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J & D. McRAE & Co.
General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON N. C.
Particular attention paid to procuring freights and purchasing cargoes for vessels.
JOHN MACRAE, DONALD MACRAE, JOHN W. K. DIX.
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JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM.
General Commission and Forwarding Merchant
Particular personal attention given to Consignments for sale or Shipment,
And liberal cash advances made on Consignments to me or to my New York friends.
Wilmington, Jan. 30, 1852. 135-tf

T. C. WORTH:
Commission and Forwarding MERCHANT,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Feb. 19 1852. 143-12 m.

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 a prompt and personal attention. I have a wharf for Naval Stores, with ample accommodations, Spirit House, and Warehouse. Consignments of Naval Stores for sale or shipment; and all kinds of country produce solicited. Cash advances made on consignments.
April 18 1851. 15

GEO. MYERS,
Wholesale and Retail Grocer,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND:
Wines, Teas, Liquors, Provisions, Wood and Willow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, &c. &c.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.
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WILLIAM M. HARRISS,
GENERAL
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WILMINGTON, N. C.
STRICT attention given to procuring Freights and purchasing Cargoes for vessels.
REFERENCES:
O. G. Parsley, Esq., } Wilmgt'n. N. C
Col. John McRae, } Wilmgt'n. N. C
Messrs. Dudley & Huntington, } Wilmgt'n. N. C
Messrs. Hall, Sackett & Co., } Fayette. N. C.
Joseph Utley, Esq., } Fayette. N. C.
Messrs. James Corner & Sons, Baltimore.
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" Thompson & Hunter, } New York.
" Pillsbury & Sanford } New York.
" Hunting & Platts, Boston.
" J. & G. P. Pilsbury, Kennebunk, Me.
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COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
STRICT attention given to procuring Freight and purchasing Cargoes for vessels.
REFER TO
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O. G. Parsley, Esq., } Wilmington.
J. A. Taylor, Esq., } Wilmington.
J. D. Bellamy, Esq., } Wilmington.
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" Thompson & Hunter, } New York.
Alex'r. Herron, Jr., Philadelphia
Messrs. Williams & Butler, } Charleston, S. C.
H. F. Baker, Esq., } Charleston, S. C.
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ANDERSON & LATIMER,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
SOUTH WATER STREET.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sep. 27, 1851. 82-1y-c

A. ADAMS. H. L. ADAMS, ROBT. G. RANKIN.
ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.
(Late Barry, Bryant & Adams.)
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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COMMISSION MERCHANT,
AND
GENERAL AGENT.
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General Commission Merchant.
WILMINGTON, N. C,
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WILLIAM NEFF,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
SHIP CHANDLERY, SHIP STORES AND GROCERIES,
CORNER OF DOCK & WATER STREETS
WILMINGTON N. C.
Dec 7th 1851

DEROSSET & BROWN.
WILMINGTON, N. C
BROWN & DEROSSET.
NEW YORK.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
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GEO. H. KELLY,
COMMISSION MERCHANT.
Next door to A. A. Watson's, on North Water st. will attend to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce, such as Corn Peas, Meal, Bacon, Lard, &c., and will keep constantly on hand a full supply of Groceries, &c.
References.
Willes Hall of Wayne, John Dellac, Wilmington
W Caraway, " Gen. Alx. M. Rae, "
E. P. Hall, Wilmington, Wiley A. Walker, "
Dec 13, 1851. 115-1y.

T. DS. F. GAUSE.
Commission Merchant & Auctioneer,
Office in Hall's upper building, North Water Street.
Where he will be happy to attend to all orders in either branch of his business.
Wilmington, N. C. Dec. 23, 1851. 119-tf.

CORNELIUS DuPRE.
WHOLE SALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oil, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfumery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c.,
MARKET STREET,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Prescriptions carefully compounded by experienced persons.
March 28, 1852.

