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CORNELIUS DAPRE, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oil, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfumery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c., MARKET STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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McRAE & HARRISS, IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN CHINA, GLASS, AND EARTHEN WARE, AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS, West side Front street, between Market and Dock streets, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

MASSALON, Portrait Painter, would respectfully inform the citizens of Wilmington and the surrounding country, that he has permanently located himself in this place...

ELLIS, RUSSELL & Co. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, WILMINGTON, N. C.

JOHN STRUTHERS & SON'S MARBLE AND SAND STONE YARD, No. 369 HIGH STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Marble Mantels, Monuments, Tombs and Grave Stones constantly on hand. Every description of ORNAMENTAL WORK AND STATUARY Executed and imported.

MORE & GALLAGHER, IRON FOUNDERS, AND MANUFACTURERS OF WROUGHT & CAST IRON RAILINGS, RIDGE ROAD & COATES ST. PHILADELPHIA.

COMMISSION AND AGENCY BUSINESS J. R. WHITAKER AND JAMES W. WHITFIELD REFERENCES.

H. DOLLNER, G. POTTER, JR. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NEW YORK.

SOUP DIGESTERS. An invaluable article, to the epicure, dyspeptic, or even poor man.

FLOUR. 60 BBL'S. Canal Flour, for sale by - J. HATHAWAY & SON.

COOPERAGE. THE subscriber is now prepared to make or repair water casks of any size, for the use of vessels, on the lowest terms...

SHIPPING ARTICLES. A HANDSOME edition of Shipping Articles, just printed and for sale at The Commercial Office...

SAIL MAKING. THE Subscriber having located himself in the town of Wilmington, for the purpose of carrying on the Sail making business...

GROCERIES. 40 BAGS prime Rio Coffee; 10 " Leguira do; 7 hds. P. R. Sugar; 40 boxes and 13 casks prime Cheese; 25 barrels Mess Pork; 100 barrels Sup. Flour, assorted brands; 15 kegs Goshen Butter; 10 boxes (5/8) Tobacco; 20 " Soap; 5 hds. Bacon, Sides and Hams; 30 boxes Raisins; 20 barrels Lamp Oil; For sale by J. HATHAWAY & SON.

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RATES OF FREIGHT. RATES of Freight on the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road, and on the Company's Boats to Charleston, revised and corrected December, 1850; just printed and for sale at the office of The Commercial, at 24 cents per copy.

GLUE. 20 BBL'S. superior, for sale low by A. MARTIN.

MOLASSES. A MOMENTLY expected 300 Hhds. new crop Cuba Molasses, cargo of Brig John Dawson, from Cuba, for sale by MILES COSTIN, Brown's Wharves.

AXES, SOUTHERN MANUFACTURE. JUST received direct from Manufacturers a few dozen "Archer & Co's" very superior Axes...

BACON. A LOT of superior North Carolina Bacon, just received per Rail Road. For sale, by J. H. FLANNER, No. 25 North-Water Street.

BRICK--BRICK. 35,000 HARD burnt brick, for sale, by J. & D. McRAE & Co.

SOUTH CAROLINA INSURANCE COMPANY, OF CHARLESTON, S. C. CHARTERED by the State of South Carolina with a Capital of \$250,000, all paid in and will insure--FIRE, MARINE, RIVER AND LIFE RISKS.

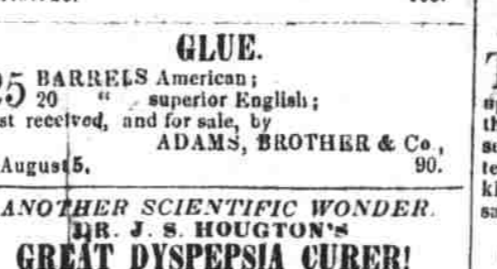
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CARDENAS MOLASSES. 50 BBL'S Cardenas Molasses, of Superior Quality, now landing from Portland, for sale by ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.

FRESH BOSTON CRACKERS. JUST received, 25 tin canisters Bent's Boston Crackers; 100 doz. Underwood's Pickled Herring, for sale, by HOWARD & PEDEN.

