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DEMOCRATIC STATE FLAG.
W. WHITAKER, Proprietor & Publisher.

TERMS.
The "DEMOCRATIC STATE FLAG" is published every Friday morning, at One Dollar a year, in advance.
Advertisements conspicuously inserted at the City rates.
Job Printing.—Our assortment of Job Type being new and fashionable, we only ask a trial, to insure satisfaction.
Blanks, of every description handsome printed on good paper, at reduce prices.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.
NORTHERN MAIL—By Rail Road.
Due daily at 1-2 p. m.
Closes " " 12 m.
SOUTHERN—Two-horse Stage.
Due daily, at 11 a. m.
Closes " " 11 a. m.
GREENSBORO—Four-horse Stage. Due Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, at 6 a. m.
Closes Sun, Wed. & Friday, 12 m.
NEWBERN—Four-horse Stage. Due Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday, at 11 p. m.
Closes Mon. Wed. & Sat. 9 p. m.
PITTSBORO—Two-horse Stage. Due Monday and Thursday, at 7 p. m.
Closes Sat. and Tues. 9 p. m.
ROXBORO—One-horse mail. Due Fri. 9 a. m.
Closes Friday, 2 p. m.
HOLLY SPRINGS—Horse Mail. Due Mon. 4 p. m.
Closes Thursday, 9 p. m.
Letters should by ALL MEANS be in the Office fifteen minutes before the time of closing.
WM. WHITE, P. M.
Raleigh, Oct. 17, 1848.

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
PURSUANT to an Act of Assembly, a Company has been formed in this State, under the name of the "North Carolina Mutual Insurance Company." The following are the Directors of this Company for the present year:
J. O. WATSON, of Raleigh, Wake County.
WM. W. HOLDEN, do do do
R. SMITH, do do do
J. PRIMROSE, do do do
H. D. TURNER, do do do
JAS. F. JORDAN, do do do
A. B. SMITH, do do do
J. LITCHFORD, do do do
J. E. HUNT, of Washington, Beaufort County.
J. McRae, of Wilmington, N. Hanover Co.
G. McNEILL, of Fayetteville, Cumberland Co.
J. R. SLAVAN, of Greensboro, Guilford Co.
R. N. TAYLOR, of Newbern, Currier County.
The following are Officers of the Company for the present year:
JOSIAH O. WATSON, President.
ALBERT SMITH, Vice President.
RICHARD SMITH, Treasurer.
JAS. F. JORDAN, Secretary.
CHAS. MANLY, Attorney.
RICHARD SMITH, Executive Com-
JNO. PRIMROSE, mittee.
WM. W. HOLDEN, do do do
The Company is authorized to receive applications for Insurance, and to issue Policies on the same. By the Act of Incorporation, the Company is authorized to take risks on Dwelling Houses, Stores, Shops and other Buildings, Furniture, Merchandise and other property, against loss or damage by Fire.
Up to this date the Company has insured nearly three millions worth of property, and it has on hand a capital to pay for losses, about \$265,000.
The Office of the Company is in the second story of the large Brick Building, recently occupied by Mr. B. B. SMITH, at the corner of Fayetteville and Hargett Streets, where full information and explanations, touching the principles of Mutual Insurance, will be cheerfully furnished by the Secretary of the Company.
Aug. 16. 21

CATCH THE ROBBERS.
\$1000 REWARD!!!
THE Subscriber having been robbed on Saturday the 9th of September, in the large Pocoson called Dover, lying partly in the counties of Jones, Craven and Lenoir, through which the public stage road runs from Kingston to Newbern on or near the Sandy Ridge, and so severely beaten by his assailants, that they left him dead, after filching from his pocket the sum of Forty-eight Hundred and Fifty-dollars, takes this method of informing the public that he will cheerfully pay to any individual or individuals, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, who will apprehend the said Robbers so that they may be confined in some public prison, and brought to justice.
R. H. BLOUNT
Kingston, N. C. Sept. 23. 20

PESCUD & JOHNSON.
APOTHECARIES & DRUGGISTS.
DEALERS in FOREIGN and DOMESTIC MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, DRUGS, DYE STUFFS, PAINTS, OILS, PERFUMERY, FANCY ARTICLES; FAYETTEVILLE ST., RALEIGH.
Orders from the country thankfully received, and executed with neatness and despatch.
P. F. PESCUD. C. E. JOHNSON, JR.

