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## LOCK OUT.

See Quotations Below.

We are selling good Choaper than any house in the town or county, and are paying more for produce than some of our brother merchants in R. R. cities 20 years old and more.

### Just Think About it.

Only had a R. R. about 4 months and have as good a market for your chickens, eggs, butter, &c., as Winston or Statesville either.

Think once more about us closing out our old stock for almost nothing in order to get ready to sell you goods right. Remember the old adage that "the new broom sweeps clean." Come and help us make the "new broom" and we will show you how to "sweep clean."

We are going to name this new broom.

The Wilkesboro Bee Hive and we are going to make it appear like a bee hive of pure honey to all our customers. We expect to sting you with New prices and as you look back over the past you will remark: "O how I have been cheated by other men in buying my goods. I shall henceforth and forever stick to the Wilkesboro Bee Hive, where I can buy my goods right and live on pure unadulterated Honey."

We claim to be the

Originators & Adjustors

of

## LOW PRICES,

in Wilkes County and we believe the People have found this out. Remember the prices of Plaids, Domestic, Cottonades, &c., when we came to this place. Come and see what they are now. We simply leave the matter for you to Judge. Who started the crusade on the prices of these staple articles and necessities of life.

We pay the money for our goods and intend to give our customers the advantage of every change in the market.

The Old Reliable Store of

T. S. MILLER & CO.

## Wilkesboro Produce Market

Corrected Weekly By

T. S. MILLER & Co.

Article	Weight	Price
Wheat	60	1.25
Corn	56	.80
Rye	55	1.00
Oats	52	.75
Clay Peas	60	.75
White Beans	"	1.00
Colored "	"	.75
Meal, bolted	44	.90
Flour, Good Family, per sack	"	3.00
Potatoes, Irish	60	.80
Chickens	12 1/2	1.18
Onions	70	.70
Tallow	"	per pound .04
Lard	"	10
Butter	12 1/2	1.18
Eggs	per doz	10
Coffee, Best in the market, per lb.	"	28
Beeswax	"	20@22
Bacon Western	"	8
Salt, 125 lb sacks	"	75
Sugar, Brown	per lb	7
Sugar, White	"	8
Feathers, white, geese	"	45
Feathers, Duck	"	30
Hides, Green	"	04
Hides, Dry	"	05
Wool, washed and picked	"	38
Fish, salt	"	5
Blackberries, per pound	"	6
Apples, dried	5 to 8	10
Peaches	10 to 15	15
Cherries, well dried	"	7

## THE CHRONICLE

R. A. DEAL,  
 Editor and Publisher.

Entered at the Post-office in Wilkesboro as second-class matter.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1891.

### GOVERNOR FOWLE DEAD.

He suddenly Passed away Tuesday night the 7th.

Scarcely had the grave of the lamented Saunders been filled ere the people of North Carolina are startled with the news, "Governor Fowle is Dead," which flew all over the State like wild fire. The people are shocked and grieved and appalled. He was dear to the hearts of his people whom had so faithfully served in many capacities, and none was expecting to hear of his death. We do not recall an instance when our people have been called upon to mourn the loss of their two principal officers so near to gether. There have been but two Governors before this to die in office: Governor Ellis in 1861, and Governor Caldwell in 1874.

Governor Fowle had scarcely been sick. He had been a little indisposed, but nothing supposed to border on seriousness. But on the night of the 7th about 11 o'clock he was called hence by heart-failure.

Daniel G. Fowle, was born in Washington, this State, 1831. He attended Bingham School and at the age of Sixteen entered Princeton College, N. J., where he graduated 1851. He then studied Law under Judge Pearson for two years, and was admitted to the bar in 1853, and soon after located at Raleigh. In 1856 he married Helen Brent, daughter of Judge Pearson, who died in 1862, leaving 2 children, Margaret, now wife of P. H. Andrews, and Martha, wife of David Avera, of Raleigh. In 1866 he married Mary E., only daughter of Dr. F. J. Haywood who died in 1886, leaving 3 children.

At the outbreak of the war he enlisted in the company of Raleigh Rifles. He afterwards served as Major of the Commissary Department and Colonel of the 31st Regiment, and while serving in this latter capacity was captured at Roanoke Island by Burnside's 1862, but after a short imprisonment was paroled.

In October, 1862, he was elected in Wake to the house of commons, and at the adjournment of the Legislature was appointed adjutant General of this State, which position he resigned in 1863. In 1864 he was again elected to represent Wake on the anti-Holden ticket. In 1865 he was appointed Judge of superior court by Gov. Holden, and was the next year elected to the same position by the Legislature. He filled this position till 1867, when he resigned rather than obey the order of General Sickles then Military Governor.

He served the people in many ways and was prominent in the Democratic councils till his death. In 1880 he was a candidate for the nomination for Governor, but was defeated by Jarvis. That year he canvassed the state from mountain to seashore in behalf of Jarvis, his successful opponent. In June 1888 he was nominated for Governor and elected in November following, in which capacity he served till death.

Fowle had a big, kind heart. Few prominent men has had

position for all with whom he came in contact.

