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MISCELLANY.

A GOOD JOKE.

The Rome *Sentinel* tells the following excellency story in connection with the escape of two females from the jail in that town on Sunday night last:—"On Monday morning a constable, not a thousand miles from this town, having some business at Utica, started in his sleigh, with the intention of finding and arresting if possible, the fugitives. He had got a short distance below Oriskany, when he overtook a couple of females who politely asked him for a ride. This reasonable request could hardly be denied by the gallant constable, so he took the young ladies (!) in his sleigh, and carried them to Utica, and there left them. After the transaction of his business in that city, he returned to Rome, and was relating to the jailor the little piece of gallantry which he had performed in the morning, when it turned out on further description, that these same females who had had such a fine ride were the ones who had escaped from jail, and who the constable was in pursuit of."

DISCOVERY OF HUMAN REMAINS.

Yesterday afternoon some laborers while engaged in excavating and preparing the foundation for a new building about to be erected in the rear of No. 7 Oak-street, dug up a human skull and the bones of a human frame, which they found about 12 feet below the surface. News of the affair soon spread, and a large crowd collected, many of whom believed that some person had been murdered and buried on the spot. Captain Ditchett, with a force of the 4th ward police, repaired to the place and preserved order. The bones were placed in a box and conveyed to the store of Messrs. Fowler, phrenologists, who pronounced the skull to be that of an Indian. The remains had probably been deposited in the place in which they were found for nearly a century.

N. Y. Sun, 14th.

TERRIBLE DEATH.

A master bricklayer, attached to the Stanton Iron Works in South Derbyshire, England, while effecting some repairs upon the wall of a furnace, was precipitated from his position by the giving way of some bricks, into the midst of a mass of molten lead. The operatives who saw him stooping with his hands and feet in the red hot metal, could do nothing more than pour vast quantities of water upon the fire and upon the person of their unfortunate fellow workman. When the heat of the furnace was somewhat subdued so as to allow of access to the body, all that could be found of the remains was a single shrivelled fragment of the trunk, two or three feet in length.

BOOTBLACK IN A FIX.

A domestic, newly engaged, presented to his master, one morning, a pair of boots, the leg of one of which was much longer than the other.

'How comes it, you rascal, that these boots are not the same length?'

'I really don't know sir—but what bothers me the most is that the pair down stairs are in the same fix.'

A humorous fellow, subpœned as a witness on a trial for an assault, one counsel, who was notorious for brow-beating witnesses, asked him what distance he was from the parties when the assault happened; he answered:

"Just four feet five inches and a half."

"How came you to be so exact, fellow?" said the counsel.

"Because I expected some fool or other would ask me, and I measured it."

PROGRESS OF TEMPERANCE.

According to the latest advices, the Emperor or Russia refuses to treat.

Mr. John Stier, a revolutionary soldier aged 94 years, died near Frostburg, Md., on the 8th instant.

Mrs. Long, wife of Nathaniel Long, residing 16 miles from Tampa, Fla., was recently bitten by a rattlesnake, and died in a few hours.

BUSINESS CARDS.

D. C. FREEMAN. GEORGE HOUSTON
FREEMAN & HOUSTON,
MERCHANTS AND FACTORS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

D. C. FREEMAN & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
175 FRONT STREET,
NEW YORK.

FREEMAN AND HOUSTON, WILMINGTON, N. C.

KEEP constantly on hand a stock of *Flour, Corn, Pork, Bacon, Salt, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Candles, Soap, Foreign and Domestic Liquors and Wines; Iron, Nails, Paints, Oils, Glass, Domestics, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Leather, Agricultural Implements*, and a variety of other articles, suitable for family and plantation use and the retail trade, which they will dispose of in lots to suit dealers or consumers on reasonable terms for cash, or in exchange for Naval Stores or other produce.

The senior partner D. C. FREEMAN, is located in the city of New York; the junior partner, GEO. HOUSTON, in Wilmington. If desired, advances, will be made on consignments to and from either place. All business entrusted to them will receive proper attention; and orders for Goods will be promptly and carefully filled.

Sept. 9, 1852. 76-f.

C. & D. DuPRE.
WHOLESALE 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, 1853.

WILLIAM A. GWYER,
General Agent, Forwarding & 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.

April 18, 1853. 16.

JAS. H. CHADBOURN & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
JAS. H. CHADBOURN. GEO. CHADBOURN.
Jun. 1, 1853. 123.

T. C. WORTH,
General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

USUAL advances made on consignments of Cotton, Naval Stores and other produce.

Particular attention given by G. W. Davis to purchasing cargoes, procuring freights for vessels, &c.

Jan 41 128

HENRY NUTT,
FACTOR AND FORWARDING AGENT,
Will give his personal attention to business entrusted to his care.
Sept. 8, 1853. 75-tf.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER,
General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
May 9th, 1853 87-1y c.