GUN AND LOCK SMITH.
THE Subscriber offers his services to the public as a Gun and Lock Smith—either in repairing, or in making an entire new lock, for a gun, or lock of any description. He promises satisfaction or no charge made.
Also, ANY KIND OF SMITH WORK, entrusted to his care will be promptly executed.
He may be found at the Rail Road Depot in Raleigh.
JOS. WALTERING, JR.
August 3, 1848.

MORE NEW GOODS.

WE have just received the following NEW and BEAUTIFUL DRESS GOODS, to which we would respectfully call the attention of the Ladies.
Broche Alcyones
Plain do
Gala Plaid
Latest French style Cashmeres and DeLaines.
ALSO,
French worked Capes and Collars
Down Capes—Bonnet Ribbons
White and colored Kid Gloves
Long worn Embroidered do
Embossed Cashmere and Thibet shawls,
Together with many other articles adapted for both ladies and gentlemen—all of which we will take great pleasure in selling to our friends and customers and the public generally, on the most liberal terms.
HEARTT & LITCHFORD.
Sept. 22. 21

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

THE Subscribers are receiving their Fall and Winter stock of
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,
fresh from the Cities of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore consisting in part of the following:
Brown and Bleached Domestic,
Cotton Drills,
Prints—a great variety from 5 to 20 cents,
French Cashmeres, Mousin DeLains, Madras and Stripes,
Plaid and Black Alpaca for Ladies,
Fine and Common Winter Shawls and Hdk's,
Blue, Brown, Invisible Green and Black Cloths,
Black and Fancy Cassimeres,
Black Satin and Fancy Vestings,
Kentucky Jeans—Satinett and other goods for Boys and Men.

HATS AND CAPS FINE AND COMMON. BONNETS FOR LADIES AND MISSES.

Bonnet and Cap Ribbons, assorted.
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Calf Boots, Heavy Brogans, Kip, Linen and Bound Ditto.
Ladies Gaiters, Kid Slippers and walking Shoes.
Also a good lot of SUGAR and COFFEE; together with almost every article kept in our line.
Persons wishing to buy are respectfully requested to give us a call.
YOUNG & BLEDSOE.
Two doors above N. B. Hughes' Auction Store.
Sept. 30. 21

PROFESSOR OF INSTRUMENTAL AND VOCAL MUSIC.

RESPECTFULLY announces to the Ladies and gentlemen of Raleigh, that he is now prepared to give instruction to a limited number of pupils, on the PIANO, and in VOCAL music.
He has on hand for sale, a number of European Pianos, from the celebrated Manufactory of Rosekrantz, in Dresden, Saxony. He particularly solicits the attention of ladies to these Instruments. They are made of the richest Rosewood, and after the most modern style.
He will also attend to the tuning of Pianos.
For further particulars, apply at his room, in the large brick building on the corner opposite Williams & Haywood's, stairs.
Raleigh, Oct. 6, 1848. 20 6m

TO THE AFFLICTED.

HASTINGS' COMPOUND SYRUP OF NAPHTHA is now being used in nearly all our hospitals, and is also coming into rapid use among all our best physicians, for coughs, colds, and all diseases of the lungs. It has been recommended in the worst state of consumption by the celebrated physicians, Dr. Mott, of New York; and Dr. Arno, of Savannah, Geo., writing to the agent at New York, under date of Jan. 30th, 1848, says: "I received the half-dozen Hastings' Naphtha Syrup, ordered from you, and am convinced that Naphtha is the principal ingredient. I enclosed twenty five dollars, for which you will send me two dozen and a-half bottles more. I have two patients in the Marine Hospital, whom I think will be benefited by it."
SAVANNAH, Feb. 9th, 1848.
Dear Sir—At the suggestion of Dr. Arnold, the physician of the Hospital of which I am one of the directors, I would like to supply myself with Hastings' Wood Naphtha. The Doctor ordered, some days since, some for the use of the Hospital. Should you deem proper to send the article on liberal terms, I can forward the sale of it in our city.
Yours truly,
J. TURNER & BROS.
Price \$1 per bottle—for sale in Raleigh by
PESCUD & JOHNSON, Druggists.
Nov. 7. 25 1ycq.

