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3 in.	2.00	4.00	7.50	10.00	17.50
1 col.	3.50	6.00	10.00	17.00	25.00
1 col.	6.50	9.75	18.00	30.00	45.00
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The Chronicle.

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WILKESBORO, WILKES COUNTY, N. C., AUGUST 5, 1891.

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LOCK OUT.

See Quotations Below.

We are selling good Cheaper 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	
Corn	56	1.00
Rye	56	
Oats	52	75
Clay Peas	60	
White Beans		
Colored		
Meal, bolted	44	1.00
Flour, Good Family, per lb.		3.60
Potatoes, Irish		
Onions	15 to 25	
Tallow	per pound	04
Lard	" "	10
Butter		
Eggs	per doz.	12
Coffee, Best in the market, per lb.		23
Beeswax	" "	22@25
Bacon Western	7 to 9	
Salt, 125 lb sacks		75
Sugar, Brown	per lb	51
Sugar, White	" "	61
Feathers, white, geese	" "	45
Feathers, Duck	" "	30
Hides, Green	" "	04
Hides, Dry	" "	08
Wool, washed and picked	" "	30
Fish, salt	" "	5
Blackberries, per pound		
Apples, dried		
Peaches		
Cherries, well dried		

All kinds of produce not mentioned above

The Wilkesboro Chronicle.

R. A. DEAL, Editor and Proprietor.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1891.

There is to be a newspaper started at Elkin soon by Mr. Charlotte, recently of the Ashboro Courier.

There is a big run at Blowing Rock now, and they say the woods is just full of the prettiest lasses the world affords.

The great wave of crime now sweeping different parts of the country is said by Psychologists to be in a great measure due to the state of the weather.

The Sentinel reports the death of Mrs. Geo. R. Quincy, of Winston, last week. She was the wife of the proprietor of the Quincy Hotel.

A negro down in Bladen County last week assaulted a 10 year old negro girl and afterwards murdered her. He has escaped capture so far.

Another rich gold find is reported near the Uwharrie River in Montgomery Co., this state. It is on lands recently purchased by Senator Spooner of Wisconsin.

The People's Party will put out a candidate for Governor in Ohio. They say also that they will nominate and elect the next President of the United States.

In the Kentucky State election last week, the Democrats carried the state with about their usual majority. The new constitution was ratified. The new People's Party vote was small.

Information is that McDougald, who is charged with the murder of his uncle near Laurinburg several months ago, has been captured in Oregon, and will be brought back for trial under requisition of Gov. Holt.

The G. A. R. is about to have trouble over the negro question. The negro is not wanted in the organization, but the negro says he fought him a little during the war and has a right there, and there he expects to stay.

Two Editors, in Columbia, S. C., last week, while news matter was pretty dull, spent part of one evening amusing themselves by trying to cowhide each other. An enterprising editor is hard to beat. He will have news some way or other.

Pension payments from the United States treasury are being made at the rate of near two million dollars per day since the first of August. That simply amounts to as much as \$90 per head for each man, boy, woman and child now living in the county of Wilkes. That is Republican economy.

Here is a short sermon. It covers many points of conduct, duty and religion. If followed, many defects will be removed, many sins avowed, much peace secured, much goodness done: "The best thing to give to your enemy is forgiveness; to an opponent, tolerance; to a friend, your heart; to a child, good example; to your father, deference; to your mother, conduct that will make her proud of you; to yourself, respect; to all men,

An Alliance orator, one Leo R. Woods, is very extravagant in his opinions, and says that the Alliance, the People's Party, will bring on a war and that a new John Brown will lead it. Mr. Woods may have a good deal of sense, but if he really thinks the Alliance or anybody else is wanting a war he is clear off the track and that bad.