J. C. LATTA.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.
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Thos. H. Wright, Esq., Pres't Bank Cape Fear, } Wilmington, N. C.
O. G. Parsley, Esq., Pres't Commercial Bank, } Wilmington, N. C.
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WILKINSON & ESLER.
CASH DEALERS IN
Confectionary, Fruit, Nuts, Toys, Fancy Articles, Perfumery, Tobacco, Segars, &c.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
MARKET STREET,
WILMINGTON N. C.
Nov. 30, 1851. 10-tf

McRAE & HARRISS.
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
CHINA, GLASS, AND EARTHENWARE,
AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
West side Front street, between Market and Dock streets,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
October 2, 1851. 85.

J. WESSEL. H. B. EILERS.
WESSEL & EILERS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE GROCERS, North Water Street, Wilmington, N. C., intend to keep at the above stand a general assortment of Groceries, Liquors, and Provisions at wholesale—and to carry on a General Commission Business.
REFERENCES:
E. P. Hall, Pres't Bank of the State } Wilmington.
O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank. } Wilmington.
P. K. Dickinson, Esq. } Wilmington.
Poppe & Co. } New York.
Dollner & Potter, } New York.
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ELLIS, RUSSELL & Co.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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JOHN STRUTHERS & SON'S
MARBLE AND SAND STONE YARD,
No. 360 Third STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
Marble Mantels, Monuments, Tombs and Grave Stones constantly on hand. Every description of ORNAMENTAL WORK AND STATUARY Executed and imported. Orders for public or private Buildings executed with promptness and despatch.
N. B. Designs will be sent for Mantels, Monuments and Grave Stones, and all work shipped insured from breakage when required.
Oct. 4. 85-1y-c

MORE & GALLAGHER.
IRON FOUNDERS,
AND MANUFACTURERS OF
WROUGHT & CAST IRON RAILINGS
RIDGE ROAD & COATES ST.
PHILADELPHIA.
All orders attended to with promptness and despatch—work warranted.
Oct. 4 86-1y c.

H. DOLLNER. G. POTTER, JR.
DOLLNER & POTTER,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
NEW YORK.
LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE ON ALL CONSIGNMENTS.
March 16. 1-y

FLOUR.
60 BBLS. Canal Flour, for sale by
J. HATHAWAY & SON.
Sept. 13. 77

COOPERAGE.
THE subscribers are prepared to make or receive waters casks of any size, for the use of vessels, on the lowest terms; also, the citizens can have any article in the line of Coopering made or repaired with dispatch.
A. MORGAN.
Wilmington, Feb 26, 1852 147-12m-p.

CONSULATE OF HAYTI,
64 Commercial Wharf, Boston, 5th March, 1851.
THE undersigned gives notice, that in accordance with a Law passed at Port au Prince, on the 24th December last, vessels arriving in Hayti from the U. States on or after the 16th April next, must be provided with Duplicate Manifests of their cargoes, certified by a Consular Agent of Hayti. If there shall not be one at the port of loading, otherwise the documents may be verrified before an officer (duly authorized to administer oaths) of the State or United States Government.
B. C. CLARK.
May 8 23-tf

SHIPPING ARTICLES.
A HANDSOME edition of Shipping Articles, just printed and for sale at *The Commercial Office* equal to any as yet imported "from New York."
Orders for a Ream or more will be filled at a cost of 10 to 20 per cent. cheaper than they are in New York.
Nov. 10, 1851. 102-tf

NOTICE
THE undersigned having formed a Co-partnership under the style of JOHN BANKS & BROTHER, for carrying on a COMMISSION AND FORWARDING BUSINESS, all goods consigned to them, or ordered, or produce sent for sale, will be promptly attended to
JOHN BANKS,
DAVID BANKS.
Feb. 3. 137.

SPIRITS BARRELS.
600 SECOND hand Spirits Bbls, large size, in prime order, for sale by
ANDERSON & LATIMER.
Jan. 27. 134.

SHINGLES.
80,000 McREE'S Contract Shingles, now landing. For sale by
DeROSSET & BROWN.
March 18. 1.

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 25 cents per copy.
Dec. 21. 119-tf.

