THE COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1851.

natural dams in creating the pools above them. In the pools there are many points not affording 3 feet water at all times.

In deciding apon the plan for the improvement of the Yadkin, I have been governed in my conclusions by the depth of water upon the different shoals, the fall at the shoals, the extent and depth of water throughout the still pools; and an essential element in the decision also, is the importance to the vast trade which must be borne upon this river, in having at all times and at all seasons a safe and reliable navigation.

I have heard the opinion expressed by several that with a few wing dams and by sluicing the different shoals, a good navigation could be obtained. I am of a different opinion, believing that a sluice navigation, however perfectly constructed, must always be an imperfect one, for the following reasons.

A canal or sluice cut in any shoal will increase the depth upon that shoal, but with a certainty of drawing off the water from the pool above, and exposing ledges and bars which before had sufficient depth upon them.

The effect would be precisely similar to that of cutting a notch or gap in a mill dam, which would lower the head in the pond in proportion to the area of the section cut out.

By sluices and wing dams, where the fall is not *too great*, a tolerable *descending* navigation may be effected, but a very indifferent ascending one. Indeed I very much doubt whether a steamboat ascending the Yadkin could be made to pass through such sluices as would be required at the different shoals.

Suppose the steamboat ascending against the current with a speed of six miles per hour; on entering a sluice where the current was running, say four miles an hour, her speed would be reduced to less than two miles per hour; for one entering the sluice, the Boat would fill a considerable portion of it, and the water would necessarily accumulate at the head of the Boat and thereby increase the area of resistance—the Boat would cease to mind her helm, all steerage way would be lost upon her, and she would necessarily swing to one side of the sluice and ground.

Such must necessarily be the effect of sluicing; and Wing Dams are also objectionable—a few inches may be obtained by their use, but they always add greatly to the velocity of the current at the Dam and oppose to that extent the upward navigation.

ESTIMATE OF COST.

Cost of Dams,	$116,698	
" Lockage,	101 700	
	218 398	
Add 10 per cent.	21,839	$240,237

The second division is about 115 85-100 miles long, and extends from the foot of Beans Shoals to Rockford. The rise is say 85 09 100 feet.

Cost of Dams,	33.497	
" Lockage,	52,580	
" Widening and repairing old Canal,	27,973	
	$114.050	
Add 10 per cent.	11,405	125,455

The third division is about 50 90-100 miles long, and extends from Rockford to Wilkesboro.' The rise is, say 131 50-100 feet.

Cost, of Dams,	45 304	
" Lockage.	97,744	
	$145,948	
Add ten per cent.	14,504	159,552
		$525,214

Recapitulation of the work upon the Yadkin River

From Holmes' Mill to foot of Beans Shoals—rise	141.40	210 337
" Foot of Beans Shoals to Rockford—rise	85,09	125,455
" Rockford to Wilkesboro'—rise	131,50	159,552
Rise feet,	358,03	$525 244

It will be observed that the total rise from Holmes' Mill to Wilkesboro' is stated at 358 feet and a fraction. I wish to state that the levels were not run continuously from Holmes' Mills to Wilkesboro.' They were continued up for a considerable portion of the way, after which as time was pressing and some of the party being taken sick, the continuous levels were suspended, and the falls measured at the different shoals and the levels estimated in the Pools and ripples.

It is not believed however, that the rise will be found to vary materially from the amount stated.

Estimate for the improvement of Deep River from Hancock's Mills to the mouth of Fork Creek.

This portion of the Deep River presents a much more rugged character than any part below.

The Banks are higher and the fall greater.

There is however plenty Water for the purposes of navigation and with tight Dams there will be a surplus.

The rise from Below Hancoks's Mill Dam to the mouth of Fork creek was found to be 97,95-100th feet. I have upon this portion of the River estimated for higher Dams than below. The Banks as before stated are abundantly high to admit of this.

The distance say 20 miles

Cost of Dams,	$12 837
Cost of Locks,	49.872
	62,709
Add 10 per cent,	9.270
	$101.979

Recapitulation of the entire Line from Hancock's Mill to Wilkesboro'.

