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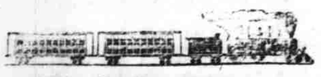
LINES OF TRAVEL.

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad.

OFFICE CHIEF ENGINEER & SUPT.,
Wilmington, Nov. 3, 1866.



CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY the 5th inst., the following fast Schedule of time will be run over this Railway.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Wilmington at..... 4.45 A. M.
" " " ..... 11.15 A. M.
Arrive at Goldsboro' at..... 9.25 A. M.
" " " " ..... 2 57 P. M.
Arrive at Weldon at..... 2.00 P. M.
" " " " ..... 6.35 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Weldon at..... 11.00 A. M.
" " " ..... 7.35 P. M.
Arrive at Goldsboro' at..... 3.00 P. M.
" " " " ..... 11.50 P. M.
Arrive at Wilmington..... 8.00 P. M.
" " " " ..... 4.30 A. M

Close connections are made by both trains going South.

The 5 A. M. train from Wilmington, and 11 A. M. train from Weldon, do not run on Sunday's.

Close connections are made by the 11 05 A. M. train both ways between New York and New Orleans.

By the train that leaves here at 11.05 and the one that arrives here at 4.30 A. M., close connections are made between New York and New Orleans. Connections are made by the other trains but more time is required.

To go North by Bay Line, leave at 5.00 A. M.; to go by Annemessix, leave by the 11.05 A. M. train. Either train connects by Richmond.

Close connections at Goldsboro with the N. C. trains by the 5.00 A. M. train, and by either to Newbern.

S. L. FREMONT,
Chief Engineer and Superintendent.

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Wilmington & Manchester R. R.

OFFICE GEN. SUPT. WIL. & MAN. R. ROAD,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 3d, 1866.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY the 5th of Nov the following Schedule will go into effect on the Wilmington and Manchester Railroad.

EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington daily at..... 4.50 A. M
Arrive at Kingsville " ..... 3.30 P. M.
Leave Kingsville " ..... 1.45 A. M.
Arrive at Wilmington daily at.... 10.45 A. M.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington daily at..... 8.20 P. M.
Arrive at Kingsville " ..... 8.00 A. M.
Leave Kingsville " ..... 4 30 P. M.
Arrive at Wilmington daily at.... 3.45 A. M.

Close connections made by both trains at Wilmington with the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad; at Florence with the North Eastern Railroad for Charleston, and at Kingsville with the South Carolina Railroad.

WM. McRAE,
General Superintendent.

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TRANSPORTATION OFFICE,
WILMINGTON, CHARLOTTE & R. R. Co.,
Wilmington, N. C. May 29, 1866.

FROM AND AFTER JUNE 1st, 1866, the Mail Train on this road will leave Wilmington at 6 o'clock, A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and arrive at Sand Hill at 3 o'clock, P. M. Returning will leave Sand Hill at 7 o'clock, A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and arrive in Wilmington at 4 o'clock, P. M.

WM. H. ALLEN,
Master of Transportation.

may 31 293-tf

For Rent.

THE STORE AT PRESENT OCCUPIED BY Messrs. Moffitt, Bro. & Co., and the office over the store occupied by Mr. Alfred Martin, from the 1st of Oct., 1866, to the 1st of Oct., 1867

For further particulars, apply to Mr. Jas. Anderson, during my absence.

W. D. SMITH, Agent,
REV. C. BRUCE WALKER.

aug 31 280-tf

Lippitt's Confectionery.

BREAD IN ALL ITS VARIETIES,

FRESH, MORNING and EVENING.

FANCY CAKES AND PIES

TO SUIT THE MOST FASTIDIOUS,

FRESH EVERY DAY.

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AGENTS WANTED FOR
the Life and Campaigns of

Gen. Stonewall Jackson,

By Prof. R. L. Dabney, D. D., of Va.

THE STANDARD BIOGRAPHY OF THE Immortal Hero. The only edition authorized by his widow, and published for her pecuniary benefit. The author a personal friend and Chief of Staff of the Christian Soldier. We want an Agent in every county. Send for circulars and see our terms, and what the Press says of the work. Address

NATIONAL PUBLISHING CO.,
Corner 7th and Main sts., Richmond, Va.

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NOTICE.

UNDER AN ARRANGEMENT ENTERED into between my successors and myself, debts due the DISPATCH office or subscription are made payable to Messrs. Robinson, Smith & Baker. Those due for advertising are payable to myself. Parties will please take notice of this.