I. 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. } Wil.
O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank. }
P. K. Dickinson, Esq. }
Poppe & Co. } New York
Dollner & Potter. }
Jan. 20 1853 131.

T. C. & B. G. WORTH,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHNNTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jan 17 125-c

GEORGE MYERS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCER
Keeps constantly on hand, Wines, Teas, Liquors, Provisions, Wool and Willow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, &c. South Front street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Nov. 13, 1852. 109.

J. D. LOVE,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
CABINET FURNITURE,
BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, MATTRESSES, &c. &c.
Front street, South of Market,
BROWN'S BUILDING, WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sept. 16, 1852. 79-y-c

COCHRAN & RUSSELL.
(SUCCESSORS TO THOS. ALIBONE & CO.)
General Commission Merchants,
No 32, North Wharves, and 63 North Water Sts.
PHILADELPHIA.
J. HARVEY COCHRAN,
W. S. RUSSELL.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments
July 30th, 1853. 59-tf.

JAS. F. GILLESPIE. GEO. S. GILLESPIE
JAMES F. GILLESPIE & CO.,
PRODUCE AND FORWARDING AGENTS.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Particular attention paid to the receipts and Sale of *Naval Stores, Timber, Lumber Corn, Bacon, Cotton, &c., &c.*

March 30. 6.

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

WILL sell or buy Real Estate and Negroes at a small commission.

ALSO:

Strict attention given to the sale of Timber, Turpentine, Tar, or any kind of Country Produce.

Office second door, South side of Market street, on the wharf.

June 12, 1853. 3-1y.

A. H. VANBOKKELEN,
General Agent, Commission and Forwarding Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Particular attention given to sale and purchase of Naval Stores.

June 1, 1853. 123-1y.

CONLEY, KIRK & CO.
DEALERS IN

BUTTER, Cheese, Lard, and Smoked Provisions, Pork, Beef, Beans, Peas, and Dried Fruit. 233 and 235, FRONT STREET, Corner of PECK SLIP, NEW YORK.

March 25. 1yc.

WILLIAM H, PEAKE,
COLLECTOR AND ADVERTISING AGENT.
For Country Newspapers throughout the United States,
Basement of Sun Iron Buildings, Baltimore street

All business entrusted to his care transacted promptly, on liberal terms.

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H. DOLLNER G. POTTER. JR
DOLLNER & POTTER,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NEW YORK:
Liberal Cash Advances made on all Consignments.
April 30, 1853. 20-1y-pd.

D. CASHWELL. J. A. PARKER.
CASHWELL & PARKER,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Office formerly occupied by Mr. Wm. A. Gwyer.
March 23. 3-1yc

DR. GEORGE BETTNER,
OF NORTH CAROLINA.
OFFICE, No. 538, BROADWAY,
OR AT THE
PRESCOTT HOUSE—NEW YORK.
Feb. 16. 142-1yc.

J. E. HALL,

COMMISSION MERCHANT, Wilmington, N. C. Office in rear of McMillan, Davis & Co's Store.

Every attention paid to the sale and purchase of produce, and liberal cash advances made on consignments.

Refers to—Capt. Gilbert Potter, E. P. Hall, Pre't Branch Bank State N. C; O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank; McMillan, Davis & Co.

Jan. 21 131-tf

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, Jno McRae, Wilmington
W Caraway. " Gen. Alx. McRae. "
E. P. Hall, Wilmington, Wiley A. Walker. "
Dec. 13, 1852. 115-1y.

CHARLES R. BONNELL,
General and Commission Merchant,
Cotton, Rice, and Naval Stores and Merchandize generally.
Office No. 55 North Front street, Philadelphia.
References.

New York, Messrs Allen & Paxson; Philadelphia, Thos. Allibone, Esq., Prest. Bank of Pennsylvania; Baltimore, Thomas Whitridge & Co., Wilmington, N. C., Messrs. De Rosset & Brown, and Dr. T. H. Wright, Prest. Bank of Cape Fear; Charleston, T. S. & T. G. Budd, and J. Bonnell, Jr.; Savannah, W. B. Giles & Co.; New Orleans, G. W. Oliver & Co.

Jan. 12 127-6mc

WILKINSON & ESLER,
UPHOLSTERS & PAPER HANGERS,
KEEP ON HAND AND MADE TO ORDER.
Mattresses, Feather Beds, Window Curtains and Fixtures.

All work in the above line done at shortest Notice. Wilmington, N. C., Market St.

March 18. 1.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM,
General Commission and Forwarding Merchant.
Prompt personal attention given to Consignments for Sale or Shipment.
Liberal Cash advances made on Consignments to me or to my New York friends.
Wilmington, Jan. 30, 1853. 135.

W. C. HOWARD,

GENERAL Commission and Forwarding Merchant, Wilmington, N. C.

Liberal cash advances made on Consignments.

