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The crystallized salts, as obtained in a pure state from grapes and choice fruit, in a portable, palatable, simple form, have been presented to the public of America as the grandest remedy of impure blood, corrector of the liver and regulator of the bowels—the natural promoter of



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Large Sample Rooms on Main Street.

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**MANUFACTURER OF**

**FINE AND**

**Domestic Cigars**

To the Merchants

of North Carolina:

I respectfully call your attention to the following CIGARS, and the prices at which I offering them to the trade.

All the articles named are first-class. Below find the following Brands and Price List of Fine and Domestic CIGARS.

Per M

HEUBLEIN, \$35.00

MORGAN'S ROMANCE 30.00

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EXPERIMENTATION, 27.50

TRUMPS, 7.50

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Prompt attention given to orders.

Very Respectfully

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Maroney & Bro. have thirty years experience in the Sewing Machine Business—

have served 30 years in repairing. They

renew all and sell none but the best.

**Look at This!**

We keep on sale the celebrated  
**PIEDMONT WAGONS,**  
Made at Hickory, N. C.

**THESE WAGONS ARE NOW**  
**AT THE FRONT.**

They were awarded **FIRST PREMIUMS** by the North Carolina State Exposition, at Raleigh, N. C., October 1884; by the Carolina Fair Association, at Charlotte, October 28th, 29th, 30th and 31st; and by the Chester county, (S. C.) Fair in October 1884—over all other wagons.

These wagons are sold for cash or on time. We also sell the **COLUMBUS BUGGY CO'S.**

**Unrivalled Vehicles.**

They have no equal, when price, quality and style are considered.

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They took six Gold Medals at the World's Exposition, at New Orleans in 1884 and 1885, over all competitors.

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**Standard Buggies, Carriages,**  
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That are fully warranted, together with the Newark Machine Company's popular Grain Drills, Wheat Grading, Fan Mills Straw Cutters, &c., &c.

**PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.**

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**64,897**  
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We will sell our **Steel Tooth Hay Rake** as cheap as any other first-class rake in the market. All are warranted to do good work or no sale. Circulars and price list mailed free.

**NEWARK MACHINE CO.,** Columbus, O.

**\$10.00 will buy the DAISY**

**New Style CORN SHELLER.** The Fan cleans the Corn as it comes out. THE QUESTION IS ASKED why we sell our Shellers so cheap. ANSWER: We build them in winter after our CLOVER HULLER trade is over. All are warranted to do good work or no sale. **NEWARK MACHINE CO.,** Columbus, Ohio.

**JOHN A. BOYDEN,**  
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**Western North Carolina Railroad Company,**  
Gen'l. Passenger Office,  
SALISBURY, N. C., Feb. 17th, 1886.

Commencing Monday, Feb. 15th, and superseding all others, the following Passenger train schedule will be operated over this Road:

**WEST**

Train No. 1.

Arv. Lev. Main Line. Arv. Lev. P. M.

A. M.

11 25 Salisbury. 5 30

12 28 12 29 Statesville. 4 21 4 23

1 33 1 33 Newton. 3 14 3 15

1 38 2 13 Hickory. 2 18 2 48

2 40 2 40 Icard. 1 56 1 56

3 05 3 06 Morganton. 1 28 1 28

4 08 4 08 Marion. 12 27 12 27

4 37 4 37 Old Fort. 11 56 11 57

4 39 4 52 Round Knob. 11 40 11 40

5 29 5 29 Black Mountain. 10 52 10 52

6 16 6 21 Asheville. 9 56 10 01

6 56 7 21 Alexanders. 8 56 9 21

7 37 7 38 Marshall. 8 18 8 18

8 52 8 55 Warm Springs. 7 29 7 29

P. M.

**EAST.**

Train No. 2.

Arv. Lev. P. M.

5 30

4 21 4 23

3 14 3 15

2 18 2 48

1 56 1 56

1 28 1 28

12 27 12 27

11 56 11 57

11 40 11 40

10 52 10 52

9 56 10 01

8 56 9 21

8 18 8 18

7 29 7 29

A. M.

**WEST.**

Train No. 7.

Arv. Lev. P. M.

9 38

10 32 10 34 Asheville. 4 39

11 21 11 28 Hominy. 3 59 4 01

12 19 12 29 Pigeon River. 3 13 3 17

1 24 1 33 Hall. 2 00 2 25

3 28 3 29 Sylva. 11 56 11 57

3 39 3 41 Webster. 11 45 11 46

3 31 3 31 Whittier. 10 54 10 55

4 15 4 24 Charleston. 10 00 10 09

4 03 4 05 Nantahala. 8 19 8 19

7 05 Jarrett's 7 19

Nos 7 and 8 run daily except Sunday. Round Knob is dinner station for train No 2.