He served with credit, honesty and ability in all the positions to which he was called during his eventful life. He was a strict member of the Presbyterian church, and lived in accordance with the requirements of his religious professions.

Another grand man has been called from us. Another sentinel who has nobly watched the interests of his people is off duty forever; another buoy-bell on the ocean of time is hushed.

### An Object Lesson.

People ought to believe anything when it comes right home to them.

One thing is perfectly clear. Sugar has decreased in price about 3 cents per pound since the 1st day of April. Granulated Sugar which before that time was 9 and 10 cents per pounds is now 6 and 7 cents per pound.

On April 1st the McKinley bill went into effect as to Sugar. This bill repeals the tariff duty of near 3 cents per pound on sugar.

This accounts for the fall in the price of sugar. That is, a repeal of the tariff duty of near 3 cents per pound on sugar decreases the price of sugar near 3 cents per pound.

Do you understand? Now to revert a moment. Ever since you can remember, the Republicans have told you and preached to you that a tariff is not a tax and burden on our people, that the tariff does not increase the price of anything but rather decreases the price.

On the other hand the Democrats have as earnestly told you that the tariff is a tax and burden, that the tariff does increase the price of the manufactured articles on which it is placed, and that the price of such articles would decrease if the tariff on them were repealed.

Which has told you the truth?

The repeal of the tariff on sugar has reduced its price. This is what the Democrats have always told you. Republicans denied it.

Republicans are now claiming credit for reducing the price of sugar, which is proper. But every time they do so they give a libel to their utterances and speeches on the tariff for the last 30 years.

It must also be remembered that in reducing the price of sugar they have increased the price of all hardware and other things as equally necessary to our people.

Capt. Ben Terrell, of Texas, will make an address at the Court House in Wilkesboro next Friday, the 17th, on the subject of the Farmers Alliance. He is said to be a very able and eloquent speaker. We may safely say that all who attend will be treated to a good speech.

A short time ago, at the Coke mines in Pennsylvania, several strikers were shot and killed. Among them was one or two Italians, subjects of the Italian Government. It is a very notable fact that Mr. Secretary Blaine has not yet sent a dispatch to the Governor of Pennsylvania deploring the "Massecre," as he did to the Governor of Louisiana. Nor has the Italian Gov-

or damages. It seems that Blaine's regrets for "the Massecre" must precede the demands of Italy, and Blaine dont send his messages of regret when the "massecre" takes place in that portion of the globe which he thinks is the "United States of America."

P. T. Barnum, the great Showman, died at Bridgeport Conn, on the 5th inst.

### Osbornville Notes.

Dr. L. P. Somers, having attended his second course of lectures at the Baltimore Medical College, has returned and located at Osbornville for the practice of medicine and surgery. He is skilled in his profession, has met with splendid success, and we take pleasure in recommending him to the public.

W. A. C.

### List of Assessors and List takers.

The Commissioners appointed the following assessors and list takers for the different townships:

Edwards—J T Edwards, J I Parks, F. A Harris.  
 Trap Hill—W Joines, J S Holbrook, J F Gentry.  
 Walnut Grove—W M Absher, F H Alexander, E C Huie.  
 Rock Creek—A M Church, I Blackburn, G M Woodruff.  
 Mulberry—P E Dancy, Lee Johnson, E M Absher.  
 Union—L E Whittington, E T Dancy, Joshua Shepherd.  
 Reddies River—J A Crysel, W A McNeil, W C Winkler.  
 Jobs Cabin—A J Taylor, John Behrens, W M Lee.  
 Lewis Fork—J O McNeil, B F Eller, T D Hall.  
 Elk—T C Land, R D Horton, L J Hendrix.

Beaver Creek—Samuel Carlton, L C Ferguson, S H Swanson.  
 Moravian Falls—T J Gilreath, R A Spainhour, J H Ferguson.

Wilkesboro—A A Finley, J M Turner, Thos J Williams.  
 Brushy Mountain—J H Ellis, W O Hendren, J F Parlier.  
 Lovelace—C C Wright, B R Transou, G W Hays.

Somers—L W Lunsford, Alfred Warren, J R Wright.  
 New Castle—R W Wooten, G W Sales, E A Wells.

Antioch—H A Foster, James M Jarvis, J B Martin.

The assessors of each township are ordered to meet on or before the 2nd Monday in May and elect a chairman. They are also ordered to meet with the county coms. at Wilkesboro on the first Monday in June for consultation.

### County Claims.

H. Minton, burial expenses of Hanah Minton, \$3.75.  
 T. J. Gilreath, Register for Moravian township, \$7.29.  
 E. Wallace, burial expenses of Nelson Foster, \$4.40.  
 T M Crysel, Coronor, in Murk Harris case, \$18.40.  
 T M Crysel, cryer of court, \$11.00.  
 T S Miller & Co, Merchandise, \$5-50.  
 Calvin Hays, burial expenses of Milly Rollin, and Keeper of poor house, \$108.27.  
 John Davidson, officer of Grand Jury, \$6.00.  
 M Joins, burial expenses of Henry Griffin, \$3.40.  
 E M Welborn, feeding Jury in Mathis case, \$26.00.  
 Dr J M Turner, holding post mortem examination over Murk Harris, \$23.00.  
 J H Andrews, D S, trip to Greensboro with warrant for Guss Patterson, \$18.85.  
 T M Crysel Jailor for the month of March, \$94.95.  
 S. J. Greenwood for summoning Jury etc, \$68.12.