Nov. 29 109-tf

ROUNTREE, WATSON & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
78 South St., New York.
Liberal Advances Made on Consignments
J. D. ROUNTREE, S. C. WATSON, W. H. WIGGINS
August 25, 1853. 69-1y.

J. HATHAWAY & SON,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
J. HATHAWAY, J. L. HATHAWAY.
Feb. 15, 1853. 31.

JAMES ANDERSON. EDWARD SAVAGE
ANDERSON & SAVAGE.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments.
Oct. 22. 94.

RUSSELL & BROTHER,
(LATE ELLIS, RUSSELL & CO.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Liberal cash advances made on consignments of Naval Stores, Cotton, and other produce.

May 3, 1853.

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

STRICT attention given to procuring Freight and purchasing Cargoes for vessels.

Refer to
E. P. Hall, Esq. }
O. G. Parsley, Esq }
I. A. Taylor, Esq } Wilmington.
J. D. Bellamy, Esq }
Messrs. Tooker, Smyth & Co., } New York.
" Thompson & Hunter, }
Alex'r. Herron, Jr. Philadelphia.
Messrs. Williams & Butler, } Charleston, S. C.
H. F. Baker, Esq. }
Jan. 2, 1853. 123 tf.

J. C. LATTA,
COMMISSION MERCHANT & GENERAL AGENT
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 1, 1853. 85-1y

O. L. FILLYAW,
PRODUCE BROKER.
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
September 20th, 1853. 81-1y-c.

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

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All advertisements inserted in the tri-weekly Commercial, are entitled to one insertion in the *Weekly* free of charge.

JOB, CARD AND FANCY PRINTING, EXECUTED IN SUPERIOR STYLE.

AGENTS FOR THE COMMERCIAL.

New York—Dr. GEORGE BETTNER, No. 538, Broadway, or orders may be left with D. C. FREEMAN & Co., No. 175 Front street, corner of Bowling Slip.

Boston—CHARLES SMITH, No. 6, Central Wharf.

Philadelphia—S. E. COHEN.

Baltimore—WM. H. PEAKE and WM. THOMSON.

OFFICE W. AND M. R. R. CO.

WILMINGTON, N. C., 17th MARCH, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby that the Stock of the under named delinquent subscribers to the Capital Stock of the Wilmington and Manchester Railroad Company will be sold at Public Auction, at Exchange Corner, on Monday the 24th April, 1854, agreeably to "Section 12" of the Charter of said Company, unless the instalments due thereon shall be paid previous to the day of sale.

John A. Taylor,	60 shares.
Porter Strode,	2 "
N. E. Brickhouse,	3 "
John H. Hill,	5 "
Isham Peterson,	5 "
James Knight,	1 "
Alex'r May,	2 "
F. C. Singletary,	3 "
James G. Burr,	1 "
S. Kahnweiler,	3 "
C. H. Dudley,	5 "
T. L. Guess,	1 "
T. J. Capps,	2 "
T. C. Craft,	1 "
T. C. Worth,	1 "
John D. Love,	5 "
W. C. Howard,	7 "
Wm. J. Love, Jr.,	5 "
T. D. Love,	3 "
Wm. B. Jones,	3 "
James H. Pritchett,	5 "
Sam'l H. Firth,	2 "

By order of the Board of Directors,
JNO MACRAE, Jr. Treas'r.
March 18. 1-ts.

SPRING STYLES.

KAHNWEILER & BRO, beg leave to announce that their first exhibition will take place this morning of the newest and latest styles of Spring Goods, just received per Adams & Co.'s Express: A large assortment, too tedious to mention. Please to call and examine.

March 7. 160.

BALTIMORE LOCK HOSPITAL.

DR. JOHNSTON Proclaims to the afflicted, far and near, that he has discovered the most certain, speedy and efficacious plan for treating particular diseases that has ever been presented to the world. By his plan, founded on observations made in the Hospitals of Europe and America, he will lenure

A CURE IN TWO DAYS, OR NO CHARGE.
[No Mercury or Nauseous Drugs Used.]

Pains in the Loins, Constitutional Debility, Impotency, Weakness of the Back and Limbs, affections of the Kidneys, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsy, Nervous Irritability, Diseases of the Head, Throat, Nose, or Skin; and all those serious and melancholy disorders arising from the destructive habits of Youth, which destroy both body and mind, those secret and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the song of the Syrens to the mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.

YOUNG MEN.

Especially, who have become the victims of *Solitary Vice*, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.

MARRIAGE.

Married persons, or those contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness, should immediately consult Dr. J., and be restored to perfect health.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. Johnston may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a physician.

OFFICE, No. 7, SOUTH FREDERICK St. 7 DOORS FROM BALTIMORE St., (east side,) UP THE STEPS. ☞BE PARTICULAR in observing the *NAME* and *NUMBER*, or you will mistake the place.

DR. JOHNSTON.

Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London; graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges of the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia, and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.

Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences, that secret and solitary habit which rules both body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society.