Total amount contingencies included for the improvement of Deep River from Hancock's Mill to the mouth of Fork Creek, distance 20 miles,	$101,979
Total amount contingencies included for the Portage Rail Road from the mouth of Fork Creek to Holmes' Mill, distance 45 miles,	625,904
Total amount contingencies included for the improvement of the Yadkin from Holmes' Mill to Wilksboro', distance 144½ miles,	525.244
	$1,253.127

Total distance 209½ miles.

Having stated the rate at which we shall be able to transport upon the Portage Rail Road per ton per mile to be 2 cents, or for the 45 miles, 90 cents, I desire now to arrive at what the charge will be by the water line, including the present length of the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation. Estimating from Wilksboro' the water line is 261¼ miles. The distance yet remaining of water line to Wilmington, being in charge of the Cape Fear Navigation Co., I will consider hereafter—it is about 100 miles.

The most conclusive way of arriving at the proper charge upon the water line, is to show at what rate they charge upon the great standard water lines of the United States, and apply those rates under certain considerations to our line.

By turning to the Patent office Report of 1847 (pages 566 and 567) it will be seen that the Hon. Millard Fillmore, then Comptroller of the State of New York, in a letter to the Commissioner of Patents, says that the "Erie canal freight, (*tolls included*) on a barrel of flour from Buffalo to Albany, the distance being 363 miles, is 62½ cents.

Freight & tolls on wheat per bushel,	17 cts.
" corn "	13 "

By applying these rates of charge for freight and toll to our line, which is 261¼ miles, we have on a barrel of flour. 45½ cts.

Add the charge as above stated on the Portage (allowing 10 bbls to the ton)	09 cts.
From Wilksboro' to Fayetteville,	54½ cts.
Should they charge at the same rate on the old Navigation—distance 100 miles,	17¼ cts.
Total charge from Wilksboro' to Wilmington,	71¾ cts
Wheat per bushel (estimated at 40 bushels to the ton) on the water line,	12¼ cts.
Wheat per bushel Portage line,	2¼ cts.
Wilksboro' to Fayetteville,	14¾ cts.
Add a proportional charge upon the old Navigation to Wilmington,	4¾ cts.
Total from Wilksboro' to Wilmington,	19½ cts.
Corn per bushel water line,	9¾ cts
" " Portage road,	2¼ cts.
Total to Fayetteville,	11¾ cts.
Add proportional charge upon the old Navigation,	3¾ cts.
Total from Wilksboro' to Wilmington,	15½ cts.

The above rates are deduced from the charges upon the Erie Canal of New York, the original cost of which (including the cost of enlargement) was 22 *millions* of dollars. Of course this large Capital enters into the calculation in fixing the tolls.

LOCATION OF THE BANGOR AND KENNEBEC RAIL ROAD.

We learn that at the meeting of the Directors of this road at Waterville on the 27th of December, for the purpose of locating this road, the route from this city to Newport, and from thence to Waterville and thence to Augusta, was established and filed. There is a prospect now, as we understand, that the road will be pushed through in the course of two years.—*Bangor Wag.*

AUBURN FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his farm, nine miles east of Raleigh, situate on the Newbern Road, and well known as the Busbee Place. It contains 400 acres of good tree land, with a fair proportion of woodland. On the premises is a very good dwelling house, containing 11 rooms; there are but very few country houses superior to it in the county of Wake. There is a good kitchen, with several houses for negro quarters; a carriage house; Cider Press; Stables; Cotton Gin House, &c. and a Store House, at which a very respectable trade is carried on.

There is a very large Apple Orchard near the dwelling house; also, a large number of Peach Trees, with Pear, Plum and Cherry Trees.

There is a Post Office on the premises—the mail arriving three times a week via the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road, and three times from the city of Raleigh.

The location of the buildings is in the midst of a grove of large Oaks, high and healthy. It would be a delightful summer residence; or would answer for a Boarding House for persons desirous of spending their summers in the country.

The North Carolina Rail Road, about to be built, has been marked off to run within a hundred yards of the Dwelling House.

