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Particular attention pal i to procuring freights and purchasing cargoes for vessels. JOHN MACRAE. DONALD MACRAE, JOHN W. K. DIX. August 1 1850.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM. General Commission and Forwarding Merchant. Prompt personal attention given to Consign-

me its for sale or Shipment, And liberal cash advances made on Consignments to me or to my New York friends. Wil pington, Jan. 30, 1851.

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FOUNDERS. thi orders in the line will be punctually attended to. CORNER MULBERY & NORTH WATER STS. WILMINGTON, NO. CA. May 16, 1850.

WILLIAM A. GWYER. GENERAL AGENT, FORWARDING

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CHINA, GLASS, AND EARTHEN. WAREand wholesale and retail dealer in all kinds of

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, South Side of Market St., WILMINGTON, N. C. November, 9, 1850.

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Jan. 2, 1951.

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WPLMINGTON, N. C. MARTIN & CRONLY.

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Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 3 1950. JOSEPH H. FLANNER, General Commission Merchant. WILMINGTON, N. C.

WILLIAM NEFF. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN SHIP CHANDLERY, SHIP STORES

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> GEO. II. KELLY, COMMISSION MERCHANT.

Next door to M. Y. Vannet's, on North Water stwill attend to the sale of all kinds of Country Pro, duce, such as Corn, Peas, Meal, Bacon, Lard, &c., and will keep constantly on hand a full supply of

References. Willes Hall. of Wayne, John McRac, Wilmington, W. Caraway. Gen. Alx., McRue. E. P. (File, Willarington, Wiley A. Walker, Gen. Alx., McRac. Dec. 13, 1650.

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EDWARD SAVAGE. May 2, 1850.

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WILMINGTON, N. C. Jan. 1, 1851.

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WHOLE SALE AND RETAL DEALERS IN Drugs, Melleines, Chemicals, Paints, Oll, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfunery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c., MARKET STREET,

WILMINGTON, N. C. Prescriptions carefully compounded by experi need persons. March 28, 1851

J. C. LATTA. COMMISSION MERCHANT. AND GENERAL AGENT, . WILMINGTON, N.C.

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Cet.6, 1850 J. M. ROBINSON, IMPORTER AND DEALER IN HARDWARE, IRON,

STOVES, NAILS, &c., &c., Fronistreet, 3 doors Soutl of

Market street .. WILMINGTON, N.C Wilmington, May 4, 1860.

THOS. D. BARRY. Commission Merchant and Ship Broker,

WILMINGTON, N. C. Jan. 21, 1851.

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

MARKET STREET, WIRMINGTON, N. C.

For sale by July 8. HOWARD & PEDEN.

BUSINESS CARDS.

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COMMISSION MERCHANT. WILMINGTON. N. C.

E. P. Hall, Esq., Prea't Branch State Thos. H. Wright, Esq., Pres't Bank Wilming-O. G. Parsley, Esq., Pres't Commer-

10a, N. C. Cial Bunk, Dec. 19, 1950 T. C. WORTH:

Commission and Forwarding MERCHANT,

WILMINGTON, N. C. Feb. 19, 1851. 143-12 m

GEO. MYERS. Wholesale and Retail Grocer,

Wines, Teas, Liquors, Provisions, Wood and Willow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, Ge. &c. WILMINGTON, N. C.

> GAUSE & BOWDEN, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

GENERAL AGENTS. THUS. F. GAUSE. JOHN C. BOWDEN REFERENCES. Alexander McRae, President W & R. R. E. P. Hall. State Bank.

O. G. Parsley. Commercial Bank John Dawson, Merchant. J & D. McRae & Co., ** P. K. Dickinson & CO. 112.

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WILMINGTON N. C. CHAC. D. ELLIS, HENRY P. BUSSELL, 108. B. RUSSELL Jan. 25 1851

WILAIN ON & ESLER, WOULD respectfully in the those wishing good Segars to call and examine their large assortment, among them may be found : 10,000 Principe, Justo Sanz good; 20,000 Regulia, Lion; Jenny Lind, and Mensu-

10,000 Havana, La Nacional, prime; 10,000 Lady in the cage handsome; 18 000 Panulios La Terrestio, do (7; 0) De La Vuetta, oid enough to walk; 20,000 half Regulia, Jicolinaal, very superior; 15,000 Wandering Jews, very cheap; 8,000 El Galleo, fine;

14.000 La Cathedral; 20,000 Low price, various qualities. Our stock of Segars &c., is much larger than ever offered in this place, and at lowest cash prices.

Call on WILKINSON & ESLER,

Market street. March 14.

ROSIN STRAINERS. FROM No. 18 to 109, of a superior quality, for POLLY & HART.

GASTON MEARES

EMPTY SPIRIT BARRELS.