These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion to Society, Self-Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

Thousands of persons, of all ages, can now judge what is the cause of their declining health. Losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale and emaciated, have a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of Consumption.

DR. JOHNSTON'S INVIGORATING REMEDY FOR GENITAL DEBILITY.

This grand and important Remedy has restored strength and vigor to thousands of the most nervous and debilitated, many of whom had lost all hopes, and been abandoned to die. By its complete invigoration of the Nervous System, the whole faculties become restored to their proper power and functions, and the fallen fabric of life raised up to beauty, consistency, and duration, upon the ruins of an emaciated and premature decline to sound and pristine health. Oh, how happy have hundreds of misguided youths been made who have been suddenly restored to health, from the devastations of those terrific maladies which result from Indiscretion. Such persons, before contemplating

MARRIAGE,

Should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view—the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection, that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourself from the dreadful consequences of this terrible malady.

WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS

Immediately cured and full vigor restored.

☞ALL LETTERS MUST BE POST PAID. Remedies sent to any part of the country.

TO STRANGERS.

DR. JOHNSTON, of the Baltimore Lock Hospital, whose long residence in this city, standing as a gentleman of character and responsibility, extensive practice in the various Hospitals of Europe and this country, and skill and experience to which thousands can testify, as well as his ability in the Surgical department of his profession, as evidenced by reports of his operations on the Eyes and Deformed Limbs, published in the Baltimore Sun and other papers, in the years 1841 2, by which *the blind were made to see and the lame to walk straight*, renders him worthy of all confidence upon the part of those who need his professional services, and who would shun the many trifling and ignorant pretenders advertising themselves as Physicians.

☞To those unacquainted with his reputation, Dr. Johnston deems it necessary to say that his credentials or diplomas always hang in his office.

☞OFFICE, No. 7 SOUTH FREDERICK St., East side, up the steps.

Oct. 13. 90-1y c.

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!

THE "WILMINGTON ICE HOUSE"

IS now open—the public may depend on having their wants supplied *all seasons* of the year, at reasonable rates.

Orders from the country addressed to "Wilmington Ice House", will be well packed and promptly forwarded.

A. H. VanBOKKELEN, Proprietor.
March 10th, 1854. 152.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE.

AN Elegant Edition of Bills of Exchange, printed in Germany, in Books of 10 quires and in sheets, just received and for sale at the office of *The Commercial.*

MOLASSES.

30 HHDS. very prime Molasses, for sale for cash by C. DuPRE & CO.
March 18. 1.

PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT
FOR SALE.

BY agreement, to close the affairs of the "Wilmington Free Press" establishment, all the type, fixtures, Press, good will, etc., of the Wilmington Free Press newspaper. Apply at this office or to
EDWARD CANTWELL, Mortgagee.
Jan. 10 N. C. Statesman copy 126-tf

NORTH CAROLINA HAMS.

5000 LBS. very fine, for sale by
March 18. C. DuPRE & CO

CHEESE! CHEESE!!

75 BOXES, Cheese, just received and will be sold cheap by C. DuPRE & CO.
March 18. 1.

INDIA RUBBER BEDS

AND Cushions for sale by
WILKINSON & ESLER,
April 8. Upholsterers.

IRON BEDSTEADS,

FOLDIND, proof against canker, knives, and vermin, for sale by
WILKINSON & ESLER,
April 8. Upholsterers.

ROOT AND HERB BITTERS.

ANOTHER Invoice of this invaluable, *Spring and Summer* medicine. Just received at
L. N. BARLOW,
April 8. No. 3 Granite Row, Front st.

W. M. SHERWOOD & CO.,

WHOLESALE Grocers and Commission Merchants Wilmington, N. C.

All consignments of Naval Stores, together with Cotton, Bacon, Lard, Corn, Meal, Flour, &c., shal secure the highest market price.

Dec. 12 115-tf

SALAMANDER SAFES.

THE name of Salamander was first applied to Wilder's Patent, and introduced by the subscriber in 1840, who in 1844 purchased the right to manufacture. The superiority of Herring's (Wilder's) Salamander Safes over all others induced many to infringe upon the patent right by using the composition; others more cautious, and to evade a lawsuit, made an inferior article, imitating the exterior in form, style, color of painting, and attaching the name "Salamander," Improved Salamander," "Fire Proof Salamander," "The Genuine Salamander," &c., &c., and have succeeded in palming off some of the spurious Salamanders as genuine. Those wanting the original Salamander, manufactured by the subscriber, should take the precaution to see that they have upon them a metal plate—"Silas C. Herring, Maker,"—all such being the genuine (Wilder's Patent) Salamander, or Herring's Improved Patent Champion Safe, which received the medal at the Great World's Fair, and which have never failed to preserve the contents in case of fire. Purchasers can select from the largest assortment in the world by calling at the sale rooms of SILAS C. HERRING.

135, 137, and 139 Water, cor. of Pine Streets.

