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BUSINESS CARDS.

WILLIAM A. GWYER, GENERAL AGENT, FORWARDING and Commission Merchant. TAKE pleasure in informing my friends, that I am prepared to give all business entrusted to me efficient and personal attention.

ALEX. MACRAE, JR. Importer of CHINA, GLASS, AND EARTHEN WARE. and wholesale and retail dealer in all kinds of FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

J. M. ROBINSON, Importer and Dealer in HARDWARE, IRON, STOVES, NAILS, &c., &c. Front street, 3 doors South of Market street, WILMINGTON, N. C.

T. SOUTHWAYD & CO., ENGINEERS, BLACKSMITHS, BRASS, AND IRON FOUNDERS. All orders in the line will be punctually attended to.

WILLIAM M. HARRISS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT WILMINGTON, N. C. STRICT attention given to procuring Freight and purchasing cargoes for vessels.

GEORGE ELLIOT, COMMISSION MERCHANT, AND AGENT FOR THE SALE OF TIMBER LUMBER. WILMINGTON, N. C. Jan. 1, 1850.

WILKINSON & ESLER, CANE DEALERS IN Confectionary, Fruit, Nuts, Toys, Fancy Articles, Perfumery, Tobacco, Segars, &c., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Nov. 30, 1850.

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GEO. HARRISS, General Commission Merchant, WILMINGTON, N. C. STRICT attention given to procuring Freight and purchasing cargoes for vessels.

HERON & MARTIN, General Commission Merchants, 37 1-2 North Wharves, PHILADELPHIA. REFER TO Messrs. THOS. WATSON & SONS, JNO. C. DACOSTA, Esq., Phila.

MARTIN & CRONLY, AUCTIONEERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND GENERAL AGENTS. WILMINGTON, N. C. Oct. 3, 1850.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER, General Commission Merchant. WILMINGTON, N. C. Oct. 9th, 1850.

WILLIAM NEFF, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN SHIP CHANDLERY, SHIP STORES AND GROCERIES. CORNER OF DOCK & WATER STREETS WILMINGTON, N. C.

DEROSSET & BROWN, WILMINGTON, N. C. BROWN & DEROSSET. NEW YORK. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. March 17, 1850.

GEO. H. KELLY, COMMISSION MERCHANT. Next door to A. A. Wainwright's on North Water at will attend to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce, such as Corn, Peas, Meal, Bacon, Lard, &c.

ALEXANDER MATTHEWS, INSPECTOR OF LUMBER and TIMBER, WILMINGTON, N. C. March 19, 1850.

SAVAGE & MEARES, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND AUCTIONEERS, WILMINGTON, N. C. EDWARD SAVAGE, GASTON MEARES.

LEIGHTON, CHADBOURN & CO., General Commission Merchants. WILMINGTON, N. C. Dec. 11, 1849.

CORNELIUS DUPRE, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oil, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfumery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c.

MARINE INSURANCE. THE undersigned having received the Agency of the AUGUSTA INSURANCE AND BANKING COMPANY OF AUGUSTA GA.

J. C. LATTI, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, AND GENERAL AGENT, WILMINGTON, N. C. Oct. 1, 1849.

MRS. SHAW'S FASHIONABLE MILINERY AND DRESS MAKING ESTABLISHMENT. On Second St. opposite Mr. O. G. Parsley's.

WEST & HEWLETT, Auctioneers, Commission Merchants and GENERAL AGENTS. WILMINGTON, N. C. REFER TO Messrs. DeRosset & Brown, Mr. J. M. Robinson, Mr. J. H. Brown, &c.

BUSINESS CARDS.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM, General Commission Merchant. WILMINGTON, N. C. Cash advances made on consignments to me, or to my friends in New York.

ANDERSON & LATIMER, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, SOUTH WATER STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C. Sep. 27, 1850.

LIFE INSURANCE. THE MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE, continues to take Risks on Lives on fair terms.

LIFE INSURANCE IN THE NATIONAL LOAN FUND SOCIETY, OF LONDON, AND FIRE INSURANCE IN THE JETNA INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONN.

