubricating liquid that makes the Wheels of business hum. No rusting out an existence at HARGROVE & CO.'S, where good Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gent's Furnishings, Low Prices, Square

Dealing, polite attention, the One Price System, and the privilege of obtaining the purchase money are guaranteed to one and all.

READ! READ! READ!

OUR WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS! Full of Business, Full of Snap, Full of Truth. Do not pass this over as you would the average advertisement of a man who wants to have a BIG talk over a SMALL stock, but stop and reason for a few moments and ask yourselves a few questions: Have HARGRAVE & CO ever advertised Goods they did not have? Have they always sold to every customer at the same price? Have they ever refused to exchange their goods or refund you your money? Have they always been courteous and polite to every one? Have they ever misrepresented their goods? Why can HARGRAVE & CO. sell you Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gent's Furnishings for less money than any other house? We will tell you, and all of you who know us will sustain us in our statement: First, we have had more experience in our special line than any of our competitors; second, we buy in much larger quantities than any house between Wilmington and Charlotte; third, we buy with a combination of Five Houses, fourth, we pay SPOT CASH for every dollar worth of goods that come into our house, taking advantage of all in-larger and more varied assortment by far than you ever behold outside of a city of not less than Ten Thousand inhabitants. We have fitted up the second floor of our building for the accommodation of our MAMMOTH STOCK, which gives us just twice the room we formerly had, yet with this additional room we are still crowded for space. The best evidence we have that our Prices and ways of conducting business meet with the approval of the public is once sold a man remains a firm customer and always comes back to trade with us. Our sales have been on a STEADY INCREASE. Each year's sales are largely in EXCESS of those of the preceding year. The people recognize our enterprise and liberality. They recognize our unequalled facilities for obtaining and disposing of the BEST GOODS at the LOWEST PRICES. The extent of our assortment, the excellence of our goods, the honorable manner in which we deal with all classes, are well worthy of the patronage extended to us. To make more trade, to multiply our blooming efforts, we are pushing with all our might. We are striving for your continued favors. We are running and driving things with a locomotive impetus, with herculean strength, characteristic of a live business. Give your eyes a feast. Give your ladies a treat. No trouble to show you. Glad to entertain you. Be punctual. Do not linger. Skip in to

HARGRAVE & CO.

S-H-O-E-S.

We call your special attention to our elegant line of Ladies and Men's fine hand-sewed Shoes, all made from the latest style lasts from the very best and most reliable manufacturers in the country. A large line of Ladies and Childrens Rivet Shoes in Kip and Split. A well and carefully selected line of Men's and Boys Boots in Calif. Kip, and Split, in pegg d, Standard Screw and Sewed bottoms. We have exclusive sale of the old reliable and widely known ZIEGLAR BROTHERS Fine Shoes. Every pair warranted. You will surely save money by buying your Boots and Shoes from

HARGRAVE & CO.

HATS.

Our line of Hats are specially adapted to the trade of this section. In this line we sell the well known JOHN B. STETSON & CO'S brand in stiffs and softs. Our medium grade of hats are especially attractive. The colors and shapes are almost equal to the finest goods. We have a great many Hats that we warrant, and when we warrant an article we are always ready and willing to stand up to it. Our line of young men's Opera Hats and Crushers are simply beauties to behold, with and without the satin lining. A very large and varied line of Men's, Boys and Childrens wool goods in all the desirable shapes and colors. Don't forget the place to buy your Hats is from

HARGRAVE & CO.

UMBRELLAS.

This line is by far the largest and most varied ever offered for sale in this Town. In sizes from 36 to 34 inches in the cheapest cambric, in the best FAST COLORED cambric. In Saten, in Alpaca, in Gloria Cloth, in the best quality Silk, with plain handles, gold plated handles, oxidized silver handles, in red handles, in straight and crooked handles, in mourning handles, with the paragon or with the solid frames, with ribs from 10 to 16, just as you wish.

In all these goods we name prices that the buyer can not help but recognize as the lowest.

We are always glad to show you. Come and look us over.

HARGRAVE & CO.

Trunks, Valises and Club Bags.

A look is all you need to satisfy yourself as to our ability to give you Trunks, Valises and Hand Bags in all shapes, qualities and styles, from the cheapest to the finest and best bound Saratoga. Bags from the cheapest cloth to the best full leather lined in all sizes. A good line of the best English Club Bags. A nice line of all leather shell straps. Remember that headquarters for these goods is at

HARGRAVE & CO.

MESSANGER - INTELLIGENCER.

WADESBORO, N. C., SEP 12th, 1889.