MILL SAWS.
THE subscriber has the pleasure of informing Miller's engaged in sawing pitch pine, that he has succeeded in setting up the best Saw for that purpose that has ever yet been produced, as far as he knows. All saws warranted not to split in the teeth.
J. M. ROBINSON'S,
Hardware Store, Wilmington, N. C.
Oct. 16. H. & J. copy, 91.

THAT POLSIH, HOW IT SHINES!
10,000 BOXES SOLD
WITHIN THE LAST 9 MONTHS.
A. J. WOODWARD returns his thanks to the public for the unprecedented encouragement he has met with in the manufacture and sale of his celebrated Polish, and at the same time wishes it understood that he always keeps a supply on hand for wholesale or retail.
Experience has proved that this Polish is unsurpassed for quickness in putting a gloss on boots and shoes, and also in preserving the leather.
Persons wishing to oil their boots can use this Polish with equal success immediately afterwards; the leather should be rubbed as soon as the Polish is applied, before it dries.
The Polish can be found at the Drug Store of C. DuPre, Market Street.
March 18. W Journal 3m. 1 3m.

ADVANCES.
LIBERAL Cash advances will be made, when required, on all goods consigned to our House in New York, and Cotton to their address forwarded by us, will be attended to free of forwarding Commission.
We will also advance liberally on Cotton or other produce consigned to our friends in Liverpool, to which port we can furnish ship room for a few hundred bales of Cotton, at low rates, by several vessels shortly expected.
DeROSSET & BROWN.
March 18. 1-tf.

GLUE.
20 BBLS. superior, for sale low by
A MARTIN.

BACON.
A LOT of superior North Carolina Bacon, just received per Rail Road. For sale by
J. H. FLANNER,
No. 25 North Water Street.
Feb. 10. 140.

SOUTHERN MUTUAL INSURANCE CO. M.
OF CHARLESTON, S. C.
CHARTERED by the State of South Carolina with a Capital of $250,000, all paid in and well invested—FIRE, MARINE, RIVER AND LIFE RISKS.
CHAS. EDMONSTON, Pres't.
A. L. TOBIAS, Sec'y.
DIRECTORS:
ROBERT MARTIN, Col. JAMES GADSDEN,
M. C. MORDECAI, CHAS. H. WEST,
S. MOWRY, Jr. HENRY COBIA.
The subscribers having been appointed agents in this place for the above named company, are prepared to receive offers and issue policies of Insurance on Fire, Marine, River and Life Risks, on liberal terms. All losses incurred at this agency, will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.
DeROSSET & BROWN.
N. B.—Risks will be taken on the lives of slaves on the most liberal terms,
Wilmington, N. C., Dec 2, 1851. 110.

CARDENAS MOLASSES.
50 BBLS. Cardenas Molasses, of Superior quality, now landing from Brig Portland, for sale by
ADAMS, BROTHER & Co.
Dec. 20. 118.

FRESH BOSTON CRACKERS.
JUST received, 25 tin canisters Best's Boston Crackers; 100 doz. Underwood's Pickles. For sale low, by HOWARD & PEDEN.
Dec. 20. 106.

CANDY, CANDY.
ON HAND, 500 lbs fresh and good, for sale low
WILKINSON & ESLER
March 6. 151

CHEMICALS.
FRESH arrivals of the following: 100 oz. Sulphate Quinine, 5 bbls Epsom Salts, 5 lbs pure Sulphate Zinc, 3 oz Sulphate Morphine, 4 oz Acetate Morphine, 10 lbs Blue Mass, 15 lbs English Cumel 6 oz Peperine, 5 gals Spirits Nitre, 2 oz Oil Tobacco, 5 lbs Hyd Potassa, (English,) 2 lbs Iodine, 2 lbs Iodide Arsenic, 2 lbs Chloroform, 1 oz Iodide Copper, 1 oz Valerinate of Iron, 5 lbs Phosphate Soda, 20 lbs Sugar Lead pure, 4 oz Cannin, 1 oz Oxide Mercury, 5 gals aq Ammonia, 10 lbs Spirits Ammonia Aromat, 10 lbs Hoffman's Anodyne. For sale by
C DuPRE.
Druggist, Market st.
March 30. 6.