V. E. McBEE. W. A. Turk. A. G. P. A.

**Time Table—Chester and Lenoir Railroad.**

No 20 Leaves Lenoir 12 A M

Arrives Hickory 1 40 P M

No 19 Leaves Hickory 4 35 P M

Arrives Lenoir 5 55 "

Connects with No 1 and 2 of WNCRR

**Carpenter, Contractor**  
**—AND—**  
**BUILDER.**

Having been engaged in the above line, I am prepared to do all kinds of work.

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**Contractors and Builders,**  
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Do a General Building Business in WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA.

**Fine Residences**  
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MERONEY & BRO. make and sell the best Plow in the State. You can always get the Points and parts without paying express freight from a great distance, as you will have to do if bought of foreign manufacturers. 75 cts will make an old plow new. Is this not economy?

**FARM NOTES.**

Do not let manure heaps heat; work them over or get them underground.

Potatoes require the most potash; beans the most lime; corn the most phosphoric acid, and the cereals nitrogen.

The need of experiment to test the quality and capability of the soil and want of the crop is now conceded by every thinking practical farmer.

An Iowa farmer has deborned 125 cattle with no bad results, and regards it great economy. He thinks that horns do \$1,000,000 damage annually in Iowa alone.

It possible deepen the soil by running the plow an inch deeper than before, and subsoil when practicable. Thus you save your crops from the worst effects of drought.

Mrs B. F. Killey is experimenting with an incubator. 240 eggs are kept warm by means of two lamps burning. At last examination the prospect was good for a mammoth brood of chicks.

Much time on every farm is spent in doing small jobs, and if proper conveniences for these are not furnished the time wasted is so much clear loss. A good farmer will try to have stock, grain, hay and roots, with water, all under one roof. This enables him to do the work with the least needless labor, and gives more time for necessary improvements.

Until farmers know what their soils lack and what their crops want, and the effects of each of the constituents used in their growth, separately and combined, a rational system of manuring is impossible. Promiscuous application of manures is often money thrown away. A soil may be well supplied with the very element we furnish it, consequently we do it no good; and again, we may fail to give it what it needs most. Evidently we must "learn our soils."

**FACETIAE.**

A PROPER DEFINITION.

"Dear sir," he said, "I'd like to ask, Unless the question's rude, What means those strange and mystic words, 'Innocuous desuetude?'"  
"Of course the question is not rude," the other man replied; "They mean, you see, the business man Who does not advertise."

The most obnoxious form of "light literature" is a gas bill.

A college education robs the brick-yard and corn field of many a good hand.

It is not considered necessary in society to return a bill-collector's call.—[Chicago Tribune.

Strange, that with the 21,000,000 buttons manufactured in this country last year, we still have to fasten our suspenders on with a shingle nail.—[Palmer Journal.

Banker, finding a burglar in his office: "Thieves! Help! Help!" Burglar: "You'd better stop that row, man, else I'll tell everybody I found nothing in your safe."

A girl has dismissed her suitor at the request of her father, who offered her a perfectly lovely sealskin saque for so doing. She likes her saque better than he likes his sack.

A Texas gentleman stole four hives of bees, carried them three miles, and din't get stung once; but if he had been an honest man and had gone within ten feet of the bees he would have been stung forty times.—[Texas Sittings.

Now is the time when a dude can be utilized. By stuffing him into a window sash—minus a pane of glass. The theory that God made all things for a purpose is unbroken.—[Whitehall Times.

"Uncle James," said a Boston young lady, who was spending a few days in the country, "is that chicken by the gate a Brahmin?" "No," replied Uncle James, "he's a Leghorn." "Why, certainly, to be sure," said the young lady. "How stupid of me! I can see the horns on his ankles."—[N. Y. Sun.

A diminutive boy called at the residence of Judge Pennybunker. "I hear that you wanted to hire a boy to help work in the garden?" said the little boy. "So I do. Are you the boy?" "Yes, mum." "Well, you will never do. You are too small. Why, sonny, you are so small that you would have to have a stepladder to dig potatoes."—[Texas sittings.

A robber met a coal dealer on a lonely road and stopped him. "Your money or your life," said the robber. "Who are you?" asked the coal dealer. "I'm a highwayman," replied the man. "Good enough," continued the coal dealer. "I'm a low-weightman, Shake. We should be friends." And they were.—Ark. Traveler.

