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General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON N. C.
Particular attention paid to procuring freights and purchasing cargoes for vessels.
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JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM.
General Commission and Forwarding Merchant.
Prompt 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.
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WILLIAM A. GWYER,
GENERAL AGENT, FORWARDING and Commission Merchant.
I TAKE pleasure in informing my friends, that I am prepared to give all business entrusted to me efficient 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.
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Wholesale and Retail Grocer,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND
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STRICT attention given to procuring Freights and purchasing Cargoes for vessels.
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Messrs. Dudley & Huntington, }
Messrs. Hall, Sackett & Co., } Fayette. N. C.
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" Hunting & Tufts, Boston.
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J. A. Taylor, Esq., } Wilmington.
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Messrs. Tooker, Smyth & Co., } New York.
" Thompson & Hunter, }
Alex'r. Herron, Jr., Philadelphia
Messrs. Williams & Butler, } Charleston, S. C.
H. F. Baker, Esq., }
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ANDERSON & LATIMER,
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A. ADAMS, H. L. ADAMS, ROBT. G. RANKIN.
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(Late Barry, Bryant & Adams.)
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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.
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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. Wannet'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 McRae, Wilmington
W. Caraway, " Gen. Alx. McRae. "
E. P. Hall, Wilmington, Wiley A. Walker, "
Dec. 13, 1851. 115-1y.

THOS. 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 RETAL 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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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.
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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.
REFERENCE:
E. P. Hall, Pres't Br'ch Bank of the State. }
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JOHN STRUTHERS & SON'S
MARBLE AND SAND STONE YARD,
No. 360 HIGH 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. 155-1yp

FLOUR.
60 BBLS. Canal Flour, for sale by
J. HATHAWAY & SON.
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COOPERAGE.
THE subscriber is now prepared to make or repair water 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, 1853. 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 have been one at the port of loading, otherwise the documents may be verrified before an officer (duly authorized to administer an oath) 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 attendd to
JOHN BANKS,
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SPIRITS BARRELS.
600 SECOND hand Spirits Bbls., large size, in prime order, for sale by
ANDERSON & LATIMER.
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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 getting 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.

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.

SOUTH CAROLINA INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF CHARLESTON, S. C.
CHARTERED by the State of South Corolina with a Capital of $250,000, all paid in and will 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. MOWAY, Jr. HENRY COHIA.
The subscribers having been appointed agents in this place for the above named company, are prepare to receive offers and issue policies of Insuranc on Fire, Marine, River and Life Risks, on libe l terms. All losses incurred at this agency, will e 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.

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

DEEDS FOR SALE.
WaranteeDeeds, and Deeds for Mortgage on land just printed, in correct form and for sale at the *Commercial Office.*

EMPTY SPIRIT BARRELS.
150 LARGE Sises, just received and for sale by ELLIS, RUSSELL & CO.
June 26. 44.

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 Calomel, 6 oz Peperine, 5 gals Spirits Nitre, 2 oz Oil Tobacco, 5 lbs Hyd. Patassa, (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 Tannin, 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, anaogous 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 13 25-12mc

HATS.
PANAMA, Leghorn, and Palm Leaf Hats, in great variety of style, quality and price, wholesale and retail by. C. MYERS, Hatter.
April 22. 16

COFFEE.
50 BAGS Rio, Laguayra and Java.
For sale low by
ZENO H. GREENE.
April 24. 17

EMPTY SPIRITS BARRELS.
200 SECOND Hand Spirits Barels, 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; 26 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 grades; 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; 10,000 new two bushel Gunny Bags. For sale at the lowest prices, by HOWARD & PEDEN.
Nov. 20. 106.

CANDY, CANDY.
ON HAND, 700 lbs, fresh and good, for sale low by WILKINSON & ESLER.
March 6. 151

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 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
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SPIRIT BARRELS.
100 AFFLECK'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 addmirably 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 c.
*** 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 Whitfied, 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.

IN STORE.
30 BBLS. Fayetteville Flour, super. ⋈ and fine.
4 hhds best Porto Rico Sugars.
10 bbls do do do do
10 do do do Coffee crushed Sugar.
7 do do crushed do.
50 bags Laguyra Coffee.
50 boxes Colgates Soap, No. 1 pale.
20 boxes Colgates Pearl Starch, 12 and 40 lb. packages.
25 boxes Hull & Sons best Tallow Candles.
9 dozen of J. W. Collins' and D. Simmons' Axes
25 boxes Adamantine Candles, best and common.
4 chests of best Green and Black Teas ½ and ¼ lb packages, at
GEO. H. KELLEY'S.
April 19. J H & N C T copy. 14

WOOD'S HACKERS AND PULLERS.
FOR sale cheap at the Hardware Store.
J. M. ROBINSON.
March 16. 155

Singular Fugitive Slave Case—Manœuvres of the Abolitionists.