The Landmark gives an account of a serious accident befalling W. W. Mott, of Seattle, Washington, formerly of Statesville. He was severely burned by a gas explosion. He was working in the office of the sheriff as clerk, went to the vault for a book, the gas pipe had been leaking, and when he struck a match a great explosion took place, burning his cloths, hair and eye lashes to a crisp. He is in a critical condition, but will recover it is thought.

The reunion of the Confederate Veterans at Wrightsville was a grand occasion for the boys. It was pleasant for those old gray bearded patriots who had often stood facing the foe amid storms of shot and shell to grasp each others' hands once again and live over in fancy those fiery days of old. Those attending from Wilkes were R. G. Culler, David McLean, John Bollin, Martin Marlow, Anderson Cane, Sidney Huffman and Jake Shew. They are enthusiastic over their trip.

Hotel Wilkesboro.

The is the name of the new hotel just open for the accommodation of the public.

It is a large brick building on main street facing the court house square. It is a dandy, and an honor to any place. It is a three story building, the second and third being the hotel part. The first story contains three large store rooms, a sample room and office.

The basement has several good rooms.

The hotel part contains 38 large commodious rooms, well lighted and ventilated, there being a large open well in the center of the building. There are 31 bed rooms, 21 of these being on the third story, and 10 on the second. The dining room with an easy capacity of 40 persons, kitchen, and parlor are on the second story.

On three sides of the building on the second story will be a beautiful covered veranda or balcony which is now in process of erection, and which will command excellent views in every direction. At the east end of the third story will also be a veranda.

The arrangements in case of fire are excellent. There are three stairways leading down on the inside and one on the outside.

The hall ways running all through the building are large and will always be pleasantly cool.

The furnishing of the hotel is first-class in every respect.

All the rooms and hall ways are carpeted with excellent material at an aggregate cost of \$400.

The ware is of the most excellent quality, costing \$500, the silverware being \$250. The chamber sets cost \$125. The table linen, etc., are first class, costing over \$50.

The sheeting, blankets, quilts and comforts for bedding made a bill of \$225, and the springs,

more. The furniture entire, which was furnished by Isely and Caffey, is first-class oak, neat and pretty in every respect, and aggregates a bill of about \$1300. The beautiful parlor set alone cost \$85.

The kitchen is furnished with a large range, purchased from Mr. Starr, at \$60.

The entire building, every room, is furnished with a system of electric bells at \$100 cost.

A nice \$500 Piano has been shipped to be inspected, and will doubtless be purchased.

All in all it is one of the most complete hotels in the state and is prepared to accommodate the public in first-class order.

Mr. Staley the proprietor, understands his business and all who stop with him may rest perfectly assured of being accommodated royally.

Wilkesboro has a right to be and is proud of her new hotel.

Obituary.

And now again the public heart is shocked at the sad intelligence of the sudden and unexpected demise of Maj. W. W. Hampton of Swan Pond, Wilkes Co. N. C.

The cause that led to the fearful termination of his earthly existence, is shrouded in mystery, and it is only known that he was just recovering from a severe nervous attack and was quite melancholy. He was born, and reared upon the Swan Pond plantation on the Yadkin River, a very valuable estate, the Post office at the place taking the name of the plantation; where he ever resided and where his remains now rests in peace. He died on the 7th of July, at the age of 65 years having, during his life served his country honorably in the Legislature of N. C., in other public positions, civil and military.

The writer has been intimately acquainted with Maj. Hampton and takes great pleasure in saying he was a gentleman of high sense of honor and possessed of many noble traits. He had his faults and who has not and who has fewer,—let him who is faultless cast the first stone and let him and him alone speak of the faults of the absent brother. We may well say of Maj. Hampton, "that to be known was to be liked;" and the many poor, black as well as white, all around in his vicinity are grief stricken at the loss of their best friend.

He never was known to turn off an empty sack while his corn lasted and he raised immense quantities of that staple.

If that old adage is true, and I believe it is, that "whom the poor praisteth the Lord blesteth" then indeed is Maj. Hampton one of the blessed.