GLUE. 25 BARRELS American; 20 " superior English; just received, and for sale by ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER. DR. J. S. HOUGHTON'S GREAT DYSPEPSIA CURER!



THE True Digestive Fluid, or Gastric Juice Prepared from Rennet, or the fourth stomach of the Ox, after directions of Baron Liebig, the great Physiological Chemist, by J. S. Houghton, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.

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EMPTY SPIRITS BARRELS. 200 SECOND Hand Spirits Barrels, large size, in good order, for sale by, DEROSSET & BROWN.

SUGAR. JUST received--300 bags Coffee, Rio, Lagayra, St Domingo, Java, and Mocha; 24 bags sweet spiced chocolate; 10 hds. P. R. Sugar; 100 bbls. double refined loaf, crushed, powdered and granulated Sugar; 200 boxes Candies, all kinds and grades; 25 do. Jud's patent do., 4 1/2 and 6 in. fancy box do., 8 lbs. each; 100 bbls. Whiskey; 50 boxes Cheese; 200 packages new Raisins; 200,000 cigars, at Baltimore prices; 100 boxes fine Chewing Tobacco; 10,000 new two bushel Gann's Bags. For sale at the lowest prices, by HOWARD & PEDEN.

COFFEE. 100 BAGS extra Rio, for sale, by ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.

COFFEE. 50 BAGS Rio Coffee. For sale by J. HATHAWAY & SON.

BILLS OF LADING, &c. FOLIO POST BILLS OF LADING bound in Books, and sheets, also Letter Sheets--with guaranty of accurate blanks, for sale at The Commercial Office.

FISH--FISH. 12 BBL'S of extra Mullens and Trout, in Pork Blbs, at G. D. H. KELLEY'S, Feb. 17. J. H. & N. C. T. copy. 143

TOBACCO. 25 PACKAGES of good Chewing Tobacco, for sale low, by J. H. FLANNER, No. 23 North Water St.

SPIRIT BARRELS. 100 APFLACK'S superior Spirit Barrels, for sale by J. C. LATTA.

CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE subscribers have this day formed a co-partnership under the style of McRAE & HARRISS, and have taken the new granite front store, lately erected by Capt. G. Potter, on Front between Mar ket and Dock streets, where they will always keep a complete wholesale and retail stock of CROCKERY AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS, to which they invite the attention of merchants and others.

NOTICE. THE subscriber having formed a co-partnership with Mr. N. T. HARRISS, is desirous of closing up his old business, and begs leave to urge upon those indebted to him the necessity of a prompt settlement of their bills. He at the same time tenders his thanks to his former customers for their kind patronage, and solicits a continuance of the same to the new firm.

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BROTHERS LINE. THE Steamer Brothers and Tow Boats, STEVENSON and David Lewis are prepared to forward with DESPATCH, all goods consigned to the Proprietor.

NOTICE. ALL Freight directed for Charleston, S. C., or Smithville, N. C., must be at the Company's steam Packet wharf by 8 o'clock, A. M., or it will not be received. JAS. T. MILLER, Ag't.

A. A. B. SOUTHALL, COLLECTOR AND GENERAL AGENT. I WOULD here take this opportunity of returning my thanks to my friends and patrons for the very liberal patronage I have received at their hands, during the time I have been collecting for them and hope by strict attention to business and with a determination to please, still to receive a continuation of their confidence and support, as I intend to devote my time to this business.

NOTICE. I will attend the Courts of the adjoining Counties whenever inducements is offered. My office will be in the store of Messrs. Whitaker and Whitfield, at which place I will be found unless when out, attending to business. In my absence, any communication left with Messrs. Whitaker & Whitfield, for me, will be handed to me.

NOTICE. I will attend, as usual, to the sale of real estate; hiring servants; renting houses--or any other business in which an active agent is wanted. A. A. B. SOUTHALL.

CARDENAS MOLASSES. 200 HHD'S heavy Cardenas Molasses, just arrived, and for sale, by ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.

HAY--HAY. 50 BALES of superior Hay, daily expected to arrive per Schr. E. S. Powell, from New York. For sale by HOWARD & PEDEN.