FAS. G. BOYLIN, Publisher.

Hon S. S. Cox, one of the foremost Democrats in the country, died at his home in New York last Tuesday.

John L. Sullivan, the prize fighter, has written a letter to the New York Sun, announcing his willingness to enter political life, and will become a candidate for Congress from Boston.

Ex-President Jefferson Davis says he will certainly attend the Fayetteville Centennial, in November, if his strength is sufficient. Thousands of North Carolinians will be there to greet him.

The Meridian News says: "During the twenty-three years since 1865-6 the Southern States have exported to Europe 72,960,000 bales of cotton, which averaged 16 1-2 cents a pound. This cotton averaged 450 pounds to the bale. The loss to the bale under the Liverpool system was 1 per cent, or 75 cents per bale. This shows that in the twenty-three years the Southern planter has been robbed by the European spinners of the enormous sum of \$54,720,000, or \$2,380,000 yearly, an amount sufficient to buy enough cotton bagging to cover over 8,000,000 bales of cotton. This is one injustice against which the Southern cotton producer is protesting. The other is against sending \$9,000,000 yearly to Europe and to jute bagging manufacturers in the East, when this sum could be kept at home. The Farmers' Alliance is working to add every year \$9,000,000 to the working capital of the Southern States.

SHORT NEWS NOTES.

An old man in Tennessee took his first ride on a railroad the other day and died from the excitement caused by it.

The largest bar of gold ever cast in the world was turned out at the United States Assay Office, at Helena, Mont., on Wednesday. It weighed five hundred pounds and is worth a little over \$100,000.

Intense excitement prevails in London over another Whitechapel murder, the worst of the whole series; the body of a fallen woman was found last Tuesday, with her head and arms cut off, and her stomach ripped open, the intestines lying on the ground. There is no clue to the murderer.

The Mc. Airy News tells of a negro who made his way into the office of Ashby's tobacco factory one night. His many attempts to pick the lock

of the iron safe proving futile, he fell asleep upon his back to rest and fell asleep and there he slept till next morning and was arrested, tried, convicted and sentenced to 18 years in the penitentiary. He claimed to be a sleep-walker but this tale wasn't swallowed.

Benjamin Johnson, it is said, owns a farm in Rush Valley, Utah Territory, upon which he has just discovered a mine of natural shoe blacking. An analysis of this peculiar material shows that it contains 16 per cent carbon, 34 per cent aluminum and the remainder clay. When taken out the material is moist and soft, and when used as a shoe blacking produces a fine polish, which is not easily destroyed.

Steve Brodie successfully accomplished last Saturday the daring feat of rolling over Niagara Falls in his rubber suit; he was tossed and injured for a short time in the rushing, gurgling waters, but his friends boldly went to his relief and soon dragged him ashore; he was insensible and blood oozed from his mouth, nose and ears, but the prompt use of restoratives soon brought him to consciousness, and his injuries were found not to be of a serious character.

RIDDLED WITH BULLETS.

A Negro Shot to death for Attempting to Outrage a Child.

Charlotte Chronicle.

John Sigmund, a one-legged negro, aged about 40 years, was shot to death Friday evening, near Stanley Creek, Gaston county, seventeen miles from Charlotte, on the Carolina Central Railroad, by "unknown persons" for attempted outrage on the 12 year old daughter of Esquire J. B. Moore, of Stanley Creek.

About dusk, Mr. Moore left his house; and when 200 or 300 yards away, he heard the screams of his daughter. Rushing back to the house Mr. Moore found the negro Sigmund locked in a room with his daughter. Breaking in the door, Mr. Moore seized a shovel that stood at the fire place, and struck the black fiend four or five heavy blows therewith, which stunned him.

Mr. Moore then tied the negro, who was carried before a Stanley Creek magistrate; had a preliminary trial, and was ordered to be carried forthwith to the Dallas jail.

On the way, Sigmund was taken from the officer in whose custody he was, by a party of 75 armed men, tied to a tree, and riddled with bullets. Sigmund was in the employment of Mr. Moore.

Roll of the "Anson Trooper's." N. C. Argus, 1882. L. A. JOHNSON, Captain. E. A. STURDVANT, 1st Lieut. W. A. BENTON, 2nd. G. D. SIBLEY, 3rd.

C. L. Richardson 1st Ser't; J. B. Davis, 2nd; J. M. Wright, 3rd; J. P. Kendall, 4th; W. P. Crump, 5th; H. W. Palmer, 1st Corp'l; J. F. Crump, 2nd; W. A. Allen, 3rd; G. Sinclair, 4th; H. W. Buchanan, Ens'; J. E. Hill, Musician; W. M. Alsbrooks, do. J. C. Burns, Farrier; L. Ledwell, Blacksmith; H. Knotte, Commissary; R. B. Gaddy,

Drill and Quarter Master.