A further description is unnecessary, as no one will, probably, purchase without examining the premises.

Possession will be given on the first of January, 1851, if sold by the 15th of December next—if sold after that period, possession cannot be had till January 1852.

WILLIAM R. POOLE, Esq. who lives within a few miles of the place, is my authorized Agent, and will make known the price and terms to all who may apply. THOMAS LORING.

Wilmington, Oct. 8, 1850. 88 tf

SASH, BLIND

AND DOOR AGENCY.

Formerly conducted by Guy C. Hotchkiss.

THE public are hereby informed, that I have been appointed agent for the sale of Window Sash, Blinds and Doors, manufactured by the New Haven Co., and am prepared to fill all orders in the above line. The quality of the work of the New Haven Co. is well known in this market. Builders and all persons in want of the above articles, are requested to send in their orders, and they will be promptly filled. Terms invariably cash on delivery.

WM. A. GWYER.

General Agent Commission and Forwarding Merchant.

April 18. 15

HOUSE AND SHIP PAINTING.

THE subscriber continues to carry on the Painting Business in all its branches on the most reasonable terms. I can be found on Dock Street, next door to Mr. Ford's Marble Yard.

WM. BLANEY.

Dec'r 24, 1850. 120

Chron. and Aurora copy.

COTTON YARN.

5 BALES Benbow's Cotton Yarn, for sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Dec. 7. 113

COAL! COAL!!

75 Tons Coal, Red Ashe, broken and screened to arrive per schr. J. H. Holmes, for sale by GEO. HARRISS.

Dec. 5, 1850. 112.

NEW AND FASHIONABLE

MILLINERY AND DRESS MAKING.

MISS SARAH JANE TAGGART, late from New York, would most respectfully announce to the Ladies of Wilmington and the adjoining country, that she intends to open her New and Splendid Emporium, in the private dwelling of Mr CHARLES BARR, Merchant Tailor, next door north of the Theatre, about the 15th of October: where she will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of Fall and Winter Millinery, embracing all the latest styles, which she hopes, on examination, for chasteness of design, richness of material and beauty of finish, will not be surpassed by any other house of the kind in the country—as no effort will be left undone to give general satisfaction—as far as good goods, low prices, and manufactured in the most prompt and best manner, with her large circle of friends and relations, residing in New York city—she will, also, be prepared to have any thing in her line made or ordered from thence, in the shortest notice, at all times.

Wilmington, Sept. 23, 1850. 84-tf.

SKETCHES OF NORTH CAROLINA.

BEATTIE'S FORD, Lincoln Co., N. C. October 25th, 1850.

A WORK will be published by the undersigned this Spring, entitled as above, giving an accurate account of each County in our State, in Alphabetical order, the derivation of its name, date of formation, its Colonial and Revolutionary History, a Biography of its distinguished citizens, an accurate list of its representation in each branch of the General Assembly, its Towns, Rivers, Population, Resources, Products and Topography.

The undersigned has for many years been collecting and condensing the material for this work.—The archives of our own State have been carefully examined, and copious extracts made from its records. He has procured from the offices of the Board of Trade and Plantations in London many valuable documents. Rare and valuable works have been purchased from abroad, touching the early history of our State, and each County, which have never seen the light. He has been kindly aided by gentlemen in different sections by copies of original documents and faithful traditional statements, highly important and interesting.

He does not aspire to the position of the Historian, but hopes from records and statistical facts to afford materials to other abler hands for this pleasing and less laborious duty. This work, it is hoped, will be useful as a book of reference to the statesman and scholar, and man of business or leisure. Occasional extracts have been published in the Standard and other papers of this State, over the signature of "Tacitus."

The History of North Carolina is yet to be written. The remark which one of the ablest Historians of the age, (Bancroft,) has been compelled to make, that "so carelessly has the History of North Carolina been written that the name, merits and end of the first Governor is not known," is a reflection upon us. An examination of the early history of the Counties of North Carolina shows a record of the purest patriotism and indomitable courage. This record is now covered by the dust of age, and unknown by neglect. It is a debt which the present generation owes to the past as well as the future to preserve these memorials; for it often occurs in the history of our race, that facts known to one generation are controverted by the next, and at a succeeding period are considered as doubtful legends, unworthy of historical faith. Our Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, in May 1775, has almost been an illustration of this truth.