FOR SALE.

An excellent second hand BAROUCH with new harness, silver mounted.
This Barouch has been used but very little, and will be sold at a great sacrifice—the owner having no use for it. For information, apply at the Office of the Democratic State Flag.
Oct. 4, 1848. 20

R. F. LESTER, PETERSBURG, VIRGINIA.

WILL GIVE ATTENTION TO THE SALE OF ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE, AND TO FORWARDING GOODS.
JOB PRINTING, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, EXECUTED WITH ACCURACY.
AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEMOCRATIC FLAG.

ALMANACS! ALMANACS! ALMANACS!

Dr. D. JAYNE would respectfully inform the public, that he publishes annually for gratuitous distribution, by himself and all his Agents, an Almanac, called
JAYNE'S MEDICAL ALMANAC, AND GUIDE TO HEALTH.
The calculations for this Almanac are made with great care and accuracy for five different Latitudes & Longitudes, so as to make them equally useful as a Calendar in every part of the United States and British North America. They are printed on good paper, and with handsome new type, and are neatly bound, and besides being the neatest and most accurate Calendar printed in the United States, they contain a large amount of valuable information, suited to the wants of all, and of that kind too, which cannot be found in books.
HIS CATALOGUE OF DISEASES, with remarks and directions for their removal, is really invaluable, and make them welcome visitors in every household they enter. Every family should possess at least one of these Annuals. His Almanac for 1849 is now ready for distribution, of which he designs to publish at least T W O MILLIONS, and in order that every family in the United States and British America, may be furnished with a copy, he hereby invites
MERCHANTS AND STOREKEEPERS to forward their orders to him as early as possible, and they shall be supplied GRATUITOUSLY with as many copies as they may deem necessary to supply their various customers. They are also invited at the same time, to send a copy of their "Business Card," which will be printed and placed on the cover of the Almanacs sent them, also without charge.
They are also requested to give all necessary directions how the Almanac should be forwarded to them. By law they cannot be sent by mail unless the postage is first paid on them here.
Orders (paid) directed to Dr. D. Jayne, Philadelphia, will meet with prompt attention.
Families can obtain these Almanacs gratis of R. C. MAYNARD, Agent for the sale of all Dr. Jayne's Celebrated Family Medicines at Franklinton, N. C. 3t

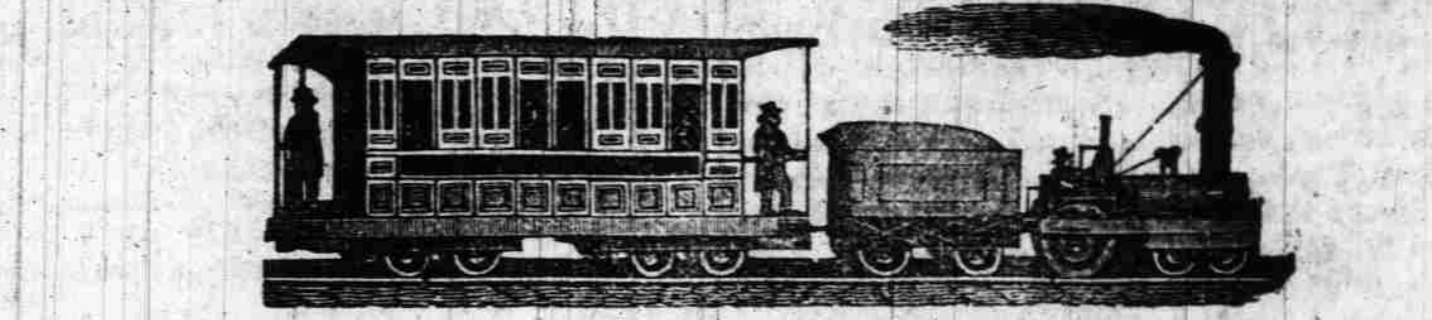
PALMER & RAMSAY, DEALERS IN FINE GOLD & SILVER LEAVER WATCHES.