N. B.—Chilled Iron safes with powder proof locks manufactured expressly for banks, jewellers, brokers, and others requiring security from rogues—Bank vault doors on hand, and made to order. All the most celebrated locks for sale at manufacturer's prices. Second hand safes for sale at less than half price.

AGENTS FOR HERRING'S SAFES:

John Farrel, Philadelphia, Pa; R. McCANDLISH, Richmond, Va; Henry H. Williams, Charleston, S. C; Filbrick & Bell, Savannah, Ga; Geo W. Sizer New Orleans, La; Wm. V. Moore & Co., Mobile, Ala.

Feb. 7. 136-3me.

FOX & POLHEMUS,

59 Broad Street, Corner of Beaver, N. York, Offer for sale the following heavy Cotton Fabrics:

NEW-ENGLAND COTTON SAIL DUCK—22 inch, all numbers, hard and soft; also all the various widths of Canvass manufactured at this establishment comprising every variety known to the trade, and offered at the lowest rates.

UNITED STATES PILOT DUCK—Woodberry and Mount Vernon Extra. A full assortment of this superior fabric.

WILLIMANTIC COTTON DUCK—16, 18, 20 and 22 inch, all numbers, hard and soft. This fabric was awarded the highest Premium at the London World's Fair, also at our own State Fair.

SHIP AND BEAR MARK DUCK—Plain and twilled, manufactured by the Greenwood's Company, a superior article for light sails, tents, awnings, &c.; also, Mount Vernon Twill'd Ravens, Howard Ravens, Pioneer and Phœnix Mills; Lighton Ravens, plain 22 to 27 inch; Heavy, do. do.

COTTON SAIL TWINE—A full assortment.

TARPAULINS, HAMMOCKS, STUFFS, &c.

PAPER FELTING—30 to 72 inch, made very heavy, expressly for drier felts.

CAR COVERING—Cotton Canvass, all widths, from 30 to 130 inches, and all numbers, made expressly for covering and roofing railroad cars, is perfectly and permanently water-proof, and more enduring than the car itself.

ENAMELLING CANVASS—30, 38, 40, 45 and 50 inch plain and twilled, in every variety.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Of every description. Seamless Bags, woven whole, all size, in bales of 100, 200 and 300; combining strength, utility and cheapness, for grain and meal are unsurpassed.

Also, heavy Cotton Sacking, 40 inch Canvass, 3 thread Warp and Filling, heavy twilled, do. do. 20, 22, 40 and 44 inch.

WOOL SACKS—Woven whole all sizes, a new and desirable article.

Feb. 21. 144-1y-c.

HOOP IRON AND NAILS.

THE subscriber will be constantly receiving consignments of these articles, of the best quality and offers them at lowest market rates
JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM.
March 28. 5-tf.

FURNITURE WAREHOUSE,
FRONT STREET.

ACCOUNTS made at this Establishment prior to the 1st inst., are now due, and settlement is earnestly desired by the subscriber.

Jan. 7 J. D. LOVE.

NOTICE.

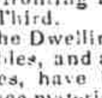
THE subscriber, respectfully informs the public, that he is now transacting the Auction business on his own account, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of that patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him.

M. CRONLY.

Stock, Real Estate and Negroes, bought and sold on a commission of 1 per cent either at private or public sale.

Jan 8, 1853. 126.

VALUABLE DWELLING HOUSE
FOR SALE.



THE Subscriber offers for sale that most desirable DWELLING AND PREMISES, situate at the North-Western intersection of Third street with Red Cross street, the Lot fronting 100 feet on Red Cross, and 200 feet on Third.

The Dwelling House, Kitchen, Smoke-House, Stables, and all the other out-houses on the premises, have been built within a few years, of choice materials, in the best manner, and nearly all of them covered with tin. The Dwelling House is capacious, handsomely finished, and most conveniently planned, and all the other buildings are judiciously arranged, and well fitted up.

There are few Lots in Wilmington so desirably located, and the improvements on which are so admirably adapted for a family residence. Third street on the entire Eastern line of this lot, is 99 feet wide, and separates it from that on which a new Episcopal Church is about to be erected.

Persons desiring to purchase, can ascertain terms of sale by application to the subscriber, or N. N. NIXON, Esq., or M. CRONLY, and the subscriber will cheerfully accompany any such who wish to inspect the premises.

H. R. NIXON.
Sept. 8, 1853 15-tf.

NORTH CAROLINA LARD.

10 KEGS prime N. C. Lard, for sale by
March 18. C. DuPRE & CO.

SUNDRIES.