"These are deeds which should not pass away,
And names that must not wither; though the earth
Forgets her empires with a just decay,
The enslavers and the enslaved, their death a birth."

This work will be illustrated with a Map of the State, from latest surveys, and including the new Counties to this date, and sketches in Engravings of her beautiful scenery. It will contain about 500 pages, and be furnished at one dollar per copy.—Subscriptions will be received and the book furnished at different points of the State.

JOHN H. WHEELER:

Nov. 2. 97

TURPENTINE STILL.

WE offer for sale, a Turpentine Still, in prime order, with every fixture complete for working. The Still will run 18 bbls. Yellow Dip, or 24 bbls. Virgin. Worm, Arm, Cap, Tub, Fire Door, and Frame, Stuffer and Pipe, Glue Kettle, Measures, Spirit Tops, &c., &c., all in order.

DEROSSET & BROWN.

Oct. 19. 89

TO LET.

THE Office formerly occupied by E. Dickinson. Possession given immediately. For further particulars, apply to WM. NEFF.

Jan. 2 131.

HAMS AND SHOULDERS.

5 Casks and 5 bbls. superior Western Hams; 6 hhds. Western Shoulders, for sale by DEROSSET & BROWN.

Nov. 28 108.

GUNNY BAGS.

5000 GUNNY Bags in bales, for sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Dec. 7. 113

NEW RICE.

75 CASKS, just received from Mill. For sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Dec. 7. 113

DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of J. WILKINSON & CO., is this day Dissolved by mutual consent. Joseph Wilkinson is alone authorized to settle the business of said Firm.

The business will be conducted as formerly by Wilkinson & Esler, at the same store.

JAMES WILKINSON,
JOSEPH WILKINSON.

Nov. 25th, 1850. 110-tf.

INDIA RUBBER STEAM PACKING.

10 Pieces assorted, from 1-32d to ¼th of an inch thick, for sale by J. & D. MacRAE & CO. Agent for the Manufacturers.

Nov 30. 110.

SHIPPING ARTICLES.

FOR SALE at The *Commercial Office*, an elegant edition of Shipping Articles, embracing all the laws of Congress relative to the Merchant's Service.

SUGAR.

3 HHDS. superior Porto Rico Sugar, just received, and for sale by JOS. B. RUSSELL.

Nov. 28. 109.

COW PEAS.

100 Bushels for sale by DeROSSET & BROWN.

Nov. 30, 1850. 110.

NEW SP'TS TURP'TINE BARRELS.

OF large sizes, and first quality workmanship for sale by J. R. BLOSSOM.

March 21. 3-tf.

READY FOR THE SEASON.

A FULL assortment of choice Candies, Nuts, Malaga Grapes, Figs, Oranges and Lemons—also Peach, Pineapple, Pear, Quince, and Plum Preserves. French and German embroided fancy Baskets—call and examine the fixins, at GEO. MYERS.

Nov. 109.

GUNNY BAGS.

5000 GOOD second hand Gunny Bags, just received and for sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Nov. 16. 104

POTATOES.

200 BUSHELS New River Potatoes, for sale low, by HOWARD & PEDEN, No. 5 South Water Street.

Dec. 12, 1850. 115

12,000 ACRES OF

TURPENTINE LAND FOR SALE.

THE Executors of Gen'l. CLINCH offer for sale the Twelve Thousand Acres of Land known as the BAYARD tract, lying on the St. John's River, immediately opposite Picolata, in East Florida. The above tract is peculiarly adapted to the Turpentine business, being covered with a thick growth of pine, and having a River front of more than five miles.

It is now no longer a matter of doubt that Turpentine can be profitably made in this section of country, as there are already a number of persons largely and successfully engaged in the business.

The steamboats to and from Savannah, stop regularly at Picolata.