The subscribers have just received from the North rich and fashionable assortment of the above articles, which they are determined to sell on very reasonable terms. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves.
PALMER AND RAMSAY,
PRACTICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL WATCH-MAKERS AND JEWELERS.
This branch of their business will receive their personal attention. All work executed by themselves, and warranted to perform well.
Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.
DAGUERRETYPE LIKENESSES.
Of the very best quality, taken for \$2 50, colored and finished, of all sizes, and warranted to please.
The subscriber flatters himself, from three or four years experience, and having all the new improvements, that his work will be well executed. Members of the Legislature and others will call at his GALLERY, at the Jewelry Store of Palmer and Ramsay.
J. C. PALMER.

MRS. JAS. BETTS' UTERINE SUPPORTERS.

N. E. corner of Eleventh and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia.
ORIGINAL INVENTOR AND SOLE PROPRIETOR.
To Physicians, Ladies and Druggists.
MRS. BETTS most respectfully communicates to the public, the merits of her Uterine Supporters, which are now very generally adopted by physicians as the most successful medium of relief for the distressing malady for which they were invented, of any offered to the public.
The evil results attending the use of Pessaries, are obviated by the application of her Supporters, and the patient is enabled, in a short period, to resume her domestic concerns and duties, and the long confinement to the Sick Chamber, with all its attendant distressing consequences, rendered unnecessary.
20,000 Ladies are now using them with the greatest ease, comfort and advantage.
Letter from Professor Samuel Jackson of the University of Pennsylvania.
"The abdominal and perineal Supporters made by Mrs. Betts of this city I can recommend to the medical profession, and others, after several years experience of their use.
These instruments are adapted to remedy the inconvenience depending on a sinking down of the uterus, and its compression, from the incumbent weight of the abdominal viscera pressing into the pelvis from a relaxation of the abdominal muscles. In this state of the organ, exercise is attended with so much pain and other sufferings as to be difficult or impossible."
Mrs. Betts is a lady of intelligence, education, probity and excellent manners. The greatest confidence can be placed in her. SAML JACKSON, M. D.
CAUTION.
PLEASE OBSERVE—That unprincipled counterfeiters are putting off various wretched imitations of her invention, as the genuine Supporter of Mrs. Betts, and imposing on unwary purchasers a spurious article. It is also sometimes attempted to tempt them off with the addition of the name of an eminent Professor of Philadelphia, the better to deceive the Profession and the public. Be sure to see that her Signature and Residence are attached to each Supporter.
Mrs B. refers with pleasure to the following eminent Medical Professors and Physicians:
Dr. Wm. Harris, Clinical Lecturer, Philadelphia;
Prof. T. D. Miller, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia;
Saml. McClelland, M. D., Prof. of Midwifery, &c.

MORE NEW AND SPLENDID FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS;



FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE OF 1848, JUST AT HAND FROM NEW YORK, MANY ARTICLES FROM 25 TO 50 PER CENT. UNDER FORMER PRICES.
THE attention of the Ladies and Gentlemen of Raleigh, as well as those of the surrounding country, and strangers generally, is respectfully invited to an examination of the

RICH AND BRILLIANT ASSORTMENT OF FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS,

contained in the following list, at the Store of the undersigned, just selected by Mr. B. B. SMITH, from late arrivals from Paris and Liverpool, and which for variety, richness and beauty, cannot be surpassed in this market, to wit:
FOR THE LADIES,
Beautiful Caneleon Poi de Soi Silks,
Black diagonal Satin, striped do.
Best black Gro de Rhine and col'd plaid do.
Superior black, blue, and mole-colored Alpaccas,
Black, brown and fancy col'd Caneleon Lustres,
Parisian Etoffe a la Cavagnac, (a new and splendid article.)
Lamartine plaids, and Satin Striped Alpaccas,
200 PIECES ELEGANT NEW STYLE AND WINTER CALICOES & GINGHAMS
Woolen Shawls, Cashmere and splendid Turkaria Shawls,
Large and fine black Cashmere, Dolaine, and Cassimere do.
Fine Leghorn, straw and Tuscan Bonnets, for Ladies and Misses,
Beautiful Winter Bonnet and Cap Ribbons,
Plain and striped Mohair and Jenny Lind Lustres,
Plaid and striped Silk Brilliantines,
Gala-Cashmere, and Alpaca plaids, for Misses and Children.
Super 6-4 Queens Cloth and Merinos, for Ladies' Riding Dresses,
Changeable Arago plaids, Cashmeres & Delaines.
Laces and Edgings, Thread and Lisle, Mull, Swiss, Book, checked and pomet Mullins, Long Lawn and thread Cambric Handkerchiefs, Grass and Marseilles Shirts, Hose and Gloves, Worked Collars and figured Laces, Gimpes, Fringes and Buttons.