Privates.

J. F. Allen, J. H. Austin, W. H. Bennett, A. C. Benton, J. W. Biles, J. Carter, J. R. Carter, W. Carter, W. H. Collins, J. B. Cottingham, W. E. Davis, E. C. Doster, J. B. Eason, J. W. Edwards, S. F. Flake, J. N. Gaddy, W. T. Gatewood, S. Gatewood, J. B. Gillis, W. H. Gillis, A. T. Griffin, W. H. Griffin, J. W. Griffin, J. T. Harris, H. N. Hill, J. P. Hill, J. H. J. Jarman, J. Jarman, A. H. Johnson, H. D. Kendall, J. W. Kilgore, J. A. Lee, W. Lockheart, J. Q. Mills, J. C. Mitchell, D. D. McLaughlin, T. McLaughlin, J. W. Myers, W. H. Odum, J. W. Parham, J. L. Palmer, A. T. Redfeare, G. W. Redfeare, J. P. Richardson, E. R. Smith, J. A. Sibley, D. A. Smith, J. M. Troutman, J. R. Stubbs, W. R. Teal, M. Troutman, G. W. Turner, J. M. Wall, J. W. Webb.

Notice to the White Public School Teachers of Anson County.

The State Board of Education have determined to hold a Teachers' Institute at Wadesboro, under the provisions of Chapter 200, Laws of 1889, beginning on the 23rd day of September next and continuing one week.

Prof. E. A. Alderman, a proficient in the management of Institutes, assisted by the County Sup., has been appointed to conduct the exercises of said Institute, under a warrant granted from the distinguished reputation of Prof. Alderman in saying that he will make the exercises interesting, instructive, pleasant and profitable in the highest degree, to all who may attend.

Notice is hereby given to all Public School Teachers, that they are required by law to attend, and the teachers of private schools are earnestly solicited and expected to avail themselves of this opportunity of improvement.

At the close of the Institute, an examination of white applicants for teachers' certificates will be held in lieu of the examination usually held on the second Thursday in September.

An opportunity will also be afforded to first and second grade teachers to be examined for three year certificates, as provided in section 5 chapter 200 Laws of 1889.

An address will be delivered by the Institute conductor during the time on the Public School Law, and the subject of Education. School Commissioners and the public generally will be invited to attend.

Teachers should bring with them the books now on our State list. The attention of Public School teachers is especially directed to the following act, as published in the School Law, Chapter 200, Section 4 Laws of 1889: It shall be the duty of all white public school teachers of the county in which the Institute is held to attend continuously the sessions of said Institute, and on failure so to do, without satisfactory reasons, they shall not be certified as teachers for the ensuing year; and in case an Institute is held while the schools are in session in any county, they shall be suspended during the session of the Institute. W. D. REDFEARE, Co. Supt. and sec. Board Ed. Anson Co.

Dots From Belltown.

Your correspondent had the pleasure of attending a baptizing at Brock's mill pond last Sunday. Seven were baptized, Rev. Mr. Brock officiating. Mr. A. M. Cook, the Sr. blacksmith of McFarlan, has been chosen pastor of the Free Will Baptist church at Brock's school house. Rev. Mr. Stephenson will begin a series of meetings at Pleasant Hill the first Sunday in November. Rev. W. P. Fife, the drummer evangelist, is expected to assist him. The Misses Cottingham, of this town were visiting the Misses Britt, of S. C. last Sunday. Mr. J. E. T. Massey of Durham, N. C. is teaching school at McFarlan. He is a young man of high moral character and has a good education. Mr. John Griggs is teaching at Cool Springs. He has about forty scholars. The young men will meet at the school house in McFarlan next Saturday night for the purpose of organizing a literary society. A full attendance is expected.



THE LAXATIVE AND NUTRITIOUS JUICE OF THE FIGS OF CALIFORNIA. Combined with the medicinal virtues of plants known to be most beneficial to the human system, forming an agreeable and effective laxative to permanently cure Habitual Constipation, and the many ills depending on a weak or inactive condition of the KIDNEYS, LIVER AND BOWELS. It is the most excellent remedy known to CLEANSE THE SYSTEM EFFECTUALLY. When one is Bilious or Constipated. PURE BLOOD, REFRESHING SLEEP, HEALTH AND STRENGTH NATURALLY FOLLOW. Every one is using it and all are delighted with it. ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR SYRUP OF FIGS MANUFACTURED ONLY BY CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.