Persons desirous of purchasing, can obtain any further information by addressing

J. H. M. CLINCH, Ex'r.

Jeffersonton, Camden co., Ga., Dec. 6, 1850 116-tf.

FOR SALE

A New Turpentine Still, with all the Fixtures complete, for distilling.—Capacity, Fifteen bbls. of Yellow or Twenty bbls. Virgin Dip. A first rate Still for White Rosin, and all in perfect order.

Apply to JNO. D. LOVE & CO.

Oct. 5th, 1850. 87.

GUNNY BAGS.

1,000 2 bushel Bags, for sale by J. B. RUSSELL.

Nov. 5. 100.

ON CONSIGNMENT.

DAILY expected per Schr. Lamartine, from New York:

80 boxes Cheese;
10 bbls. Cider;
20 bags Rio Coffee;
30 barrels Flour;
50 boxes Raisins, whole, ½, and quarters;
20 " Soap;
20 " Candles;
10 kegs Butter;
10 bbls. Crackers;

Apply to GEO. HARRISS.

Dec. 17. 117.

FRESH COCOA NUTS.

1,600 LANDED this day, for sale by WILKINSON & ESLER.

Dec. 5. 112.

SCOTCH SNUFF.

1,000 LBS. direct from the Manufactory, in small packages, for sale by WILKINSON & ESLER.

Dec 5. 112.

MULLETTS, MULLETTS.

20 BBLS. "*Oak Island*" 1850 Inspection, for sale low. GEO. MYERS.

Nov. 29. 109.

RAZORS.

THE best kind of Razors, just received from the best English Manufactories, for sale cheap, and warranted by J. M. ROBINSON.

Wilmington, N. C. Dec. 3, 1850. 111.

FOR SALE.

THE House and Lot recently owned by —— Bramlett, pleasantly situated on the continuation of Princess street. For particulars apply to the subscriber.

ARCH'D. MURPHY,
or G. S. GILLESPIE.

Nov. 16. 104-tf

TO RENT FROM 1st OCTOBER.

THREE STORES in the fire-proof building on Water street, near Mulberry street, at present occupied by M. Krieton and Geo Elliott, with all necessary Warehouses. Also several well finished Offices in the same building.

One Wharf, corner of Water and Mulbury streets 66 by about 200 feet.

One Store on Water street, at present occupied by J. H. Thompson.

One Store on Mulberry street, at present occupied by C. W Calhoun.

One fire-proof Store, large and well fitted up, near the Rail Road Depot, at present occupied by myself.

One Wharf, 250 feet front and 1500 feet rear, with a large Warehouse upon it, on Eagle's Island, opposite town.

One Dwelling House, pleasantly situated, on the corner of Second and Red Cross streets, in good repair, with all necessary out buildings, at present occupied by J. Nutt.

I will rent for one, or lease for a term of years, any or all of the above property, with a number of vacant Lots. H. NUTT.

Sept. 3. 73-tf.

PRACTICE

WHAT YOU PREACH.

I HAVE just received a large stock of China, Glass, and Queen's Ware, direct from the Liverpool manufactories, which I am prepared to sell on very reasonable terms, at wholesale or retail.

To all who are disposed to encourage direct importations, I would say that a fair share of patronage is all I ask to enable me to compete with any other Importer in the United States. I offer a fair chance to all who are disposed to build up Southern Independence.

In addition to the Crockery Business, I will continue to keep a large and well selected stock of FARMING IMPLEMENTS, to which I particularly invite the attention of my farming friends. I am continually in receipt of the latest improvements in these articles, and will take great pleasure in showing them to all who are desirous of examining them. ALEX. MacRAE, Jr.

Nov. 9, 1850. 102.

PATENT COAL BURNERS.

FIRE Carriers', Coal Hods, Coal Shovels, Large Wire Fenders, Cheap Shovels and Tongs.

A full assortment of Men's Women's and Boy's Lasts, and every number of the Imperial NEEDLES, warranted genuine. Just received and for sale by J. M. ROBINSON, No. 3, South St.

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 14, 1850 116.