PLANTING POTATOES. FIFTY barrels daily expected, by Mary Powell, and for sale by JOHN C. LATTA.

NEAL, MEAL. 200 BUSHELS fresh ground in stone, and for sale by ELLIS & HARRISS.

COFFEE & SUGAR. 20 BAGS Rio and Laguira Coffee; 7 hds. prime Porto Rico and N. Orleans Sugar, just received and for sale by J. HATHAWAY & SON.

NOTICE. A. S. DeRosset & Brown, and J. B. Blossom, of this Town, are forwarding Cotton by forwarding commission, I will also forward commission, Cotton and Spirits Turpentine to House in New York, except to Brown & DeRosset and J. B. Blossom & Son.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE CASKS. 200 CASKS expected by E. S. Powell, for sale by JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM.

TO THE PUBLIC. THE Subscriber has leased for a term of years, of R. W. Brown, Esq., his fire-proof store, with his wharves, and is now to a condition to take special care of Spirits Turpentine and other Naval Stores committed to his care. The Warehouse is well known to be the best and safest place in town for the storage of Bacon, Lard, Corn, Flour, &c. The lower wharves have on them four large new sheds, where Spirits can be safely kept from the rain and sun. He is prepared to receive and ship, or sell, all kinds of produce sent to his care. He will also make advances when required.

COMFORT, SAFETY & ECONOMY. THE subscriber, having purchased Mr. Daniel Hemingway's patent for an improvement in the construction and arrangement of Fire Places and Flues, so as to prevent them from smoking--and by which improvement a saving of half the quantity of fuel generally used, is made--will take great pleasure in attending to any work entrusted to him, and assures those who are kindly disposed to employ him, that entire confidence may be placed in the improvement. He has already altered the Fire Places and built several chimneys, in Wilmington, on this system, all of which have given entire satisfaction.

N. C. BACON. 7,000 LBS. Bacon, Hams, Sides and Shoulders, of very superior quality, just received from Wayne County, for sale in quantities to suit purchasers, by ANDERSON & LATIMER.

SALT! SALT! 1,000 SACKS large, and in fine order, to arrive per brig Susan Danvers from Charleston. GEO. HARRISS.

LIME! LIME! LIME!!! 600 BBL'S. Lincolnville White Lime! Also calcined Plaster, Finest Hair, and Fire Brick, Hydraulic Cement; 1000 bbls. Lime &c. for sale by J. C. & H. B. WOOD, Contractors and Builders.

CHINA. WE have just received TEN PACKAGES CHINA AND GLASS, from Liverpool, also TWENTY CRATES of CANNED GUINNESS WARE--part sold to arrive. Those who have purchased can get their orders by sending for them. McRAE & HARRISS.

CANDY, CANDY. ON HAND, 700 lbs. fresh and good, for sale low by WILKINSON & ESLER.

OUTCALTS SNUFF. ALWAYS on hand, at Manufacturers prices, orders received, and forwarded for lots to suit purchasers. ADAMS BROTHER & Co.

LINE--LINE. 800 CASKS monthly expected from Canada, per Schr. Steamship. For sale, by J. & D. McRAE & Co.

NOTICE. THE undersigned having formed a Co-partnership under the style of JOHN BANKS & BROTHER, for carrying on a COMMISSION AND FORWARDING BUSINESS, as goods consigned to them, or ordered, or produced and to be sold, will be promptly attended to.

GUANO! GUANO!! 100 TONS best Peruvian, daily expected. For sale in lots to suit. ALSO. 100 Bbls. Ground Plaster for Agricultural purposes. For sale by J. & D. McRAE & Co.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. ON Wednesday the 31st day of March, 1852, the undersigned as the Executor of the last will of the late Joseph A. Sizer, will cause to be sold by public auction, at Exchange Court, in the town of Wilmington, the real estate of the said Joseph A. Sizer, to-wit: the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road, and one or more negro slaves--and the proceeds of the sale will be allowed, and the purchase money required to enter into bonds or make up the cash and sufficient security, negotiable and payable to the order of the Banks of Wilmington, to secure the payment of their respective purchases. CHARLES D. ELLIS, Executor.