Thomasville Female College.

The 33rd Session will open Monday September, 2nd.

A sufficient number of competent teachers, specially prepared for their several departments, employing the best modern methods and of successful experience, have been secured. The record of this school from 1874 to 1885 is sufficient guarantee that no effort will be spared to secure the health, comfort, progress and scholarship of the pupils. Confidentially refer to my former patrons and pupils. For terms, &c. see catalogue.

WHAT WE ARE DOING.

We have bought and are now receiving the largest stock of DURGS and MEDICINES ever brought to Wadesboro. For instance:

- 200 ounces Quinine, 100 bottles Fluid Extracts, 5000 pounds Soda, 1000 pounds Baking Powders, 1 gross S. S. S., 1 gross Scotts Emulsion, 2 gross Dr. Ansons Liver Pills, 3 gross Dr. Ansons Horse and Cattle Powders, 1000 pounds Stick Candy.

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass, Lamp goods, and one thousand other things that can't be mentioned here. REMEMBER our fine Colognes and Extracts.

STATIONERY.—Blank Books of all kinds, Letter Paper, Note stock of Envelopes and fancy box Paper, Pens and Luk. Can please any body. We are going to sell these goods. If you wish to be one of the LUCKY ONES come early.

MERCHANTS.—Never before have we had such a variety of goods and at such DIRT CHEAP PRICES. We can and will save you money. Our increased trade in this department speaks more than volume of words, having sold DOUBLE the amount of goods at WHOLESALE to date than at same time last year. We thank our friends for their liberal support and promise that in the future to do better still.

Come to the Great Wholesale and Retail Drug House of McLENDON & PARSONS. WHEN YOU WANT ANY THING IN THEIR LINE.

RACKET STORE.

This Space Belongs to The RACKET STORE.

Our Mr. Nickols is now in the Northern Markets purchasing an immense stock of Fall and Winter Goods, which we will give you full information concerning them in a week or two.

Notice of Sale of Land by Trustee.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust, executed the 14th day of February, 1884, by Frank Hammond and wife, Maria Hammond, which is duly recorded in Trust Book No. 17, pages 111 and 112 of the Register's office of Anson county, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Wadesboro, N. C., on Monday, the 7th day of October, 1889, the tract of land in said county, known as the Frank Hammond place, situated about one and one-half miles south-west of Wadesboro, and on the north side of the White's Store and Melonsville road, adjoining the Finston lands and others, and containing thirty-three and one-half acres. There is situated upon the premises a valuable quarry of red sandstone. Terms, cash. JAMES C. MARSHALL, Trustee.

Notice of Sale of Land Under Decree of Court.

BY VIRTUE of the decree of sale rendered by the Superior Court of Anson county at April term, 1889, in the case of James C. Marshall and others, plaintiffs, against C. Marshall and others, defendants, the undersigned, as commissioner, will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Wadesboro, N. C., on Monday, October 7th, 1889, three lots of land in Anson county on Jimmy's creek, being lots No. one, three, and six in the division of the lands of Francis and Jesse Wallace, allotted to said Sellers and wife, and containing as follows: No. one 28 acres; No. three 30 acres; No. six 26 1-2 acres. In all 94 1-2 acres. Lots Nos. one and three adjoin. Sept. 5th, 1889. JOHN S. RICHARDSON, Commissioner.

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Sale of Land by Commissioner.

BY VIRTUE of the judgment and decree of foreclosure and the several orders of resale made by the Superior Court of Anson County in the case of B. F. Clarke, administrator of Hampton P. Henry, plaintiff, against E. M. Henry, executor of Reuben Henry, deceased, and others, defendants, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Wadesboro, N. C., on Monday, the 7th day of October, 1889, the tract or parcel of land in Anson county conveyed by Reuben Henry to Hampton P. Henry, containing one hundred acres, on the waters of Smith's creek, and bounded on the south and east by the lands known as the Spencer lands, on the north by the Swan Smith lands and on the west by what is known as the Vandford tract. September 4th 1889. B. F. CLARKE, Commissioner.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

I HAVE this day qualified before the proper court in Anson county, North Carolina, as Administratrix of the late Paris Davis, deceased, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of my intestate to present the same to me for payment, on or by the 31st day of August, 1889, or this notice will bar their recovery. And all persons indebted to my intestate must pay the same at once to me.

KATY DAVIS, Administratrix of Paris Davis, deceased. Aug. 15th, 1889.