PINE OIL! PINE OIL!

Reduced in Price and improved in Quality.

PINE OIL of my manufacture can be obtained at the store of Messrs. POLLEY & HART, and will be furnished to customers by my Wagon every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, at the reduced price of Forty Cents per gallon. Warranted superior to any other for sale in this place.

Oct. 17, 1850. A. H. VANBOKKELEN.

PORK.

MESS Pork, city inspection, always on hand and for sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Dec. 7. 113

MEMPHIS INSTITUTE.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

THE regular course of Lectures in this Institute will commence on the First of November, and continue until the last of February. The Anatomical Department will be opened and ready to receive students by the First of October. The Medical Department will be under the direction of the following

PROFESSORS:

J. CONQUEST CROSS, M. D., Professor of the Institutes of Medicine, and Medical Jurisprudence.
W. BYRD POWELL, M. D., Professor of Cerebral Physiology, Medical Geology and Mineralogy.
R. S NEWTON, M D., Professor of Surgery.
H. J. HULCE, M. D., Professor of Theory and Practice of Medicine.
J. A. WILSON, M. D., Professor of Obstretrics and Diseases of Women and Children.
J. KING, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica, and Therapeutics.
Z. FREEMAN, M. D., Professor of Anatomy.
J. MILTON SANDERS, M. D., Professor of Chemistry and Pharmacy.

CLINIQUE LECTURERS

MEDICINE—Professor H. J. HULCE.
SURGERY—Professor R. S. NEWTON.
ANATOMICAL DEMONSTRATOR—Z. FREEMAN, M D.

The fees for a full course of lectures amount to $105. Matriculator's, $5. Demonstrator's Fee, $10 Graduation, $20.

Those desiring further information will please address their letters (post paid) to the Dean; and students arriving in the city will please call on him at the Commercial Hotel.

R. S. NEWTON, M. D., Dean of the Faculty.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Hon. E. W. M. KING, Professor of Theory and Practice of Law.
Hon V. D. BARRY, Professor of Commercial Jurisprudence.

TERMS—$50 per Session.

All communications pertaining to this department must be addressed to E. W. M. KING.

MEMPHIS Tenn. July, 1850.

The Faculties, for intellectual abilities, moral worth and professional acquirements, will compare favorably with the most distinguished in our country. The medical faculty constitutes an anomaly in this or any other country—all of them are able lecturers and the best of teachers.

Those who will contemplate our geographical position, and the extent of our population, can have no doubt as to the eligibility of our situation for an enterprise of the kind. As to health, including all seasons of the year, we deny that ANY OTHER CITY HAS MORE.

A common error exists in the minds of many students relative to the place of studying medicine; those who intend practicing among the diseases of the West and South should certainly educate themselves at a school whose Faculty are practically acquainted with those diseases.

That the public may be satisfied of the permanency of this school, we feel it our duty to state, that the Trustees and Faculty form a UNIT in action, which augurs well for its future success; and that the peculiar internal organization which connects them, cannot be interrupted.

E. W. M. KING,
President of the Memphis Institute.

July 17, 1850. 9-12in-pd

CIDER.

10 BBLS. prime Newark Cider, for sale by DeROSSET & BROWN.

Dec. 28. 121.

PORK! PORK!!

25 BBLS. Mess Pork, City Inspection, just received per brig John Dawson and for sale by J. & D. McRAE & Co.

Nov. 16. 104

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE.

WILL be sold at public auction, on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1851, at 11 o'clock, A. M. the valuable

Brick Stores, with Brick Warehouses and Wharf thereunto attached,

situated between Market and Dock streets, and now occupied by Messrs. Anderson & Latimer, Martin & Cronly and J. & L. Hutchins.

This property, from its central location, is as eligible and valuable as any in the town of Wilmington, and will always command the most desirable tenants.

Terms accommodating, and made known at the time of sale.

WOOSTER, ANDERSON & CO.

Nov. 28th. 1850. 109-20t.

Journal, Chronicle, and Fayetteville Observer please copy till sale.

FOR SALE.