JNO. D. BARRY.

aug 7 259-tf

WANTED.

A LADY WISHES A SITUATION AS Housekeeper. For particulars, apply to the DISPATCH OFFICE.

dec 9 365-tf

TEXAS----Wanted.

FOUR ABLE-BODIED YOUNG WHITE men, willing to work on a farm—to go to Texas. Passage paid, and $10 to $15 specie, per month, guaranteed.

Also two young white women to do housework.

Address or telegraph

DR. A. A. McBRIDE,
Care Capt. L. H. BALDWIN, Austin st., Galveston, Texas.

nov 24 353-tf

TAKE NO MORE UNPLEASANT AND UNsafe remedies for unpleasant and dangerous diseases. Use HEMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU and IMPROVED ROSE WASH.

HOTELS.

City Hotel.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 27, 1866.

THE CITY HOTEL IS OPEN FOR THE ACcommodation of the travelling public, and the Proprietors pledge themselves to conduct the House in a style that will give satisfaction to its patrons and guests.

FREDERICK & SHEMWELL.

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MILLS HOUSE,

MEETING STREET,

Charleston, S. C.

THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY repaired and refurnished, and cannot be excelled by any in the city.

JOSEPH PURCELL,
Proprietor.

jan 26 95-tf

CITY HOTEL BARBER.

HAVING thoroughly refitted and refurnished my Shop, I am prepared to shave, cut hair, dye and shampoon in the latest styles.

Gentlemen visiting my Shop may be assured that they will be waited on with politeness and promptness.

EDWARD REID.

Jan 30 99-tf

PROFESSIONAL.

JAMES C. DOBBIN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Fayetteville, N. C.,
OFFICE CORNER BOW & GREEN STREETS.

WILL ATTEND PROMPTLY TO THE collection of Claims and other business entrusted to his care.

nov 6 337-tf

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, &c.

JAMES McCORMICK,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
No. 35 Broad Street, Charleston, S. C.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
CLOTHS, CASSIMERS AND VESTINGS,
GENTS' AND BOYS' READY MADE CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS,
TAILORS' TRIMMINGS, etc.

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NEWS! NEWS!

FROM DEPARTMENT

HEADQUARTERS.

Heavy Reinforcement

—OF—

CLOTHING RECEIVED

—AT—

HAAS & CO'S.,

OUR MR. JACOB HASS has just returned from a business tour through the

NORTHERN CITIES,

and having purchased a stock much cheaper than heretofore, we are prepared to offer to the

CITIZENS OF WILMINGTON,

and the public generally, the finest assortment of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS

BOOTS,

SHOES,

HATS, &c.,

at a

HEAVY REDUCTION

from what they have been sold this season.

We would most respectfully call the attention of the

LADIES

to our beautiful assortment of

BOY'S AND YOUTH'S CLOTHING.

They are of superior make to any ever offered in this market. Our

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

attends to orders promptly, and suits are guaranteed to fit.

Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Haas & Co.

Front Street near Market,

Old Stand of Hedrick & Ryan.

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FOR SALE.

A VERY VALUABLE COTTON FARM, —situated eight miles from the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Railroad, at Alfordsville, containing 600 acres of land, 250 of which is cleared and in a very high state of cultivation, well improved, buildings of every kind and the health of the place unsurpassed by any in the State. I will sell the land for the proceeds of it of one year's work of ten hands. A large amount of provisions and stock on the place can be bought with the land, at market prices. I offer better inducements to the right kind of a purchaser than can be had anywhere in the South, as my present crop, (though a short one) will show cash prices for all on the place. References: Hon. R. S. French, Petteway & Moore, E. Murray & Co., Worth & Daniel, Wilmington. Hon. Thos. A. Norment, Capt. W. S. Norment, A. W. Fuller, Berry Godwin, Lumberton, N. C.

Z. FULLMORE.

jan 4 385-1m*

Lippitt's Bread Wagon.

WILL DELIVER BREAD, CAKES, &c., to customers, morning and afternoon.

Those wishing Bread or Cakes delivered will please leave their orders at the Store on front street.

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THE DAILY DISPATCH.

WILMINGTON, JANUARY 23, 1867.

THE DAILY DISPATCH FOR 1867.

REDUCTION OF TERMS.

The proprietors of the DAILY DISPATCH having determined to largely increase the circulation of their paper, offer the DISPATCH for 1867, at such greatly reduced rates, as to place it within the reach of every body and they trust that under the new arrangement, it may be their privilege to add many new names to their list, both of city and country subscribers.