FOR THE GENTLEMEN, FINE BLUE, BLACK AND INVISIBLE GREEN CLOTHS, FINE BLACK, FANCY, TWEED AND ERMINET CASHMEREES.

Sup. Beaver & Pilot cloths, for overcoats from 1 to \$8.
Lamartine Fancies, Satinet and Kentucky Jeans,
Black Silk Velvet and Merino Vestings,
Merino, and Lambswool Shirts and Drawers,
Black and Fanny Silk Neck Handkerchiefs,
Silk Pocket Handkerchiefs, Suspenders,
Gentlemen's Black and col'd Hoskin Gloves,
Irish Linen, and Cotton Shirtings,
Large Silk and Gingham Umbrellas,
Kerseys, Linseys and Tickings,
White, Red, and Canton Flannels,
Sup. Whitney and 3 willed BED BLANKETS,
Red, Green and White Mackinse do.
4 6 and 10-4 unbleached Sheetings,
Fine black and unbleached Shirtings from 5 to 10 cents.
Diaper and Diaper Table Cloths,
FASHIONABLE HATS
MOLESKIN, BEAVER, AND SILK,
Superior Fur, Cloth and Silk Plush Caps, Boys fancy Cloth and Velvet do.
Together with many other desirable articles, all of which will be disposed of cheap for CASH, at a small advance, as he desires not to do business on the credit system.
THOMAS A. MITCHELL.
Raleigh, Nov. 1, 1848. 23

AND SHOES.

O. L. BURCH & CO.,
One door below the Post Office, RALEIGH, N. C.,
WOULD respectfully inform the Public that they have a very large assortment of Boots and Shoes, comprising in part the following kinds:
For the Gentlemen—
250 Pairs Men's Sup. Calf Skin Boots. (Prices from \$1.50 to \$10.)
2 Cases Men's Sup. Napoleon, "
2 Cases Boy's " Good article, "
2 Cases Youth's " Durable article, "
NEGROES SHOES of all kinds,
1000 pairs lined and bound BROGANS,
[Prices from 50 cents to \$1.40.]
FOR THE LADIES?
250 Pairs Ladies Thick Walking Shoes,
250 do Kid Buskin, "
100 do do Ties, "
400 do Common Leather, "
100 do Thick Soled Gaiters,
50 do Straps, "
50 do Kid Slippers,
100 do Morocco Slippers,
100 do Women's Goat Booties.
100 Pairs Misses FINE GOAT BOOTIES,
100 do Kid do do do
100 do Leather do do do
200 do Children's Goat Booties.
SHOE-FINDINGS, KIT, LASTS, &c.
Lining Skins, Calf Skins, Sole Leather, Morocco Binding do; and indeed every thing for the trade kept for sale by them. Also,
10,000 Pounds Oak tanned Sole LEATHER.
We are determined to sell, and not to be out-done in giving good Bargains to purchasers, by any house in this City. As our Stock is much larger than any other house, we think we can fit and suit them better. Call and examine for yourselves, before purchasing elsewhere.
Nov. 22, 1848. 3 28 t

BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY.

O. L. BURCH & Co., have and keep on hand BOOTS AND SHOES, which for beauty and durability, cannot be surpassed in the U. States.
LATEST STYLES AND FASHIONS.
We are at any time in receipt of the Latest Styles, and are prepared at the shortest notice to make any article in our line, equal to any body, they care not who. All work made by them warranted.
Raleigh, Nov. 22, 1848.
\$5 REWARD.
LOST by the subscriber, in this City, a letter to his address, containing some important and valuable papers. The above reward will be given for its delivery at the City Hotel.
NEWTON COLEMAN.
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