THE Masonboro' Retreat and Plantation—has been occupied for the last five years as a Public House,—within 8 miles of Wilmington, on the Sound. Said plantation contains 100 (and over) acres of land, half of which is under cultivation. The farming implements, &c., will be disposed of with it, if mutual. For further particulars, apply, or address J. ATOSZO WARD, on the plantation, or J. R. RIKER, Washington Hotel.

Wilmington Nov. 30. 110-tf.

FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS,

OF Hats and Caps, now ready, and for sale Wholesale or Retail, at the Hat Store of C. Myers, Market Street, Wilmington N. C., Sept. 7, 1850.

Also, a large lot of Umbrellas and Walking Canes.

Sept 7. 75.

FOR SALE.

A Good family Carriage, suitable for a Hack, of good and substantial material, will be sold or exchanged for a light Buggy. Apply at the *Commercial office.*

July 9. 48.

CIGARS! CIGARS!!

25,000 SUPERIOR Havanna, Regalia and Principe Cigars, favorite brands, just received from Baldinger and for sale cheap. Also a few boxes of Chewing Tobacco by C. DuPRE, Druggist, Market Street.

Sept. 26. 83.

FOR SALE.

250 EMPTY Spirits barrels;
10 barrels Outcalt's Snuff, now being landed from Schr. Elouise.

ADAMS, BROTHER & Co

Dec. 21. 119.

CROCKERY.

FOR all Crockery loaned from this date, five per cent will be charged on retail price, besides charge for all broken pieces or sets.

ALEX. MACRAE, Jr.

Dec. 21. 119.

GARDEN, GRASS, & FLOWER SEED.

JUST received from the Westhersfield Seed Garden, a general assortment of Seed, of this years growth and warranted of superior quality,—also, 2 bbls. Red and Yellow Onion Sets. For sale at C. DuPRE'S, *Drug Store.* Market Street, N. C.

Dec. 21. 119.

BALTIMORE FLOUR.

50 BBLS. Superfine for Baker's use,
50 do. do. " Family use, just received per Corinthian, for sale by J. & D. McRAE & CO.

Dec. 10, 1850. 114

IN STORE.

5C BBLS. Superfine Flour
100 boxes whole, halves & quarters Raisins
20 bags "Frosts" extra *Buckwheat*
25 boxes Cheese
15 kegs Goshen Butter.

Also, Beef Tongues, Smoked Beef, No. 1 Mackerel, Salmon, Fulton Market Beef, and Mess Pork. At the Family Grocery Store.

GEO. MYERS.

Nov. 28. 109

FOR SALE

AT J. M. ROBINSON'S Hardware Store in Front St. next door to Dr. Harriss' office.

Truss Hoops, Iron and Copper Rivets.

Wide Cast Steel for machine plane Irons, Packing Yarn, Lace Skins and Circular Saws.

Saddler's Tools, Shoe Makers' Kit Tools, Lasts and Lining Skins, &c.

May 22. 32.

WARRANTED TO FIT

OR NO PAY!

THE subscribers, recently from Philadelphia to this place, intend to open a CLOTHING STORE all of their own manufacture. All their Clothing will be warranted of the best material and workmanship. They also are willing to cut out Coats, Pants or Vests, which they will do as above said. All they ask is a fair trial and a call.

A. BELZEL & BROTHER, Tailors.

Next door to Mr. Wilkinson, Confectioner.

They will make any sort of Clothing, at the shortest notice.

Oct. 29. 97

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

20 BBLS. Extra Flour, for Family use;
15 half bbls. " " "
10 bags Rio Coffee;
5 " Laguira "
20 bbls. city Mess Pork;
10 " Prime "
10 boxes Cheese;
10 bbls. Port Rico Sugar;
10 boxes Soap;

Just received and for sale low by JOSEPH. B. RUSSELL.

Nov. 5. 100.

TO TIMBER GETTERS.