Notice was given a short time since of an intention to enlarge the DISPATCH; but it has since been deemed best by the proprietors to make other arrangements. The DISPATCH will not be enlarged at present; but such improvements will be introduced, as it is confidently expected, will make it, as a newspaper, more interesting, valuable and reliable.

Particular attention will be paid to the COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT. The home and foreign markets will be fully and *accurately* reported. To this end, the services of a gentleman, every way fitted for the purpose, have been engaged, who will give to this his whole time and attention.

TERMS:

Daily Dispatch, one year, - - - $6 00
" " six months - - - $4 00

The subscription prices must, in every instance, be paid in advance, and no name of a new subscriber will be entered on the books until this is complied with.

Subscribers who have paid in advance at old rates, will be credited with the amount due them, from the 1st January 1867, at the new rates.

Bills will be forwarded to those who are indebted for subscription, and they must be paid at once.

Appreciating the liberal patronage which has been conferred on the DISPATCH, the proprietors confidently promise that it shall hereafter be more worthy than ever of public favor.

Jim Greeley's Jumping Frog—A California Tale.

Jim Greeley ketched a frog one day and took him home, and said he calkilated to educate him; and so he never done nothin for three months but set in his back yard and learn that frog to jump. And you bet he did learn him to jump too. He'd give him a little punch behind, and the next minute you'd see that frog whirling in the air like a doughnut—see him turn one summerset, or may be a couple, if he got a good start, and come down flat-footed and all right, like a cat. He got him up so in the matter of catching flies, and kept him in practice so constant that he'd nail a fly every time as far as he could see him. Greeley said all a frog wanted was education, and he could do most anything—and I believe him. Why, I've seen him set Daniel Webster down on this floor—Daniel Webster was the name of the frog—and sing out, "Flies, Daniel, flies!" and quicker'n you could wink, he'd spring straight up, and shake a fly off'n the counter there, and flop down on the floor again as solid as a gob of mud, and fall to scratching the side of his head with his hind foot, as indifferent as if he hadn't no idea he'd done any more'n any frog might do.

You never see a frog so modest and straightfor'ard as he was, for all he was so gifted. And when it come to fair and square jumping on a dead level, he could get over more ground at one straddle than any animal of his breed you ever see. Jumping on the dead level was his strong suit, you understand, and when it come to that Greeley would ante up money on him as long as he had a red. Greeley was monstrous proud of his frog, and well he might be, for fellers that had traveled and been everywheres, all said he laid over any frog that ever they see.

Well, Greeley kept the beast in a lattice box, and he used to fetch him down town sometimes and lay for a bet. One day a feller—a stranger in the camp, he was—come across him with his box, and says:

"What might that be you've got in the box?"

And Greeley says, sorter indifferent like: "It might be a parrot, or it might be a canary, may be, but it ain't—it's only just a frog."

And the feller took it and looked at it careful, and turned it round this way and that, and says, "H'm—so 'tis. Well, what's he good for?"

"Well," Greeley says easy and careless, "he's good enough for one thing, I should judge; he can out jump any frog in Calaveras county."

The feller took the box again, and took another long, particular look, and gave it back to Greeley, and says very deliberate, "Well, I do'nt see no points about that frog that's any better'n any other frog.'

"Maybe you don't," Greeley says. "Maybe you understand frogs, and maybe you don't understand 'em; maybe you've had experience, and maybe you ain't only a ameture, as it were. Anyway, I've got my opinion, and I'll risk $40 that he can outjump any frog in Calaveras county.

And the feller studied a minute, and then says, kinder sad like, "Well, I'm only a stranger here and ain't got no frog—but if I had a frog I'd bet you."

And then Greeley says, "That's all right—that's all right—if you'll hold my box a minute I'll go and get you a frog;" and so the feller took the box, and put up his $40 along with Greeley's, and set down to wait.

So he set there a good while thinking and thinking to himself, and then he got the frog out and pried its mouth open and took a teaspoon and filled him full of quail shot, and filled him pretty near up to his chin and set him on the floor. Greeley, he went to the swamp and slopped around in the mud for a long time, and finally he ketched a frog and fetched him in and give him to this feller and says:

"Now, if you're ready set him alongside of Dan'l, with his forepaws just even with Dan'l, and I'll give the word." Then he says, "one, two, three, jump?" him and the feller touched up the frogs from behind, and the new frog hopped off, but Dan'l give a heave, and hysted up his shoulders, so, like a Frenchman, but it wasn't no use, he could not budge; he was planted as solid as an anvil, and couldn't no more stir than if he was anchored. Greeley was a great deal surprised and he was surprised and disgusted, too, but he didn't have no idea what the matter was, of course.