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER.
DR J S HOUGTON'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.
This is a great Natural Remedy for Indigestion, and Dyspepsia, curing after Nature's own Method, by Nature's own Agent, the Gastric Juice. Pepsin is the chief element, or Great Digesting Principle of the Gastric Juice—the *Solvent of the Food*, the *Purifying, Preserving*, and *Stimulating* Agent of the Stomach and Intestines. It is extracted from the Digestive Stomach of the Ox, thus forming an Artificial Digestive Fluid, precisely like the natural Gastric Juice in its Chemical powers, and furnishing a complete and perfect substitute for it. By the aid of this preparation, the pains and evils of indigestion and Dyspepsia are removed just as they would be by a healthy Stomach. It is doing wonders for Dyspeptics, curing cases of debility, emaciation, nervous decline and Dyspeptic consumption, supposed to be on the Verge of the grave. The Scientific Evidence upon which it is based, is in the highest degree curious and remarkable.
Baron Leiebig, in his celebrated work on Animal Chemistry, says: "An Artificial Digestive Fluid, analogous to the Gastric Juice, may be prepared from the mucous membrane of the stomach of the Ox, in which various articles of food, as meat and eggs, will be *softened, changed, and digested, just in the same manner as they would be in the human stomach.*"
Half a teaspoonful of pure PEPSIN, infused or dissolved in water, will digest or dissolve *Five Pounds Roast Beef in about two hours* out of the Stomach.
Dr. Houghton's Pepsin, is sold by nearly all the dealers in fine drugs and Popular Medicine, throughout the United States. It is prepared in Powder, and in Fluid form—and in Prescription vials for the use of Physicians.
Private Circulars, for the use of Physicians, may be obtained of Dr Houghton or his Agents, describing the whole process of preparation and giving the authorities upon which the claims of this new remedy are based. As it is not a secret remedy, no objection can be raised against its use by Physicians in respectable standing and regular practice. Price in Fluid form, One Dollar per bottle.
PEPSIN IN POWDER.
Sent by Mail Free of Postage.
For convenience of sending to all parts of the country, the Digestive matter of the Pepsin, is put up in the form of Powder, with directions to be dissolved in water by the patient. These Powders contain just the same matter as the bottles, and will be sent by mail, free of postage, for one dollar sent (post paid) to Dr. J. S. Houghton, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.
☞ Observe this!—Every bottle of the genuine Pepsin bears the written signature of J. S. Houghton, M. D., sole Proprietor, Philadelphia, Pa.
☞ Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicines.
Sold, wholesale and retail, by A. C. EVANS & BROTHER; W. H. LIPPITT & Co., and C. DuPRE, Wilmington, N. C.
May 17 23-12mo

FISH---FISH.
35 BBLS. of fine large Trout and Mullets well pickled and in Pork barrels. Call soon at
GEO. H. KELLEY'S.
March 26 J. H. & N. C. T. copy. 1

EMPTY SPIRITS BARRELS.
200 SECOND Hand Spirits Barrels, large size, in good order, for sale by,
DeROSSET & BROWN.
July 3d, 47.

SUNDRIES,
JUST received—300 bags Coffee, Rio, Laguyra, St Domingo, Java, and Mocha; 25 bags sweet spiced chocolate; 10 hhds. P. R. Sugar; 100 bbls double refined loaf, crushed, powdered and granulated Sugar; 200 boxes Candles, all kinds and prices; 25 do. Jud's patent do., 4s 5s and 6s, in fancy boxes, 6 lbs. each; 100 bbls. Whiskey; 50 boxes Cheese; 200 packages new Raisins; 200,000 Segars, at Baltimore prices; 100 boxes fine Chewing Tobacco; 1,000 new two bushel Gunny Bags. For sale at the lowest prices, by HOWARD & PEDEN.
Nov. 20. 106.