WHEREAS, The practice of buying timber without legal inspection—has led to many abuses, which are detrimental, alike, to the purchasers of timber in this market, and the honest timber makers of the country; And whereas, these abuses—if longer permitted—may seriously injure this, as a timber market, for purchasers abroad; it is therefore resolved

1st. That all timber bought, at a price of $3.50 per M. or under, may be bought by measurement; but all above that price shall be submitted to legal inspection.

2d. When timber is bought by measurement not more than 15 cts. per M. shall be allowed to the Inspector.

2d. All sound timber, showing heart one half its length, and 11 inches and upwards square, will be considered merchantable; but such timber as is rotten at both ends, or plugged, or required to be trimmed below 20 feet in length—shall be considered as refuse.

4th. It is most positively resolved, that we will buy no *drift* timber, except from the proper owner, or his legal agent; and we, hereby, offer a reward of $25 for evidence to convict any person of stealing timber, and $100 for evidence to convict any person of buying stolen timber—knowing it to be stolen.

5th. The first three of the foregoing resolutions shall go into effect from and after the 1st day of January 1851. The 4th is in full force from the moment of its publication

P. K. DICKINSON & Co., Gaston Mills.
O. G. PARSLEY & Co., P. P. Mill.
ELLIS & RUSSELL, Cape Fear Mill.
POTTER & KIDDER, Cowan Mill.
DUDLEY & HUNTINGTON, Clinton Mill.
JOHN McRAE, Harrison Mill.

Journal & Fayetteville Observer copy 4t, and send bill to Commercial Office.

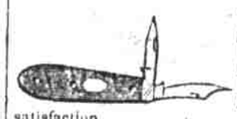
Dec. 19. 118.

CANAL FLOUR.

EXTRA superfine, for family use, just received and for sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Dec. 7. 113

POCKET CUTLERY.



THE subscriber has just received from the best Makers in Sheffield, England, a large lot of the finest Cutlery, warranted to give satisfaction. J. M. ROBINSON.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 25, 1850. 108.

FOR RENT.

THE Wharf just above the Rock Spring, known as Hall's wharf; together with a large Warehouse on it, (now used as a barrel factory) near the water; and a comfortable office, the house being tin roofed, will make it *particularly convenient* for a Packet or Steam Boat Landing, or for the receiving and forwarding business. Possession given immediately, apply to E. D. HALL.

Oct. 8. All town papers copy. 88-tf

FLOUR, FLOUR.

50 BBLS. "*Extra*" Mell Grove brand Flour, to arrive per schr. Corinthian, from Baltimore, for sale by GEO. HARRISS.

Dec. 5, 1850. 112.

FRESH TAMARINDS.

5 KEGS Tamarinds, just received. PERRIN & HARTSFIELD.

Dec. 5th, 1850. Jour. copy. 112-tf

TOBACCO, SEGARS AND BRANDY.

10 BOXES good Tobacco, pound lump,
25,000 old Havana Segars,
French Brandy in small packages, for sale by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

Dec. 7. 113

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

OF THE MAILS AT THIS PLACE

ARRIVALS.

The mail from the North, by Railroad, arrives daily about 1½ P. M.

The mail from the South, by Steamer from Charleston, arrives daily about 8, A. M.

The mail from Fayetteville, via Warsaw, is due upon the arrival of the cars, on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

The Mail from Fayetteville, via Elizabethtown, by Sulkey is due on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 9, A. M.

The Mail from Onslow Court House, by sulkey, is due on Mondays, at 5, P. M.

The Mail from Black River Chapel, via Long Creek, by Sulkey, is due on Thursdays, 5 P. M.

CLOSING AND DEPARTURE.

The mail for the North, by Railroad, closes daily at 10, P. M.

The mail for the South, by Steamboat, closes daily at 12 M.

The mail for Fayetteville, via Warsaw, closes on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays, at 10, P. M.

The Mail for Fayetteville, via Elizabethtown, by Sulkey, closes on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays at 9½, A. M.

The mail for Onslow Court House, by sulkey, closes on Thursdays, at 10, P. M.

The mail for Long Creek, by Sulkey, closes on Thursdays, at 10, P. M.

☞ Letters should be in the Office at least 15 minutes before the time of closing the mails.