

THE POPE AND HIS CARDINALS.

The Pope is a man of fine proportions, six feet two or three inches high, with a pleasing, pensive aspect, not very Italian in a visage which is more expressive of good nature than of talent or firmness.

How a few slight like those witnessed in the Sistine in Italy many of our feelings and opinions. A bishop or archbishop, surely, is quite a person; a single cardinal in a country, as Wiseman in England, is far more so.

And as you gaze upon the pope and cardinals in the Sistine, how the idea of infallibility, as taught by the papists, takes upon itself wings!

Yes, these are the very men, parading their man military before you, and claiming to exercise, by Divine Right, an irresponsible power, which when allowed, lays the world at their feet.

Life is a beautiful figure compared to a fountain fed by a thousand streams, that perish if one be dried. It is a silver cord, twisted with a thousand strings that part asunder if one be broken; frail and thoughtless mortals are surrounded by innumerable dangers, which strike it much more strange that they escape so long that they almost all perish suddenly at last.

WILKINSON & ESLER. CASH DEALERS IN Confectionery, Fruit, Nuts, Toys, Fancy Articles, Perfumery, Tobacco, Segars, &c., &c.

N. T. HARRISS, AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT WILMINGTON, N. C.

TEA. CHEST best Black Tea, finest quality and flavor, for sale low by W. C. HOWARD.

FOR CHILDREN. We have the Crying Babies, India Rubber Rats, &c., &c., at the Fruit Depot.

BUSINESS CARDS.

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

S. B. & J. A. EVANS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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FREEMAN AND HOUSTON, WILMINGTON, N. C. KEEP constantly on hand a stock of Flour, Corn, Pork, Bacon, Salt, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Candies, Soap, Foreign and Domestic Liquors and Wines; Iron, Nails, Paints, Oils, Glass, Domestic, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Leather, Agricultural Implements, and a variety of other articles, suitable for family and plantation use.

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DOLLNER & POTTER, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NEW YORK. Liberal Cash Advances made on all Consignments.

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WANTED. LBS. OF WOOL, for which I will pay the highest cash price.

C. DUPRE & CO. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS Corner Front and Princess-streets, WILMINGTON, N. C.

STATIONERY. SMALL size Gill Edge Letter Paper; Green's Ink Press; Folio and Quarto Blank Books; Rise and Fall Paper, ditto indented through; Blue Lead Bill Paper; David's Steel Pen Ink, best black; received this morning and for sale at August 19.

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S. M. WEST, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant, WILMINGTON, N. C.

DENTAL NOTICE. DR. W. M. SHEERWOOD, formerly Dr. Dupin, and practical Dentist for the last 7 years, informs his friends and the public generally, that he has located in Wilmington, on Front street, corner of Orange, where he is prepared to attend to all calls in the line of his profession.

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

T. C. WORTH, COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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GEORGE MYERS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCER. Keeps constantly on hand, Wines, Teas, Liquors, Provisions, Wood and Willow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, &c. South Front street, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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

JAS. H. CHADBOURN & CO., General Commission Merchants, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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GEO. HARRISS, General Commission Merchant, WILMINGTON, N. C.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER, General Commission Merchant, WILMINGTON, N. C.

BUTTER. JUST landed per schr. Wake--new Butter. For sale by W. C. HOWARD.

BACON AND LARD. A LOT of N. C. Bacon, mostly Hams, and a few kegs N. C. Lard. For sale by FREEMAN & HOUSTON.

N. C. BACON. JUST received, a lot of superior North Carolina Hams. For sale by ZENO H. GREENE.

NOTICE TO ALL. ALL persons whose Bills are yet unpaid are hereby notified that I leave to-morrow (Wednesday) morning for the North and all accounts must be settled to-day.

NEW WHEAT FLOUR. IN whole bbls. and eighth bags, just received fresh at, L. N. BARLOW'S, No. 3, Granite Row.

SAVE YOUR RAGS. A Nosh for them, at the Fruit Depot.

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LIME! LIME!! LIME!!! 600 BBL'S. Lincolnville White Lump; also calcined Plaster, Plastering Hair, and Fire Brick, Hydraulic Cement, 1,000 bbls. Lino &c., for sale by J. C. & R. B. WOOD, Contractors and Builders.