The feller took the money and started away, and when he was going out the door he sorter jerked his thumb over his shoulder—this way—at Dan'l, and says again, very deliberately, "Well, I don't see no points about that frog that's any better'n any other frog."

Greeley he stood scratching his head and looking down at Dan'l a long time, and at last he says, "I do wonder what in the nation that frog throw'd off for—I wonder if there ain't something the matter with him—he 'pears to look mighty baggy, somehow," and he ketched Dan'l by the nap of the neck and lifted him up and says, "Why, blame my cats if he don't weigh five pounds," and turning him upside down he belched out a double handful of shot. And then he see how it was, and he was the maddest man—he set the frog down and took out after the feller, but he never ketched him.

A GOOD JOKE ON ECONOMY.—Not a thousand miles from this city there a lives a woman of the African persuasion, much noted for her economy in household matters, and very industrous in putting everything to the very best use. Christmas day her husband made her a present of a pair of plumpers, which are exceedingly nice and add much to the voluptuous appearance of a feminine bust, telling her, as a sort of presentation speech, that he desired her to keep pace with the fashion and emulate the example of other charmers. Imagine his surprise shortly after when he discovered that she had divided them into two pairs, one for each of her two little girls, who are aged respectively six and nine years. When questioned by her husband as to the why, she said she did not need them herself, and "*brest* de children, it make um look so healthy."—*La Crosse Democrat.*

Eternity has no gray hairs.

Base ball on ice is a new wrinkle.

Scandal will rub out like dirt when it is dry.

The dearest child of all is that which is dead.

The chamber of sickness is the chapel of devotion.

Death has nothing terrible in it but what life has made so.

Ten thousand people live under the pavement in New York.

The pen of the tongue should be dipped in the ink of the heart.

The New York police scooped forty gamblers in one evening.

SHIPPING.

FOR NEW YORK.

Goodspeed's Line.

THE FINE FIRST CLASS STEAMSHIP

PROMETHEUS,

J. F. BECKETT, Commander,

WILL LEAVE OUR WHARF FOR THE ABOVE Port on Tuesday, Jan. 23d.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Agent in New York:

C. GOODSPEED,
46 West street.

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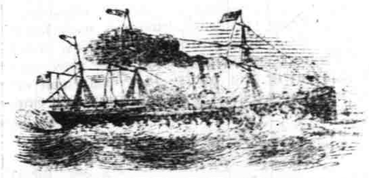
FOR NEW YORK.

MURRAY'S STEAMSHIP LINE.

THE FINE FAST SAILING STEAMSHIP



JUNO,

B. S. SMITH, Commander,

SAILING FROM NEW YORK POSITIVELY on Tuesday, 22nd inst., will sail as above on Saturday 26th.

For Freight, apply to

O. G. PARSLEY & CO

Agents in New York:

MURRAY, FERRIS & CO.,
61 and 62 South st.

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Insurance Agency.

We represent, in this city, the following insurance Companies, viz:

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THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE Co., of New York.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE Co., of New York.

THE MARYLAND LIFE INSURANCE Co., of Baltimore,

These companies are all first class, with large surplus capital, and we can safely recommend them to the confidence of this community.

Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid.

Major MATTHEW P. TAYLOR

will be with us, and give this branch of our business his exclusive attention.

ATKINSON & SHEPPERSON,
11 and 12 North Water street.

dec 13 328-1y

REMOVAL.

DR. CARR HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE and residence to the South side of Market street, directly opposite his former place of business, where he is prepared to perform any operation belonging to his profession, with all modern improvements. Charges in all cases will be moderate, and proportionate to the material desired.

Teeth extracted without pain.

Wilmington, Jan. 2, 1867. 384-tf

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JAMES SHACKELFORD,

SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

☞ Consignments of Merchandise and Country Produce solicited; and all business entrusted to my care will have my personal attention.

Lumber orders will have attention.

oct 10 314-tf

SAM'L N. CANNON. JAMES STOKLEY.

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No. 4 South Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

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S. W. VICK, of Wilmington. C. P. MEBANE, of Alamance county. W. D. REYNOLDS & BRO., of Norfolk, Va.