25 BBLS. super Fayetteville Flour;
45 boxes Colgate's Pale Soap and No. 1;
20 bags green Rio Coffee; 15 Laguyra do.;
10 " " Gov. Java Coffee;
20 boxes Stewart, Bussing & Co. Hard assorted Candies;
20 boxes Adamantine Candles;
10 " Sperm do;
20 " best Excelsior Soap;
25 bbls. extra brown Sugars;
10 " Stewart's best crushed;
10 " A. Coffee do;
1 dozen boxes Babbitt's extra yeast Powders;
6 kegs of Saleratus;
3 do. of washing Soda, &c.
Low for cash, at GEO. H. KELLEY'S.
April 4. J. H., and N. C. T. copy. 8.

MEAL, HOMONY, AND HORSE FEED.

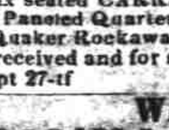
THE Subscribers have been appointed Agents for the GOLDSBORO' MILLS, celebrated for making very superior Meal, Homony, &c. Families can at all times be supplied by calling at our Store, North Water Street, one door above Ellis & Mitchells.

TAYLOR & PETTEWAY.
March 9. 151-2m.

MOLASSES! MOLASSES!!

50 HHDS. best quality Cuba Molasses, for sale in lots to suit purchasers.
50 bbls. Distillers' Glue. For sale by
Feb. 23. WM. A. GWYER.

TOWAGE.



ON and after this date, all vessels towed in harbor by Steamer Samson Beery and Calhoun, will be chargd. $4,00. GEO. HARRISS, Agent.
Nov. 8th, 1853. 101.

CARRIAGES.

1 six seated CARRIAGE,
1 Paneled Quarter Rockaway,
1 Quaker Rockaway and several light Buggies just received and for sale by
Sept 27-tf DIBBLE & BRO.

WANTED.

2,000 LBS. Bees wax, for which the highest market price, will be paid in cash.
March 9. T. C. & B. G. WORTH.

MEDICAL HOUSE,

No. 16, SOUTH FREDERICK STREET,
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.
Established in order to afford the Afflicted sound and scientific Medical Aid, and for the suppression of Quackery.

DR. I. B. SMITH has for many years devoted his whole attention to the treatment of Private complaints, in all their varied and complicated forms. His great success in those long standing and difficult cases, such as were formerly considered incurable, is sufficient to commend him to the public as worthy of the extensive patronage he has received. Within the last eight years, Dr. S. has treated more than 29,500 cases of Private Complaints, in their different forms and stages; a practice which no doubt exceeds that of all other physicians now advertising in Baltimore, and not a single case is known where his directions were strictly followed, and medicines taken at reasonable time, without effecting a radical and permanent cure; therefore, persons afflicted with diseases of the above nature, no matter how difficult or long standing the case may be," would do well to call on Dr. Smith, at his office, No. 16, South Frederick St., and if not effectually relieved no remuneration will be required for his services. His medicines are free from Mercury and all mineral poisons; put up in a neat and compact form, and may be taken in a public or private house, or while travelling, without exposure or hindrance from business, and except in cases of violent inflammation, no change of diet is necessary.

STRICTURES.—Dr. Smith has discovered a new method by which he can cure the worst form of stricture and that without pain or inconvenience to the patient. Irritation of the uretha, or prostrate glands, or neck of the bladder, is sometimes mistaken for strictures by general practitioners or charlatans

YOUNG MEN

and others afflicted with Seminal Debility, whether originating from a *Certain Destructive Habit*, or from any other cause, with train of bodily and mental evils which follow, when neglected, should make an early application, thereby avoiding much trouble and suffering, as well as expense. By his improved method of treatment, Dr. S. can safely guarantee a speedy and perfect cure in all cases of this complaint.

TO FEMALES.

All diseases peculiar to Females (as also Suppressions, Irregularities, &c.) speedily and effectually removed. The efficacy of his remedies, for the cure of the above affections, have been well tested in an extensive practice for the last twelve years.

Persons at a distance may consult Dr. S. by a letter, post-paid, describing case, and have medicine securely put up and forwarded to any part of the United States, always accompanied with full and explicit directions for use. Communications considered strictly confidential. Office arranged with separate apartments, so that patients never see any one but the doctor himself. Attendance daily, from 8 in the morning till 9 at night.

N. B.—Persons afflicted with any of the above complaints, will do well to avoid the various

NOSTRUMS AND SPECIFICS,

advertised by Apothecaries and Druggists as a certain cure for any and every disease. They are put up to sell, but not to cure, and frequently do much more harm than good—therefore avoid them.

A word to the wise is sufficient. Address
DR. J. B. SMITH, 16 South Frederick st.,
Baltimore, Md.
Oct. 13. 90-1y-c.

GARDEN SEEDS.

GARDEN Seeds just received from Philadelphia. A large supply of Garden and Flower seeds, for sale at C. & D. DuPRE'S
Jan. 12 Drug and Chemical Store.

LUMBER.

A SMALL parcel of prime River Lumber Wide Boards and Scantling, suitable for Plantation purposes, for sale, by
March 30. JAS. F. GILLISPIE & CO

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have this day formed a Copartnership, under the name of COSTIN, GREGG & CO., for the transaction of the Lumber Business.
MILES COSTIN,
J. ELI GREGG,
ALFRED SMITH,
J. G. LITTLEFIELD.
March 16. 154-tf.