PURE MEDICAL WINES & LIQUORS. DARK and Pale French Brandy; Port, Madeira and Sherry Wines, all of superior quality. S. B. & J. A. EVANS.

NOTICE. THE subscriber, respectfully informs the public, that he is now transacting the Auction business on his own account, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of that patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him.

BUTTER. 5 KEGS Butter, received per schr. Adell. For sale by W. C. HOWARD.

FLOUR. 25 BBL'S. Canal Flour, just received per Ann & Susan, for sale by W. C. HOWARD.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE CASKS. 700 new and second hand, on board schr. A. T. Ward, for sale by FREEMAN & HOUSTON.

FRESH FAMILY GROCERIES. JUST received and now landing from various Vessels: Fine Fresh Butter; H. Smith and Hopson's No. 1 Molasses and Syrup; Sardines, in third, half and whole boxes; Kio, Java and Laguira Coffee; besides some boxes of Wheat Hominy; and every kind of Bird Cages.

BLANKS. THE following Blanks are printed and kept constantly for sale at the Commercial.

LABOR IS MONEY. JUST received from the manufactory, 75 boxes J. Excellence Family Soap, two of the quantity, and half the labor will do the same washing as any other Soap--hard, soft or salt water may be used with success. In whole or half boxes. For sale by Feb. 24.

SHINGLES. OF all descriptions, as called for, by May 24. GEO. S. GILLESPIE.

HICKORY, PERSIMMON AND WALNUT TIMBER, furnished to order, by GEO. S. GILLESPIE.

WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE. 10 dozen Corn Brooms; 4 do. Barrel Covers; 4 do. Draw Buckets; 2 dozen Cedar Tubs; 2 do. Measures; 2 dozen Step Ladders, all lengths; 2 do. Cocoon Dippers; 4 do. Whisks; 4 do. Distilling Brooms; 10 do. Painted Buckets; 20 nests Flour Pails; 2 dozen Well Buckets; 5 nests Painted Tubs; 4 dozen Charms, assorted sizes; 4 dozen Bung Starts; 4 do. Hearth Brooms; 4 do. Scrub do; 6 pint Ice Cream Freezers, new pattern, freeze in 5 minutes; 2 Chamber Sets, very handsome. For sale low by W. C. HOWARD.

THE NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, RALEIGH, N. C.

WANT TO SELL. 10,000 MORE OR LESS, of superior Havana Segars of La Josefine's Brand, and other popular brands, which are very fine--at the Fruit Depot.

TOWING BY STEAMER CALHOUN. ORDERS for towing by STEAMER CALHOUN, will have attention if left at the office of GEO. HARRISS.

MORSE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF YELLOW DOCK ROOT. THIS is a Purely Vegetable Compound, scientifically prepared from the best Roots and Herbs of the Materia Medica, and has gained an unrivaled reputation for the following effects, viz:

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FISH. JUST received per schr. Elouise, and for sale low by J. S. HALL, No. 1. Mackerel; 5 quarter bbls. No. 1 do; 10 one-eighth bbls. No. 1 do; 2000 lbs. Cod Fish. Mackerel and Salmon at retail, by W. C. HOWARD.

FAYETTEVILLE FLOUR. 20 BBL'S. Fayetteville Flour, received per Steamer Fanny Lutterbach, for sale low by W. C. HOWARD.

HAY. 200 BALES North Carolina Hay, for sale by FREEMAN & HOUSTON.

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 in a condition to take especial care of Salt Turpentine, at other Naval Stores committed to his care.

TO TRAVELLERS. WE are receiving a large supply of Sole Leather, iron frame, wood felloe, India Rubber, Travelling Trunks; Carpet Bags, Valises, India Rubber to Preserve, &c., &c.

INSTALLMENTS. A meeting held by the Board of Directors of the Wilmington & Topsail Sound P. R. Co. Ordered, That an installment of twenty per cent on the Capital Stock of the Wilmington & Topsail Sound Plank Road Company, be paid on the first day of March next; and that an installment of ten per cent be payable severally on the first day of April, May, June, July, August, September and October thereafter; and the last installment of eight per cent, on the first day of November following.

DISCOUNT NOTES. BLANK NOTES for discount at the several Banks in this place, and a handsome edition of printed notes, containing all the bank regulations at the Office of The Commercial.

GLUE. 25 BBL'S. superior, just received and for sale by ADAMS BROS. & CO.