COFFEE.
50 BAGS Rio Coffee. For sale by
J HATHAWAY & SON.
Sept. 13. 77.

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

FISH--FISH.
12 BBLS. of extra Mullets and Trout, in Pork
½ Bbls at GEO 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
March 6. 151 No. 25 North Water St.

SPIRIT BARRELS.
100 EFFLECK'S superior Spirit Barrels, for sale by J. C. LATTA.
Nov. 22. 107.

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 Market 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.
Being IMPORTERS, we feel confident we can sell articles in our line on as favorable terms, and of as good quality, as can be purchased in the United States.
ALEX. McRAE, Jr.,
N. T. HARRISS.

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.
ALEX. McRAE, Jr.
October 2, 1851. 85.

BROTHERS LINE.
THE Steamer *Brothers* and Tow Boats, *Stevenson* and *David Lewis* are prepared to forward with DESPATCH, all goods consigned to the Proprietor.
The Steamer *Brothers* is of LIGHT DRAUGHT, and well suited to run in *low water*. She possesses *power*, and *speed*, and is admirably adapted to *towing*, and can accommodate about 20 passengers.
The Proprietor contemplates running the Boat himself, and will give special attention to way freight and naval stores; to towing, and will also attend to the comfort and convenience of Passengers. From his long experience as Agent in Wilmington of the several Steam Boat Companies, he thinks he can give satisfaction.
To Merchants in the interior he would say, that all Goods shipped by him, will be delivered to their Agents in Fayetteville. His Agent in Wilmington is DAVID BANKS, to whom all communications may be addressed, as Agent of the Steamer *Brothers*.
JOHN BANKS, Proprietor.
May 15 26-12m e.
☞ Salisbury Watchman, Greensboro' Patriot, Fayetteville Observer, and Carolinian, and Ashboro Herald, please copy 4 weeks, and send bills to this office.

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 that business.
Refer to Messrs. Ellis & Mitchell, R. H. Grant, Esq., Geo. R. French Esq., C. Myers, Esq., and Messrs. Potter & Kidder.
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.
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.
Weekly Journal, Herald and Goldsboro' Patriot copy till forbid.
Feb. 19. 144-tf.

H. & J. MAYER;
Old Stand, Northside of Market Street:
RESPECTFULLY announce to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Wilmington and vicinity, that they have lately received a large addition to their Stock of Goods. One of the Firm has recently returned from North, where he has selected articles which cannot fail to give satisfaction, from his long experience in the trade. The Stock embraces every thing usually found in the best arranged Dry Goods establishments, which will be sold at the lowest possible prices. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine, and may be assured that they will be satisfied with the Goods and price.
April 15, 1852. 13-1mo w-4t.

TO WHOLESALE DEALERS AND PLANTERS
THE Subscribers offer on the most advantageous terms a complete Stock of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, HARDWARE, and GROCERIES, which they will sell as low as they can be bought in any of the northern cities. All we ask is to give us a trial.
H. & J. MAYER.
April 15 13-1m-4tw.

DREADFUL CASE OF JEALOUSY.

A Brief Story of a Blacksmith's Revenge.

BY FALCONBRIDGE.

Jealously is an awful thing—blighting, blasting and almost incurable. Jealously is worse than a seven years' itch, the plague or yellow fever. But as bad as is jealously, more deadly and damning are the presence and approaches of the libertine. He is the moving malaria, the portable plague, the secret assassin; his breath is mildew and blight, his tongue the poisoned stiletto. Beware of him—denounce him—shoot him.

I've heard, recently, of a case of guilty love, and its consequences, that we are sorry than loth to allow to die out and be lost to the rising generation. We do not resuscitate it from morbid motives to feed that unwholesome appetite, vulgar curiosity for the horrible and infamous, but to point a moral, and—adorn a pretty good story.