HOWARD INSURANCE COMPANY, OF NEW YORK. May be effected by application to DEROSSET & BROWN.

J. E. TOOMER, COMMISSION MERCHANT, AND GENERAL AGENT. NORTH WATER STREET WILMINGTON, N. C. Feb. 7, 1850.

J. & D. McRAE & Co. General Commission Merchants, WILMINGTON, N. C. Particular attention paid to procuring freights and purchasing cargoes for vessels.

MILES COSTIN, COMMISSION MERCHANT, WILMINGTON, N. C. REFER TO E. P. Hall, Esq., Pres't Branch State Bank.

T. C. WORTH, Commission and Forwarding MERCHANT, WILMINGTON, N. C. Feb. 19, 1850.

WM. ALLSTON GOURDIN, FACTOR, No. 4 East-Bay Charleston South Carolina. IS PREPARED TO MAKE LIBERAL ADVANCES ON CONSIGNMENTS OF RICE, COTTON, CORN, SUGAR, FLOUR, GRAIN, HAY, &c.

J. HATHAWAY & SON, COMMISSION MERCHANTS. WILMINGTON, N. C. J. HATHAWAY. J. L. HATHAWAY.

GEO. MYERS, Wholesale and Retail Grocer. KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND Wines, Teas, Liquors, Provision, Wood and Hollow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, &c.

GAUSE & BOWDEN, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND GENERAL AGENTS. THOS. P. GAUSE. JOHN C. BOWDEN.

ELLIS, RUSSELL & Co. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, WILMINGTON, N. C. CHAS. D. ELLIS, HENRY P. RUSSELL, JOB. B. RUSSELL.

THOS. D. BARRY, Commission Merchant and Ship Broker, WILMINGTON, N. C. Jan. 21, 1850.

BUSINESS CARDS.

DR. JAMES E. KEA, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist. Office over Mr. Augustine's Store, Market St., WILMINGTON, N. C. Jan. 30, 1850.

B. T. ELDER & CO. Commission Merchants, CORNER OF PRATT AND COMMERCE STS. BALTIMORE. Agents for the sale of Provisions, and American Produce generally.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM, General Commission and Forwarding Merchant. Prompt personal attention given to Consignments for sale or shipment.

A. M. HATCH, COMMISSION MERCHANT, 130 WATER STREET, N. Y. Mr. H. has great facilities for effecting satisfactory sales of Spirits Turpentine, Rosin, &c.

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

CEMENT. A SUPPLY of first rate, constantly on hand, and for sale by E. J. LUTTERLOH, Ag't. Oct. 12, 1850.

STOVES AND GRATES. JUST RECEIVED Large Supply of SHIP PARLOR, CHURCH, AND OFFICE STOVES! of the BEST and most approved PATTERNS, wholesale & retail.

TO RENT OR SELL. FROM the 1st of Oct. next, my store on the south side of Market street, now occupied by the Rev. Mr. McDaniel.

IN FULL BLAST. PREPARE FOR COLD WEATHER. J & D SCOTT are now offering at their Wood Yard and Coal Yard, for sale, 300 tons "Red Ash and Peach Orchard Coal."

DEEDS FOR SALE. Warranted Deeds, and deeds for Mortgage and just printed, in correct form and for sale at the Commercial Office.

SPORTSMEN, ATTENTION! JUST Received, a large assortment of Single and Double barrel, Bird, Duck and Deer Guns, of the finest finish and latest style.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE. A FRESH supply of Bills of Exchange, an elegant impression, which will be sold in sheets or quires, or bound in Books, as ordered, just received and for sale at THE COMMERCIAL OFFICE.

BILLS OF LADING, &c. FOLIO POST BILLS OF LADING bound in Books, and sheets, also Letter Sheets, with variety of mercantile blanks, for sale at THE Commercial Office.

NORTHERN ADVERTISEMENTS.

Account Books, PAPER & STATIONERY ARTICLES. FRANCIS & LOUREL, 77 Maiden Lane, New York.