About five years since the Major very earnestly requested me to visit him, and I did so shortly thereafter. He was then alone his aged widowed mother having died a short time previously. He then told me that he had just had an experience that he desired to relate to me. He said he was in very deep trouble and it seemed that the mountains of distress and anguish were crushing him to destruction. He said he had always been a praying man but in that extreme emergency, he prayed as never before, and when he had about given up all his burden was suddenly removed. I told him that was regeneration and rejoiced with him, that he had found the pearl of great price. And now to his bereft companion, and grief stricken sisters and brothers and to a saddened community, I want to say "weep not as those who have no hope;" but with patient resignation submit to the incomprehensible will of providence who doeth all things well and be sure to comply with that last request he made in his last interview with one of his devoted sisters, to meet him in the better land. May God temper the winds to the shorn lambs. The deepest sympathy of a true friend to the departed brother is tendered to the relatives of the absent one.

F. A. AARIS.

Much injury is done by the use of irritating, gripping compounds taken as purgatives, in Ayers's Pills, the patient has a mild but effective cathartic, that can be confidently recommended alike for the most delicate patients as well as the most robust.

Do not make mistakes, but go to N. M. Allen, North Wilkesboro for hardware and anything you want in that

Ho! for Western North Carolina!

The Garden Spot of the World!

IN VARIETY OF PRODUCTS it Surpasses all other sections.

Owing to its wonderful natural resources it was possible to establish here the most extensive Herbarium on the Globe, and with it side by side has grown up the

LARGEST WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENT in N. C. Strangers wonder at its magnitude and are at a loss to understand how it has been accomplished; the explanation is easy:

Fair Dealing, Economical Management, Minimum profits and a LARGE VOLUME OF BUSINESS, Has been our aim and policy and has contributed chiefly, we believe, to the success we have thus far attained.

It has become a well known fact and is said to the credit of our people that merchandise of every description is sold cheaper in Western North Carolina than anywhere in the South. New Yorkers frequently say to us: "Why, you folks sell goods cheaper than we do here." This we are pleased to admit and it is not a revelation to many of our best merchants. Experienced business men are alive to the fact that the Retail Merchant can buy to better advantage in Baltimore than in New York, in Richmond than in Baltimore and in Statesville better still than in Richmond.

BY MAKING LARGE PURCHASES

WE ARE ENABLED TO SECURE THE

Lowest Quantity Prices, while our Expenses are Insignificant As compared with houses in the large cities

Our object, however, in this advertisement was more particularly to call attention to a

NEW AND HANDSOME LINE OF GOODS,

ESPECIALLY FOR THE DRIED FRUIT SEASON.

Our Counters are Loaded with Seasonable Goods and there are

Bargains in Every Department. Stock is complete and there will be no delay making shipments.

Respectfully,

WALLACE BROS.

Statesville, N. C., May 23, 1891.

GEO. W. HINSHAW,

N. B. MEDEARIS,

1866-1891

HINSHAW & MEDEARIS,

NOS. 120, 124 AND 126 WEST FOURTH STREET,

WINSTON, N. C.

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, pique, 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 lowest prices consistent with quality of goods.

General Retail Department.

Cassimeres, doeskin, jeans, cottonades: linen drills, sheeting, plaids, duck ticking, table cloths, umbrellas, men's dress shirts, unlaundried shirts, chevrot, 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 coarse 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,

WINSTON, N. C., March, 14, '91.

HINSHAW & MEDEARIS.

MORAVIAN FALLS ACADEMY,

MORAVIAN FALLS, N. C.

1. Next term of five months will open Aug. 10, 1891.
2. Tuition per month \$2 to \$4. Fee ten cents.
3. Board, with fuel, lights and washing per month \$7.
4. No primary or free school connected with the Academy.
5. The school will prepare for college or teaching.
6. Next year six students will receive in cash \$30 each. Requirements are scholarship, good character, and attendance the entire year. For catalogue address