150 LARGE Sises, just received and for sale ELLIS, RUSSELL & CO.

TOBACCO! TOBACCO!! 3000 DOZ superior Smoking Tobacco;

500 his. Virginia Leaf; 100 boxes Eldorado Tobacco, (superior); 2000 "Cabiness (prime); 2000 ibs Scotch Snuff for sale low by WILKINSON & FSLKR.

SHOULDERS.

5 HHDS, prime Western Bacon, (Snoulders,) just received. For sale by J. HATHAWAY & SON. June 26.

NOTICE.

PHE name of G. F. B. LEIGHTON is this day I withdrawn from the firm of Leighton, Chad bourn & Co. by mutual consent. The business will e continued under the style of CHADBOURN & G, F B LEIGHTON. JAS H. CHADBOURN. GEO. HOOPER

July 17. 52-3w.

PAY UP! PAY UP!! A LL persons indebted to us, either by N to or Acwe will be compelled to put them in a train for collection, as money we must have! PERRIN & HARTSFIELD. July 8, 1851.

ORANGES AND LEMONS. ANDING this day per Schr. Mary Powell, 80 La Boxes, in good order. For sale low by WILKINSON & ESLER.

FRESH PER SCHR. ALARIC. 50 BBLS. Pure Genessee flour (fresh ground;) 50 Bags Extra " 25 Kegs Nails, assorted 4's to 10's.

JOHN DILL & SON'S, Sup ERIOR Scotch Souff, warranted equal to Sany in the United States, direct from the manu-

J. H. & N. C. T. copy.

10 Boxes Soda Crackers, prime, at GEO. H. KELLEY'S

tures for sale, by WILKINSON & ESLER July 17. 52.

JUST ARRIVED FRESH. 4 KEGS New Butter; 4 Baskeir do. do; 6 Barrels Crashed Sugar; 10 Barrels fresh Ale; 19 Half barrels do.

PORTRAIT PAINTING.

MASSALON, Portrait Painter, would respect-fully inform the citizens of Wilmington and the ounding country, that he has permanently locaintrounding country, that he has permanently to reted himself in this place, and will be happy to retelve the patronage of any ladies or gentlemen who
wilkinson & ESLER.

16. selves or any member of their family. He flatters himself, from his long experience in the art, that he will be enabled to give satisfaction. His roomis at the Mozart Hall, Front Street, Wilmington, N. C. April 5, 1851.

STOVES AND GRATES.

JUST RECEIVED Large Supply SHIP, PARLOR, CHURCH. ANDOFFIC STOVES! of the BEST and most approved PATTERNS.

ALSO.

an assortment of

SAR S

GRATES & FURNACES, Solar, Camphine, Fluid, and Oil Lamps, plain and japanned Ware, Steak Dishes Coffee Urns, Biggins, Tea Trays. Walters, Platform and other Scales and a variety of other articles too numerous to menion.

POLLEY & HART. Oct. 10.

DEEDS FOR SALE. Warantee Doeds, and Deeds for Mortgage or land just printed, in correct form and for sale at the Commercial Office.



JUST Received, a large assortment of Single and Double barrel; Bird, Duck and Deer Guns, of the finest finish and latest style, made by those celebrated makers Change & Sons, and others of known celebrity. Guns of all weights and calibre, also, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, percussion Caps, and in fact the best collection of sports men's goods ever offered in this market. Gentlemen clease call and examine.

POLLEY & HART.

BILLS OF LADING, &c. OLIO POST BILLS OF LADING bonner elvariety of mercantile blanks, for sale at The Commercial Office.

GLUE, NGLISH and American, constantly on hand. 11.

MULLETS, MULLETS. 25 BARRELS Mullets, for sale by WM. NEFF.

June 17 ORANGES, LEMONS & CANDIES, POGETHER With every possible variety of Nuts. From an Overseer in the Hamilton Mills.in A Preserves, Jellies, and Pickles, have just come to hand and can be found at all times, fresh, at the family grocery. GEO. MYERS.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE. ROBERT G. RANKIN is a partner in our house from this date. ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.

STURCH, SOAP AND CANDLES. BOXES Colgates Pearl Starch do. No. 1 Noap Almond and Rose Soap; 30 " Mould, Acumantine and Sperm Can-reals by HOWARD & PEDEN.

dles, for sale by EMPTY SPIRITS BIRRELS. 200 SECOND Hand Spirits Barels, large size, in good order, for safe by, DBROSSET & BROWN.

RICE. 20 CASKS for sale low, to close consignment, ADAMS, BRO. & C.

BACON, BACON.

7,000 LBS. of Hams, Sides, and Shoulders GEO. H. KELLEY. J. H. & N. C. T. copy. June 24.

\$20 REWARD.