FRANCIS & LOUREL, 77 Maiden Lane, New York. INVITE Merchants, Dealers and all who require articles in their line, to call at 77 Maiden Lane, New York.

CROTON INK. If you want good black writing Ink use the Croton; flows freely from the pen and retains its color also indelible in writing and copying books.

FRANCIS & LOUREL, 77 Maiden Lane, N. Y. L. W. FRANKLIN, C. W. H. LOUREL, May 25, 1850.

RUBBER GOODS. UNION INDIA RUBBER COMPANY, 19 Nassau St., New York. Manufacture and have for sale on favorable terms the largest stock of "Goodyear's Patent Metallic Rubber Goods."

MANHATTAN LIFE INSURANCE CO. (CITY OF NEW YORK) CASH CAPITAL, \$100,000. BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Mynder VanSich, Caleb S. Woodhull, David Austin, Edwin D. Magan, Ambrose C. Kingsland, George Dean, Edwin J. Brown, George D. Phelps, Nath'l G. Bradford, Daniel Burnett, James VanNorden, Silas C. Herring, D. Austin Muir, Lewis B. Loder, John S. Williams, Humphrey Phelps, D. Henry Haight, E. J. Anderson, Edward Height, John P. Brown, Eleazar Parmenter, John P. Ware, J. B. Herrick, James C. Baldwin, A. A. Alvord, Henry Stokes, John S. Harris, George Webb, Wm. J. Valentine, David S. Mills, Jr., William K. Strong, William Burger, George Hastings.

ALONZO A. ALVORD, Pres't. C. Y. WEMPLE, Secretary. This Company insures persons whilst travelling in public conveyances against Accidental Injury or Death, at rates not exceeding one cent per hour.

SASH, BLIND AND DOOR AGENCY. Formerly conducted by Gray & 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 orders in the above line.

BUNGS. OF the best make, and assorted sizes to suit for sale by the barrel, or any quantity not less than five hundred, by JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM. Jan. 30, 1850.

BUTTER & POTATOES. 10 KEGS superior Goshen Butter; 30 bbls planting Potatoes; 5 White Onions, just received, and for sale, by PERLIN & HARTSFIELD. Feb. 8, 1851.

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.

Uncle Bill Griffin commonly called the ship chandlery worth something more than as a room for the tender mercies of Sweet Molly Griffin, as a country bumpkin, as a man whose face was as red as a rose leaf, in all creation, in household things, consummate as used to goak the and water the and abteted the by a vineyard, was the sworn enemy of a pure I pretty Mary, and her father's, and gave her an expensive millstone, Washington street, no more gaily bedecked from Cornwall, to K... Of course several of his varnished leather, head and ears in, was a larger number, outside the millstone, day, than dandered other metropolises.

One evening Ben... age to the task of adding the subject neutral of... "Mr. Griffin" had been thing here for a long time, a horrible face and place where near his bed.

"Dyspepsia," said the old man, "your daughter, go to bed. Well, what about her abruptly? 'I'm in love with a clerk. 'Humbert' and 'Catherine' fact," rejoined Ben... "What's your business?" "Eight hundred dollars." "It won't do my boy," said his grim looks. "No man of marry my daughter, why girl in Boston and it takes a fine girl. When you pay dollars to bring with you, talk to me!"

Battles disappointed that Mary received a settlement of Uncle Sam's receipt of forty cents. DEARER: Mrs. ... a specimen of Calaveras hand your father, and give you of my father's. I form your father's, and I sand dollars at the millstone, and weather permitting, to talk over that matter, of partnership. Yours truly, W. A. Gwyer.

Mary, as in duty bound, tie to her father, who was Some weeks elapsed, and steamer to New York, as Griffin was on the point of future son-in-law. On the day of his departure, a Californian who was on ship. "Where's Ben?" "Oh, Oh! you're my son while," replied the old man. "Has he been hurt?" "Yes, I'm thankful at it. But he's going to try a business to tell you that he is..."