**Newspapers—1776 and 1886.**

In 1776 there existed in the United States thirty three weekly, one semi-weekly, and one tri-weekly newspapers in the distributed as follows: New Hampshire, one; Massachusetts, seven; Rhode Island two; Connecticut, three; New York, four; Pennsylvania, nine; Maryland, two; Virginia, two; Georgia, one; North Carolina, two and South Carolina, three. All of these were printed in English, except two, one German and one in half English and half German. The progress made in newspapers from 1776 to 1886 is marvelous. The total number of newspapers in the United States is now 14,160. New York leads the list with 1,577. Illinois comes next with 1,134 and Pennsylvania with 1,103. North Carolina has 162. Of the whole number, 1,216 are dailies, 41 tri-weeklies, 152 semi-weeklies, 10,685 weeklies, 66 bi-weeklies, 247 semi-monthlies, 1,003, monthlies, 26 bi-monthlies and 124 quarterlies. Canada has altogether 679 newspapers. North Carolina ranks in regard to newspapers, as the 24th state, while it stands as the 15th in population and the 27th in area.

MOTHER, THINK OF THE BATTLE that is being waged by worms against the life of your child. There is no night of rest with them; they fight to kill. Shriver's Indian Vermifuge will annihilate them. Only 25 cents a bottle.

**SECOND HAND COLUMN.**

If you have any second hand goods for sale, we will advertise them in this column, charging you five per cent. of sold.

If you want to purchase any goods advertised in this column call on us.

No 3—Three upright, walnut frame show cases.

No 5—Two show cases, walnut frame, 6 and 8 feet; \$6 and \$8.

No 6—Bark mill, as good as new, \$27.50.

No 8. One top buggy and three open. Price from \$12 to \$30. harness cheap.

No 10. Sturtivant Blowers and Hangers in good order. Price \$80.

No. 11 A lot of rope, over 300 feet in all, cheap.

No. 12. Two mining buckets.

No 13—Westinghouse Thresher and Separator, used only two sea sons, \$65.00

No 14. A lot of good bird cages.

No. 16 Base Violin in good order

No 21—Two open coal grates—cheap.

No 22—Portable corn mill and gearing, 3 ft., 10 in. buhr. \$75.00.

No 23—Portable flour mill and gearing, 4 ft. buhr, \$25.00.

No 24—Cook stove and pipe, in good order, \$3.00.

No 25—A printing press and one font of type, costing \$7.50; sell for \$4.00.

No 26—A small printing press, newly new, with one font of new fancy card type. Cost \$3.00; sell for \$2.00.

No 27—An eleven dollar collection of foreign postage stamps for \$5.00.

No. 28. A beautiful marble top portable soda water fountain. \$25.

No. 29.—Three foot grist mill, Moore county stones with fixtures complete. \$100

No 30—One Florence sewing machine, as good as new.

No. 31.—25-horse power engine and boiler with circular saw mill and all fixtures. \$600

No 32—One Good hay press cheap for cash. \$15.00.

No 33—1 pair 2 foot mill-stones, new; cheap; can be seen by calling at this office; \$13.00

No 34.—A second hand Piano in good condition for sale very cheap.

No 35—One rotary valve, German silver, Bf. Cornet, almost new, in splendid condition; price \$17.00.

36.—Travelling Photographers complete outfit with tent, etc. Cost \$125; will sell for \$65.

1870 Established 1870.

**A. C. HARRIS,**

Family Groceries of all Kinds.

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**ROLLER MILLS FLOUR**

From one pound packages to Barrels.

**CONFECTIONERY,**

TOYS,

CIGARS,

TOBACCO.

TEAS and COFFEE,

SUGAR,

SPICES,

CANNED GOODS.

—EVERYTHING FRESH—

I am receiving crackers in fresh lots every week, consequently have no old stock. I am making a specialty of this line and can supply the wholesale trade. My new goods are arriving daily, and are being offered as cheap as any in the city. I want to supply all the families with first class goods at a reasonable cost. All goods delivered to any part of the city free of cost. Try me once.

**CITY LOTS**

—ON THE—

**INSTALLMENT PLAN.**

\$5 & \$6 Per Month Payments—No Interest

Lots ranging in price from \$60 to \$150 on these terms. Situated 4 blocks from Main Street.

32-4f BUEBAUM & EAMES.

Buy your sewing machines from Meroney & Bro. They keep them in order 5 years free of charge, saving expenses of sending them to the factories.

They sell attachments and needles for all kinds of machines at wholesale and retail; will sell needles to the trade at factory prices.

**FOR**  
**COTTON**  
USE THE OLD RELIABLE  
**SEA FOWL,**  
—OR THE—

**Owl Brand,**  
**Anchor Brand,**  
—OR THE—  
**ARLINGTON**  
**GUANO!**  
—OR THE—

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USE ONLY  
**"ROYSTER'S HIGH GRADE"**  
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