VICK, MEBANE & CO.,

GROCERS,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Corner Chesnut and Water streets,
Wilmington, N. C.

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ALEX. JOHNSON, JR. E. T. MCKETHAN.

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GROCERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

sept 13 290-tf

PETER MALLETT. CHARLES HOFFMAN.

GEO. B. BAKER,
WITH
MALLETT & HOFFMAN,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 16 North Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

aug 28 277-tf

ATKINSON & SHEPPERSON,

GENERAL

Commission and Forwarding Merchants

AND INSURANCE AGENTS,

11 North Water Street, Wilmington.

WE KEEP CONSTANTLY on hand GUANO and FARMING IMPLEMENTS, of improved styles; and solicit consignments of COTTON, NAVAL STORES and COUNTRY PRODUCE generally, for sale in this market or by our friends in the Northern cities, upon which liberal ADVANCES will be made.

Life, Fire and Marine Insurance, in the best companies on the continent, granted at the lowest rates.

MATTHEW P. TAYLOR,
WITH
ATKINSON & SHEPPERSON.

aug 17 165-tf

GEO. HARRISS. W. W. HARRISS. A. J. HOWELL.

HARRISS & HOWELL,

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NORTH WATER STREET,
Wilmington, N. C.,
AND
196 WATER STREET, NEW YORK.

LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNments to our New York House on Produce, which will be forwarded through, free of commissions.

Consignments are covered by Insurance from ports and places in North and South Carolina, by Railroads, Steam Boats and Flats on the River to a shipping point, and thence to New York.

All shipments should be accompanied by shipping receipts and Invoices from point of shipment, when Insurance attaches through to New York.

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A. A. MOFFITT, W. D. MOFFITT, JOHN M'LAURIN.

MOFFITT, BRO. & CO.,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

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WILL give prompt personal attention to the sale or shipment of Cotton, Naval Stores, General Produce, etc., etc. Also to receiving and forwarding goods.

Orders solicited and promptly filled.

nov 27 43-tf—1-w6m

ATKINSON & SHEPPERSON,

AGENTS FOR THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

From the Insurance Monitor and Wall Street Review, December No., 1866.

EQUITABLE LIFE.

"NEXT TO THE MUTUAL LIFE, among New York Companies, stands the EQUITABLE, insuring during the last annual term, $26,347,000, and issuing 6,376 Policies, being an increase of 3,624 Policies, and $15,768,150 over the respective products of the preceding year's business. This is a surprising advance, and the gain is solid—all cash. The present total yearly income of the Equitable nearly reaches two million dollars, and its assets now amount to almost three millions. Notwithstanding the colossal strides it is making onward, its expenditures are comparatively much lower than the general average. Success, so complete in every respect, as this, evinces unusual skill, and we do not hesitate to ascribe it to the indomitable energy, perseverence and assiduity of its officers and general agents, who work with a determination to make the Company second to none in the United States."

Call on MAJOR MATTHEW P. TAYLOR, *and have your lives insured in a First Class Company,*

At No. 11 and 13 North Water Street.

Jan 10 385-1m

New Southern Works.

LEE AND HIS GENERALS, by Capt. Wm. Parker Snow.

WAR POETRY OF THE SOUTH, by W. Gilmore Simms.

SOUTHERN HISTORY OF THE WAR, by Edward A. Pollard.

For sale by subscription only.

Canvassers wanted, apply for circulars to

FRANK D. SMAW, Jr.,
General Agent for Eastern North Carolina,
No. 106 Princess street,
Wilmington, N. C.

jan 15 385-tf

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the present session of the Legislature for the passage of an act to incorporate the "Bladen Land Company," and an act to incorporate the "Bladen Manufacturing Company."

dec 21 375-1m

THE BINGHAM SCHOOL,

Mebaneville, N. C.

SESSION OF 1867 BEGINS MARCH 6th. Course of instruction, CLASSICAL, MATHEMATICAL and COMMERCIAL.

Address

COL. WM. BINGHAM.

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No. 1 Peruvian Guano.

JUST RECEIVED PER SCHOONER BEN 50 tons genuine Peruvian Guano for sale by

E. MURRAY & CO.

jan 16 396 1m

COMMISSION HOUSES.

RUSSELL, ELLIS & COX,

SHIPPING
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Wilmington, N. C.

jan 15 395-1y

WILLIAMS & MURCHISON,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

AND

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

Wilmington, N. C.,

HAVE REMOVED TO THE NEW STORE on North Water street, next North of Custom House.

nov 4 336-1m

SOL. HAAS & CO.,

SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Water Street,

Next door and adjoining the store of H. M. Barry.