To James Gordon Bennet, Esq., Editor of the New York Herald:—

You will give to the public the following statement?—

On or about the first Sunday after Easter, A. D. 1849, a negro slave, named Nicholas Dudley, the property of Dr. Allen Thomas, of Ellicott's Mills, Anne Arundel county, Maryland, escaped from his owner, and came to the city of New York.

In April, 1850, this slave Dudley was arrested in the city of New York, charged with the robbery of a Captain Rowland. He assumed the name of James Snowden. He communicated with his master, informing him of his situation. A son of Dr. Thomas thereupon came to this city, and found Dudley in the Tombs.

Mr. John Jay, a lawyer of this city, somewhat known as an abolitionist, became the counsel of the negro, and advised him not to return to his master, but to plead guilty to the offence of which he was charged, and temporaily remain in the State prison. The negro took his advice, plead guilty, and was sentenced, on the 13th day of May, 1850, to the State prison at Sing Sing, for the term of two years, by the name James Snowden. About the first of April last, Dr. Thomas, the owner of this negro, wrote a letter to his Excellency, Washington Hunt, Governor of this State, stating the above facts, asking whether the negro had been pardoned, and expressing his intention to reclaim him at the expiration of his sentence, viz: May 13th, instant. To this letter, Dr. Thomas received the following reply in the hand of Gov. Hunt, in person:—

State of New York, Executive Department, Albany, April 20, 1852.

SIR:—On examining my records, I find that no pardon has been granted to James Snowden, nor is there any application before me in behalf of such a person.

Very respectfully Yours,
WASHINGTON HUNT.
Dr. ALLEN THOMAS, Ellicott's Mills, Md.

Upon receiving this letter Dr. Thomas made all necessary preparations to reclaim his slave at the expiration of his sentence.—The second proof under the tenth section of the Fugitive Slave Act, was perfected, and Allen Thomas, Jr., with a witness as to identity, came to this city on the 8th May, inst. He found the United States Marshal and his deputies courteous and desirous to fulfil their duty in the premises. Charles S. Spencer, Esq. was employed as attorney. The necessary papers were prepared; the proper warrant promptly issued by George W. Morton, Esq., U. S. Commissioner, and on the eleventh of May instant, two days before the expiration of the sentence, Deputies Marshals Talmadge and L. D'Angelis, with the warrant accompanied Mr. Thomas to Sing Sing. They arrived there about 2 o'clock P. M., and immediately proceeded to the prison. On going through the same the boy was found to be missing, and information was given to Gen. Lockwood, the agent of the object of the visit. The keeper, Mr. Robinson, was represented to be unwell, and lying down. Gen. Lockwood expressed himself willing to render all assistance in his power, and said that the negro was still, as far as he had knowledge, in the prison. Robinson soon made his appearance, took Gen. Lockwood aside, and made to him some communication.

Soon after Gen. L. stated to Deputy Marshals Talmadge, and L. D'Angelis, and Mr. Thomas, Jr., that he had been informed that the negro had been pardoned and released that morning, and at the same time produced the pardon of Governor Hunt. Upon examination, the pardon was found to have been given on the 11th, the same day of the discharge, by his Excellency Washington Hunt; without any publication or notice in either the State paper, or any paper in this city, and without notice to the District Attorney of the city and county of N. York, where the conviction was had—with, of necessity, a full knowledge of all the facts, and with, beyond doubt, the express purpose of defeating the reclamation of the slave. The marshals and Mr. Thomas returned to the city on Friday, the 14th of May. In the proceedings of the American and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society convened in the Tabernacle, in the city of New York, the following—as appears by the report in the NEW YORK HERALD—was said by—

Rev. Mr. Ray, (a colored brother)—Do not go away; I have something very interesting to tell you. Two years ago, a poor panting colored man came to this city, from Maryland. He became a cook in a vessel between this port and Providence. He was discovered, and a man went to him and said he should go to Maryland with him. He refused to do so, and then a charge of stealing was got up against him. He was put in prison, and his master came to his cell, and demanded the boy as his property. Judge McKeon would not consent. He said the boy must be tried on the charge of stealing. His lawyer and friends advised him to plead guilty. He did so, and was sent to prison.—Steps were taken to get him out; but the idea was abandoned, as it was feared it would be known by his master. However, as the time drew nigh that his period of imprisonment had expired, the brethren felt very uneasy, and Dr. Pennington went to Albany and succeeded in getting Governor Hunt to release him. His time is not out until tomorrow; but he is flying to day beyond the reach of his enemies. (Applause.)

A Brother here stated that the owner wrote to a keeper of one of the prisons, asking him where the slave was, that he might take him when his period of imprisonment expired but his letter was never answered.

Mr. Ray.—Oh! yes. I forgot to mention that.