WILL be given to the finder of a Gold Hunting Watch, with Gold Chain and Key. Said Watch was left by me in the privy on the Wilmington & Raleigh R. R. Wharf, on Saturday B. G. BATES,

COTTON SEIN TWINE. 300 BBLS, Cotton Twine, for sale, b HOWARD & PEDEN. July 8.

WILLIAM S. READ.

HOlist and Ship Painter, Glazier and White Washer, Office under Commercial Hotel Wilmington, N. C. &
Thunkful for past custom, he respectfully informs
the public generally, that he is prepared to execute
all work in his line of business, and takes this methad of soliciting a share of the public patronage. at NOTICE EXTRA.

OWING to the increased demands of our Trade to enlarge our Stock of Fruit, Confectionary, Nuts. Tobacco, Segars and Souff of all kinds which re-

LIME! LINE!! LIME!!!

600 dBLS. Lincolnville White Lump; Also calcined Plaster, Plastering fight, and Pire Brick, Hydraulic Coment; 1000 bbis. Lime de. forsaleby

J.C. & R. B. WOOD. Contractors and Builders Dec 22, 1850.

N. C. BACON. SO()() LBS. Hams, Sides and Shoulders, in store, and for sale low by SAVAGE & MEARES.

On Hant and for Sale to Close Consignments 50 barrels family Flour, 50 5 hhds. Muscovado Sugar; 5 bbis. Porto Rico 5 hhds. Western Shoulders; 5 barrels Whale Oil;

10 boxes Candles;

or cash, by

20 boxes Soap; " Starch; I barrel " 5 half barrels Saleratus ; 50 boxes Window Glass; 5,000 Havana Segars, a good article ; 10 Coils of best Italian Packing, for sale, low,

ELLIS, RUSSELL & Co.

HAY. S() BALES prime Eastern, hay, landing from Bug H. Kellock, for sale by ADAMS, BROTHER & Co. June:



For the Care of COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRON-CHITIS, CROUP, ASTUMA, WHOOP-ING COUGH AND CONSUMPTION.

In offering to the community this justly celebra ted remedy for diseases of the throat and lungs, it is not our wish to triffe with the lives or health of the affiliated, but frankly to lay before them the opinions of distinguished men and some of the evidences of its success, from which they can judge for them selves. We sincerely pledge ourselves to make no wild assertions or false statements of its efficacy, nor will we hold out any hope to suffering humanity which facts will not warrant.

Many proofs are here given, and we solicit an inquiry from the public into all we puplish, feeling as

From the distinguished Professor, of Chemistry and Metaria Medica, Bowdoin College. Dear Sir: I delayed answering the receipt of preparation, until I had an opportunity of witnessing its effects in my own family, or in the families of my filends.

This I have now done with a high degree of satisfaction in cases both of adults and children. I have found it, as its ingredients show, a power- | He was as large as two dogs. fut remedy for colds, and coughs, and pulmenary

PARKER CLEAVELAND, M. D. BRUNSWICK, ME . 5. 1847.

this City. Dr. J. C. Ayer: I have been cured of the worst cough I over had in my life, by your "CHERRY PEC-TORAL" and never fail, when I have opportunity,

of recommending it to others. Yours, respectfully, S. D. EMERSON. Read the following, and see if this medicine is worth a trial. This patient had become very fee-ble, and the effect of the medicine was unmistakably distinct :-

UNITED STATES HOTEL, SARATOGA SPRINGS, Ju v 5, 1849. Dr. J. C. Ayer, -I have been afflicted with a painful affection of the lungs and all the symptoms of setfind no medicine that would reach my case, until d commenced the use of your "Citegary Pectoral," which gave me gradual relief, and I have been steadlly gaining my strength till my health is well digh !

While using your medicine, I had the gratificaman, of Sumpter District, who had been suspended from his parochial duties by a severe attack of bron-

Thave pleasure in certifying these facts to you, And am, slr. yours respectfully, J. P. CALHOUN of South Carolina. Prepared and sold by JAMES C. AYER, Practical Chemist, Lowell, Mass. Sold in Wilmington by A. C. Evans & Blother, ness, and by Druggists and dealers in Medicine through-

out the State.

June 28.

July 19.

WESTERN SHOULDERS. HHDS. Prime Shoulders, just received, for sale J. & D. MCRAE & Co.

July 19 FLOUR, FLOUR, FLOUR. 100 BBI.S. superfine and extra, in store, J. & D. MCRAE & CO

BILLS OF EXCHANGE. A HANDSOME edition of Bills of Exchange, just received, bound in Books of different sizes

WHISKEY. 125 BBLS, for sale cheap by P. MoRAF & CO.

SUPERIOR SODA WATER A. C. EVANS & BROTHER'S July 26.

ICHABOD INCHES: THE PLEASURES OF BATHING.