CASH ADVANCES made on consignments Particular attention will be given to consignments of lumber.

oct 11 315-tf

JAMES A. WILLARD,

(FORMERLY WILLARD & CURTIS,)

GENERAL FORWARDING

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND AGENT FOR

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

No. 30 North Water Street, Wilmington, N. C.,

WILL GIVE personal attention to the purchase and sale of Produce and Merchandize.

oct 3 308-tf

C. H. ROBINSON, JAS. C. SMITH, F. G. ROBINSON, ALEX. R. SMITH, of Cumberland.

ROBINSON, SMITH & CO.,

(Successors to C. H. Robinson & Co., and Costin & Smith,)

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Wilmington, N. C.

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J. T. MURRAY, New York. E. MURRAY, Wilmington, N. C.

J. T. MURRAY & CO.,

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No. 188 Front Street, New York.

E. MURRAY & CO.,

WHOLESALE

GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS

WILMINGTON, N. C.

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C. P. MENDENHALL, Greensboro, N. C. M. T. WHITAKER, Enfield, N. C. D. NICHOLS, Baltimore

C. P. Mendenhall & Co.,

Cotton, Tobacco, and General

COMMISSION MERCHANTS;

AND

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

37 & 39 South Calvert St., Corner of Water St.,

Baltimore, Md.

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DEROSSET & CO.,

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ESTABLISHED 1839.

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

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WILMINGTON, N. C.,

WILL GIVE PERSONAL ATTENTION TO the purchase and sale of produce of every description, and to receiving and forwarding goods.

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A. A. WILLARD,

WHOLESALE DEALER IN GROCERIES AND GENERAL MERCHANDIZE,

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No 30 NORTH WATER STREET,
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REFERS TO

Jesse H. Lindsay, Esq., Cashier Bank Cape Fear, Greensboro, N. C.

Rev. C. H. Wiley, Superintendent Public Schools for the State of North Carolina.

Messrs. James Corner & Sons, Baltimore.

Messrs. Dowley, Corners & Co., New York.

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SEA-FOWL GUANO.

DR. HAYES' OPINION OF THE B. D. SEA-FOWL GUANO.

ANALYSES OF THIS GUANO, MADE IN the way of learning the proportions of the active substances present, and their mode of changing in composition, show this Guano to be admirably adapted to the great staples of agricultural production.

The organic part consists of the excrement of fowls, organic and soluble salts of ammonia, animal matter in a state of decay, with oily and fibrous substances, and humus These afford about 4 per cent of ammonia.

The soluble part contains phosphates of various bases, equal to about *sixteen per cent of bone phosphate of lime;* while the whole phosphates present amount to 44 per cent, counted as bone phosphate of lime.

Sulphates, chlorides, and crenates of alkaline bases, make up the remaining parts of this Guano, the whole being in a condition to dissolve in the soil, and become assimilated by the crop.—This Guano has also a fermentative power, and will not only induce this action, but it will excite the humates in the soil to render up any ammonia they contain.

It will be seen that *phosphoric acid, equal to about sixteen per cent of bone phosphate of lime, dissolves freely in water,* and that the forty four per cent, of bone phosphate is all soluble, moisture and time being allowed. With these phosphates there will be about twelve per cent. of organic compounds, affording *four per cent. of pure ammonia,* apart from that obtained from humic compounds. These are proportions which experience has demonstrated as forming a well-balanced Guano, of special value in cotton cultivation, and also adapted to other crops.

Compared with Peruvian Guano, the latter appears as a saline, exciting Guano, well adapted to hastening forward a crop in a backward season, or to excite the production of grass. It cannot be used in consecutive seasons, as the B. D. Sea-Fowl Guano can be, as the latter leaves fertilizing matter in the soil each time it is applied, and thus adds permanent value to the land.

The exact balance found between the soluble phosphates, of different bases, and the ammonia producers, as well as the condition of the less soluble phosphates, is a most important feature in this Guano, and one which places it by the side of Peruvian Guano.

In all applications where the heat of fermentation necessary to hasten the germination, and the food adapted to the growing plant in all its stages, are required, this Guano is of great value, and it may be used with *confidence* in making any of the staple crops of plantation culture, as a substitute for Peruvian Guano.

Respectfully,
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