PHILADELPHIA CONFECTIONARIES &c. JUST received a superior lot of those Lone Rings Port Wine Drops, Brandy Drops, Cordial Drops, Jelly Rings, Apple Drops, Gum Drops and Fine Almonds. Also, 30 boxes Hydraulic Press Candies; 15 boxes and half boxes Colgate's No. 1 Soap. For sale by C. DUPRE & CO.

FORMODENTA. STRANGE indeed, that so few realize how essential to domestic health, and how important a fine set of polished teeth; nothing contributes more toward it; nothing detracts more essentially from it, than neglected, and consequently diseased and disfiguring teeth. They are essential to health as to beauty, for it is impossible to inhale through decayed or unclean teeth, without affecting the lungs and stomach frequently to a serious extent.

WILMINGTON MARBLE AND STONE YARD. THE Subscriber having accepted the agency of several large establishments at the North, which will furnish him an unlimited supply of finished or unfinished foreign and domestic MARBLE of all qualities, is prepared to fill all orders for MONUMENTS AND TOMB STONES, and every other article in the line of the business at reasonable rates.

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Arrival and Departure of the Mails under the new Arrangement, which went into operation, 1st March, 1852. The Mail from the North is due every day at 9 A. M., and at 9 P. M. Closest at 1 P. M., and at 9 P. M., precisely.

AGENTS FOR THE COMMERCIAL. New York--Messrs. BROWN & DE ROSSET. Boston--FREDERICK KIDDER. Philadelphia--S. E. COHEN. Baltimore--WM. H. PEAKE and WM. THOMPSON.

LARD AND BACON. 5 BBL'S. N. C. Lard; 1000 lbs. do. Bacon. For sale by JOS. H. BLOSSOM.

BACON. A LOT of very superior North Carolina Bacon, just received and for sale low by J. H. FLANNER.

BUTTER. RECEIVED this day, per Schr. LAMARTINE, from New York, 10 kegs Extra Butter.

GUNNY BAGS. 2000 2 bushel Bags, new and second hand, for sale by FREEMAN & HOUSTON.

BACON. A Lot of very Superior North Carolina Bacon, just received, and for sale low by J. H. FLANNER.

WE HAVE RECEIVED ORANGES, Lemons, Candy, Raisins, Nuts, Cakes, Soap, Bird Cages, Baskets, Prunes, Smoking Tobacco, Children's Chairs, Cradles, Walking Canes, Whips, Matches, and Preserved Ginger.

WANTED. A Situation in the country, by a practical Engineer and Mechanic, to take charge of a S. S. Mill. Address A. D. Box 28, Wilmington P. Office.

TOBACCO---TOBACCO. 24 BOXES good and cheap Chewing Tobacco; 24 Snuff, in barrels and half barrels. For sale by ZENO H. GREENE.

MOSCHETO NETTING. 1,000 Peices, just received and for sale by KAHNWEILER & BRO.

GLUE. 30 BARRELS, for sale by FREEMAN & HOUSTON.

SOAP AND CANDLES. 50 BOXES No. 1. and Pale Soap, warranted to keep hard. For sale by ZENO H. GREENE.

SHOT. 3070 LBS. assorted sizes, for sale by W. C. HOWARD.

FOR SALE. A LARGE BOW WINDOW. Apply to C. MYERS, Granite Row.

EXCELSOR OR LABOUR. SAVING Soap, for sale at the Fruit Depot, by WILKINSON & ESLER.

PAPER HANGINGS. BORDERS and Fire Screens; Cornices, Bands, Gimps, Cords and Tassels; D'Almeida, Damasks, Turkey Red Calico and White Mullin Curtains at all prices; Piano and Table Covers; Oil Cloths for floors and tables; Mattings of all widths; Red and White, 4, 5 and 6 1/2 wide. For sale cheap by KAHNWEILER & BRO.

FAYETTEVILLE FLOUR. 20 BBL'S. Superior Fayetteville Flour, just received and in store. For sale by W. C. HOWARD.

SUMMER HATS--A FEW LEFT YET. M and Cassimeres, Soft Low Crowns and fashionable shapes; a great variety of felt Hats of every shape also Straw Hats of every style and description, all well received. Gentlemen who buy hats should be satisfied at the Emporium, Granite Row. C. MYERS, Proprietor.