BY PAUL CREYTON.

lehabod Inches was extravagantly fond of bathing. Nearly every day, in the commer time, he used to go down to the point, hack of Deacon Johnson's harn deposit his clothes in the bushes, and plunge like a duck into

The pond was a fine bath-so clear and brilliant, when the sun shone, that every pebble that glittered on the hard bottom, was distinctly visible; and when feinbod dove down in the deepest places you could see him kicking and sprawling among the frightened fishes, like a great white trox, or

a regular merman. a regular merman.

Ichabod chose the shadowy part of the pond, behind Deacon Johnson's barn, from considerations which every modest p will commend. The deacon had son will commend. The deacon had some gay and enterprising girls, who delighted he rambling about the farm, sometimes extending about the farm, sometimes extending no such thing as hiding in the transparent water, lehabod found the harn a convenient retreat, on occasions of surprise. He could always hear the girls coming in season to catch up his clothes, retreat to the barn, and dress himself, without giving them a suspicion of his presence.

suspicion of his presence. One day however, lehabod was sadly dis-

confitted. This is the way of a li was in the afternoon. There was a soft, warm alr, and a cloudless sky. Ichabed had enjoyed a delightful bath, and, in the shadow of the bushes where his clothes were concealed, he was on the point of slipping his under garmen' over his head, when he was startled by a most terrific growl.

ichabod was nervous. At a bound he plunged into a blackberry bush, and looked

around for the bear, panther, or whatever the animal might be, that growled so horribly. Wet as Ichabod's hair, was, 'it stood up all over his head. He was paralyzed with fear. Another growl, however, started Ichabod out of the briers, He had never heard any-

thing so horrilying before. He caught a glimpse of a huge, bristling monster, with glaring yes, on the other side of the bushes, and—fled. Unfortunately, Ichabod was not only out of his senses, but out of his clothes. He left his shirt hanging on the briers. He rushed into the barn. He shut the door after him with great trepidation, and clung to a beam. to keep from falling. He frembled us he had never trembled before, and his legs

seemed crumbling away beneath him.
Finding himself safely in the parn, howin Books and sheets, also Letter Sheets—with sured they will find them perfectly reliable, and the bod presently began to recover from his medicine worthy their best could nee and patron fright. Still hearing a series of uncarthly growls, he ventured to look through a crack in the door, to get a sight at the mouster.

It was not a bear. It was not a pauther. It was only a dog-Deacon Johnson's dog, the most peaceable of all dogs. Besides, Ichabod and Towser had always been friends. But Ichabod had never befere seen him bristle up so, or heard him utter such growls.-

'He is mad,' thought Ichabod. Then Ichabod began to thing of his clothes. He dured not go for them, never re-flecting that Tower's unaccduntable insanity was all owing to sheer fright. Nothing, indeed, terrifics a dog so much as the sight of a human being in a state of hudity, Jehabod could not have got within a rod of Tow-ser had he tried. Towser's growl uns a growl of terror, and he followed his old friend. through the strange fascination of lear.—And now he began to yelp and to bark before the barn door in a most wild and alarming manner, for poor Joh!

After suffering much agony, in his retreat, ichabod, anxious to recover his clothes, resolved to presume upon his former intimacy with Towser, to coax him out of his insanity.
Accordingly, after considerable preliminary whistling and flattery, through a crack, leitable cautiously opened the door. Towser, recognizing the voice, had for a moment appeared easier; but the instant he

bristles went up again, and he yelled horri-hly. Ichabod shut the door, as if he had been met by a troop of weives! Our hero's situation was you may say without contradiction—anything but plemant. In vain did he beg and entreat Towser to know him, and come out of his mad-

saw the terrible sight of a maked man, his

Poor Towser! good Towser-Tow, Tow-come Tow? he cried-and Towser answend with yells. Ichabod gronned, and cursed, and shivered, and cursed again-when-sluide of Di-

ana !- a chorus of female voices burst on Ichabod's ear. 'O, Lor! O, Lor! it's Johnson's girls! grouned Ichabod, looking through the crack.
That infernal dog—they'll think there's a thicf in the barn! Ho! Don't come! he shouted, as three robust girls approached the door-don't come! for heaven's subs-

He flew about the barn like a chicken after its neck is wrung. There was no way of fastening the door. To hold it was out Instructived, bound in Books of different sizes and in Quites and Sheets, for sale at the office of the Quites and Sheets, for sale at the office of the Commercial June 19, 1951.

41. —but he saw that wouldn't to. His eye fell on a bundle of straw, and he wished himself a mouse, that he might crawl into it.

The girls came nearer and searer. Having pacified the dog, they boldly determined to ascertain the cause of his terror.

Don't come—I'm saked—for heaven's sake, don't! shrieken lchabod.

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