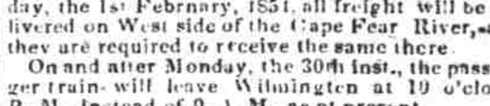
IRISH LINENS of THE BEST MAKES!

LINEN Sheeting and Pillow Case Linen; Table Diapers; Russia and Birds Eye Diapers; Napkins; Doilies; Huckaback Towelling. In this department particular care has been taken and our stock is large and complete.

April 1. JAMES DAWSON.

OFFICE WIL. & MAN. R. R. CO.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 28, 1851.



CONSIGNEES of "Down" or inward freight, are hereby notified that on and after Wednesday, the 1st February, 1851, all freight will be delivered on West side of the Cape Fear River, and they are required to receive the same there.

On and after Monday, the 30th inst., the passenger train will leave Wilmington at 10 o'clock, P. M., instead of 9, A. M., as at present.

L. J. FLEMING,
Sup't. W. & M. R. Road.
Jan. 31. 135-tf.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS

WORTH OF BOOTS, SHOES, AND BROgans.—Having purchased our entire stock just from the manufactories, we are prepared to offer inducements to the *COUNTRY MERCHANTS* equal to any establishment South of Boston.

April 8. JONES & GARDNER.

SERVANTS' MATTRASSES

AT $1,50, for sale by
WILKINSON & ESLER,
April 8. Upholsterers.

THOSE wishing Paper hung in a superior manner, will please call at our Store, see samples, select paper, and leave orders, and we will have it done in a handsome style.

WILKINSON & ESLER,
April 8. Updolsterers.

IN STORE.

30 HHDS. Prime retailing Molasses; 35 boxes Adamantine and Tallow Candles; 25 boxes assorted Steam Refined Candy; 15 bbls. Cider Vinegar; 20,000 Low and Medium priced Cigars. For sale, by ZENO H. GREENE.
April 6. N. C. T. copy. 9.

MUSLINS AND PRINTS.

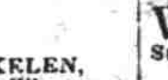
200 PIECES Printed Lawns; 300 do. Summer Calicoes, assorted.
April 6. HEDRICK & RYAN.

WE OFFER FOR SALE THIS.

MORNING.—30 boxes Superior Eating Cheese; 10 bags St. Domingo Coffee; 10 do. Laguira do; 10 do. Rio do; 5 do. White Coffee A 1 Sugars 5 do. do. Crushed do; 40 barrels Genuine Nova Scotia Herrings, a superior fish for Plantation use, and the Darkeys ALL "lub em."

April 4. WM. M. SHERWOOD & Co.

STEAMER SPRAY
FOR SMITHVILLE AND ORTON.



STEAMER SPRAY, Capt. JOHN B. PRICE, will ply between Wilmington and Smithville, landing at Orton, as follows:

Leave Wilmington, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday Mornings, at 9 o'clock.

Leave Smithville, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday Afternoon, at 3 o'clock, and Monday Morning, at 8 o'clock.

☞Passage One Dollar, Children and Servants half price.

FREIGHT at customary rates.

Apply to Captain on board, or to
A H. VanBOKKELEN,
No. 5 South Wharves.
March 18. 1-tf.

WANTED.

100,000 FEET of White or Post Oak Plank, 14, 21, or 28 feet long, 14 inches or upwards wide, and 2½ inches thick, for which I will pay $20 per thousand.

May 24. GEO. S. GILLESPIE.

HAY.

150 BALES No. 1 North River, for sale by
FREEMAN & HOUSTON.
March 9. 161.

MISCELLANY.

THE TRINITY CHURCH (CATHOLIC) DIFFICULTY in Philadelphia continues to create much feeling in that city, and on Friday about 200 persons formed a procession, and with music and flags marched to the jail to pay a visit to the eight of the anti-Bishop party who had been committed for contempt of court. They were allowed to enter the jail, one at a time, and shake hands with the prisoners, and after giving them three hearty cheers, they took their departure.

FROM THE BRITISH PROVINCES.

BOSTON, April 16th.—Both branches of the Nova Scotia legislature have adopted addresses to Her Majesty, expressive of their attachment to the British crown and pledging, in case troops are withdrawn during the pending struggle in Europe, to call out the provincial militia to defend the Province and protect her Majesty's forts and arsenals from foreign aggression.

CRUEL MURDER.

On Friday night last, between 10 and 11 o'clock, two workmen engaged on the Catawissa and Williamsport railroad, near Milton, Pa., cruelly murdered a young female, a resident of Milton, about a mile and a half from that place. It is alleged the parties enticed the woman from her home, and after perpetrating an outrage on her person, set fire to her clothes. The flames were quenched by the injured woman; but not until she was so much injured that she died shortly after. The owner of the premises observed the fire on his farm, and walked to the spot, where he discovered the female in the last agonies of death. The authorities were endeavoring to ferret out the fiends, on Saturday and Sunday, but without success.