In some parts of New Hampshire, the land is monstrous sterile, and business proportionately stagnant. Under such adverse circumstances, it is not to be wondered that money is kind of scarce; and in consequence thereof, a dollar assumes, in the eyes of no small portion of the inhabitants of those regions, the size and importance of a miniature gold mine.

It so happened that a blacksmith, named Coldchisel, married himself a wife, altogether the prettiest woman in the entire settlement, thus being about the most dangerous piece of property the blacksmith, or any other man, could well get hold of, as all the philosophers, from King Solomon down to Tim Lawrence have testified. Pretty women are vain, love show, shallow foibles, gewgaws, and jimcracks; there may be exceptions. But it fell out that Coldchisel's wife was wont to sigh for more of such fur-le-burbs and kick-shaws than the limited and hard-earned income of her lord and master could afford.—This fact caused the harmony of the smith and his wife's marriage music to jingle out of tune—ergo, they come to words, and precious near blows!

A neighboring shop-keeper had, for some time, been casting sheep's eyes at the fair wife of the sledge-hammer and anvil; and finally, the wife and the shop-keeper got pretty intimate. The Knight of the Yardstick sold a thousand and one of those articles the wife of the smith so much coveted. She was weak, and he was lascivious; and, at last, they got so thick that the folks began to "notice it," and, by-and-by, the son of Vulcan was apprized, that, for a married woman, his wife, the neighbors thought, was a little too familiar with Mr. Yardstick.

The smith was a large body, and hence slow to move, but, being moved hard to resist. These things continued to work along, until the smith really began to believe that his wife was a little too familiar with Yardstick. So one day he intimated to his wife that, having some business in Portsmouth, he would be gone for a few days, and stepped out, accordingly.

The coast, being clear, the Knight of the Yardstick comes over to the smith's house, after shutting up his shop, with his pockets full of ribbons, tapes, pins, &c., and his mouth full of blarney and moonshine. Well, the tape-cutter and the smith's wife were getting along in the most agreeable manner, flirting and cooing like "turtle doves" in the smith's little sitting room. There is no telling how far or long this *tete-a-tete* might have lasted, but any way, about midnight, quite unexpectedly like, in comes, or rather rushes, Coldchisel! Yardstick took the hint, and made a rush, managed to get out doors, over the fence, and off he broke!

Now came the tug of war, for the infuriated smith was *there!* The village was hushed in sleep—quiet reigned without; but within the bosom of Coldchisel burned a rage of the most fiendish passion, and in his hand swung a two-pound hammer! The tape cutting gentleman cut his stick, bolted, dog out, ran as fast his legs and feet could carry him. He led off beautifully, but, though he was more nimble on his pins than his stalwart competitor, and knew each hook and crook of the village well, his competitor was far better bottom, and, in course of the first grand round of the village, so gained on the relaxing efforts of Yardstick, as to convince him that his chance of escape was growing beautifully, or fearfully less! It was a desperate race; life and death depended on it! The dry-goods man was thin and weak, his cause bad, and his pursuer a powerful fellow, armed with a fearful weapon, and a desperate account to settle! It was in vain that fear and desperation lent him wings, for the burly smith and the deadly hammer were gaining upon him at every jump! Seeing it useless to fly, the Knight of the Yardstick, the invader of another man's fireside, the guilty, trembling wretch; turned, fell upon his knees, and begged for quarter.

'Don't—don't, for God's sake, strike!'

The smith came at him—grasped the quaking calico-merchant by the throat with one hand, and with the other firmly clenched the deadly-looking hammer! It was a fearful suspence, an awful crisis, and the trembling poltroon felt it keenly.

'Don't—don't, Coldchisel—don't strike!'

'Cowardly villain!' exclaimed the smith, 'you are guilty of one of the most flagrant acts in civilized life.'

'I know it, Coldchisel—I acknowledge my wrong.'

One of the most dastardly, villainous acts known in the category of human rascality trying to sow the seeds of discord and strife in my family—alienate the affection of my wife," continued the determinately cool and murderous smith.

'Oh! I acknowledge—I—a—I know I am a rascal. I—a——'

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