### Orders Made by Coms.

That Sallie Hendrow, pauper, be allowed \$2 per month.  
 That Isaac Lowe, a pauper, be allowed \$1 per month.  
 That the two idiot children of Thos. wood, be allowed \$1 per month each.  
 That Andy Marrison, pauper, be allowed \$1.50 per month.  
 That Martha Johnson and 3 children be admitted to Poor House.  
 That James Johnson pauper, be placed under care of D C Jarvis for one month.  
 That Roaring River be declared a lawful fence for stock law purposes, from its Mouth to J H Alexander's.  
 That Lucy Higgins, a pauper be allowed \$1 per month.  
 That Nancy Benje, a pauper, be allowed \$1 per month.  
 That Wesley Waters, a pauper, be allowed \$1 per month.  
 That Samuel Bishop, pauper, be al-

## It's an Ill Wind that Blows No One Good!

In the midst of the Panic which has just passed over the money centres of this country our buyers were on the market placing orders for

### SPRING GOODS.

A panic has been defined as "People losing their heads." The definition is a good one. During the crisis a Dollar in Cash was worth a handsome Premium. Holders of Merchandise who found themselves in need of ready Cash were driven to make Sales, and the opportunities for profitable investments were not wanting.

It is only necessary to add that we have taken advantage of the situation to the full extent and as a result are prepared for the Spring Trade as never before.

Economical management, small profits and a large volume of business, we have all ways believed, the surer road to success. This will continue to be our policy.

To merit the good will and support of our customers is always foremost in our minds, and starting in the New Year with such auspicious prospects it affords us pleasure to invite their continued co-operation.

Very respectfully,

WALLACE BROS.

Statesville, N. C., January 1, 1891.

GEO. W. HINSHAW,

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Wholesale and Retail Merchants.

### WHOLESALE:

In this department, which is entirely separate from our retail business, we carry an immense stock of Prints, gingham, lawns, satines, worsteds, muslins, piques, bleached and brown sheeting, tickings, shirtings, plaids, oil cloths, notions and trimmings of every description. Ladies', Misses', Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes, Hats, etc.; sugars, syrups, molasses, coffee, rice, leather, staple drugs and patent medicines, flour, meat, lard, soap, ship stuff, etc., etc.

Mr. Medearis has just returned from the Northern cities, where he purchased of first hands an immense stock for this department and we are able to meet all competitors from every source, and make it to the interest of merchants to trade with us.

### RETAIL:

FARMERS' SUPPLIES.—Please remember that we sell only the best quality that can be had.—One car load choice red clover seed, sapling clover seed, Lucerne clover seed; Timothy, orchard grass, Kentucky blue grass and other field seeds. 1500 bushels black seed spring oats, 50 barrels seed Irish potatoes of the best varieties. For more than twenty years the Star Brand Special Tobacco Manure, Anchor Brand Special Tobacco Manure, and Star Brand Guano have been the leading brands—a fertilizer for making fine tobacco, grain and grass.

We Have a FULL SUPPLY This Year. One hundred thousand yards tobacco plant covering cheap. Corn, meal, ship stuff, flour, meat, lard, molasses, syrups, coffee, sugars, etc. All in large quantities at low prices consistent with quality of goods.

### General Retail Department.

Casimeres, doekin, jeans, cottonades: linen drills, sheeting, plaids, duck ticking, table cloths, umbrellas, men's dress shirts, satines, worsteds, muslins, striped and other shirts, suspenders, hosiery, gloves, collars, cuffs, ties, handkerchiefs, mens, boys and childrens soft and stiff fur and straw hats, including a full line of Stetson's hats. Fine shoes in great variety. Coarse shoes, common shoes, ladies' misses' and children's course shoes. We have increased our stock in this department and are offering inducements in quality, styles and prices. It will pay you to examine this department before you make any purchases.

### LADIES' DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We make a specialty of fine dress goods. Our stock this season embraces all of the newest colorings and latest weaves with a full line of trimmings to match. Black and colored silks from 50c to \$1.75 per yard. We show the best line of 25 and 50 cent dress goods to be found in the State.

### OUR CARPET DEPARTMENT

Is well stocked with Ingrains, 3 ply, velvets, and Brussels.

Elegant line of shoes of the very best makes for ladies, misses and children.

Be sure and Call When You Come to Town.

Your Friends Truly,  
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## Cheap Goods at Low Prices

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## R. A. SPAINHOUR'S.

He has just returned from purchasing the most complete stock of goods he has ever bought and has determined to sell at prices very low down.

He wants in addition to all kinds of produce a large lot of White Oak Stave.