THE Magnetic Telegraph Lines in America extend over forty one thousand miles and cost nearly seven millions of dollars to build. The Telegraph Companion sets down the various lines as follows: Morse line wires 36,972 miles; 3,850 miles; Bain 570 miles. Total 41,392. The capital stock in the Morse lines is $6,545,800; House $955,000; Bain $172,000. Total capital stock $6,671,800.

SANDS SARSAPARILLA.
IN QUART BOTTLES.

For Purifying the Blood, and for the Cure of Scrofula, Rheumatism, Stubborn Ulcers, Dyspepsia, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Erysipelas, Pimples, Biles, Mercurial Diseases, Cutaneous Eruptions, Liver Complaint, Bronchitis, Consumption, Female Complaints, Loss of Appetite, General Debility, &c.

IN this preparation all the restorative properties of the root are concentrated in their utmost strength and efficacy; but while Sarsaparilla Root forms an important part of its combination, it is, at the same time, compounded with other vegetable remedies of great power, and it is in the peculiar combination and scientific manner of its preparation, that its remarkable success in the cure of disease depends. It acts simultaneously upon the stomach, the circulation and the bowels; and thus three processes, which are ordinarily the result of three different kinds of medicine, are carried on at the same time, through the instrumentality of this one remedial agent which gently stimulates while it disinfects and expels from the stomach and bowels all that is irritating, and at the same time restores vigor and tone. Many other preparations imitate in bearing the name of Sarsaparilla, and in that their resemblance ends, being often prepared from worthless and inert roots, and of course possess no healing or curative properties, and patients in making choice of which they will use, should take no other, but that one entitled to their confidence, from the long list of cures it has effected on living witnesses, whose testimonials and residence have been published, and who are still bearing daily testimony to its worth.

ASTONISHING CURE.

PATTERSON, N. Y., 20th, 1851.

Messrs. A. B. & D. SANDS: Gentlemen.—Having witnessed the most beneficial effects from the use of your Sarsaparilla, it gives me pleasure to send you the following statement in regard to my son. In the spring of 1848 he took a severe cold, and after eight weeks of severe suffering the disease settled in his left leg and foot, which soon swelled to the utmost. The swelling was lanced by his physician, and discharged most profusely; after that no less than eleven ulcers formed on the leg and foot at one time. We had five different Physicians, but none relieved him much; and the last winter found him so emaciated and low that he was unable to leave his bed, suffering the most excruciating pain. During this time the bone had become so much affected that piece after piece came out, of which he has now more than twenty-five preserved in a bottle, varying from one half to one and a half inches in length. We had given up all hopes of his recovery, but at this time we were induced to try your Sarsaparilla, and with its use his health and appetite began immediately to improve, and so rapid was the change that less than a dozen bottles effected a perfect cure.

With gratitude, I remain truly yours,
DARIUS BALLARD.

We the undersigned neighbors of Mr. Ballard, cheerfully subscribe to the facts of the above statement.
H. & R. S. Hayt, A. M Trowbridge,
Geo. T. Dean, C. Eastwood.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail by A. B. & D. Sands, Druggists and Chemits, 100 Fulton street corner of William New York. Sold also by Druggists generally throughout the United States and Canadas. Price $1 per bottle; six bottles for $5. For sale by Dr. A. O. Bradley, and Messrs. C. & D. DuPre, Wilmington, N. C.

April 8. 19-6m.

SPRING TRADE.

NOW open a large and extensive assortment of Gents, Youths, Misses and Infants Straw and Summer hats, of every variety and price; selections can be made from a larger *stock* and at *lower prices* than can be found elsewhere, inspection invited. C. MYERS, Hat Emporium,
April 9. No. 1, Granite Row.

Washerwoman's Rights Convention.

A CONVENTION of washerwomen took place at Reston & Townshend's, No. 5, Market st., for the purpose of inspecting their "Patent Windmill Revolving Clothes *Drying* Machines." And such a powerful *drying* effect was produced upon the committee by the machines, that they could only pass the following resolution:

Resolved, That the machines are the greatest improvement of the age, especially for persons with small yards and large families.

After which, the convention immediately *wilted* by the extreme *drought* which pervaded the atmosphere.

RESTON & TOWNSHEND have about 5,000 lbs. Bacon, and clarified loaf and brown Sugar; and also, a case of "English Chedder Cheese" which needs no inspection.

April 8. 10.

DRAB BEAVER AND FRENCH

STYLE DRESS HATS, now opening 4 cases Spring style Drab Beaver Hats, light and fine, also, a few cases extra Moleskin French new style.

April 8. C. MYERS.

HOUSE KEEPERS,

WASHING time is fast approaching; you will find by calling at the cheap Family Grocery Store

25 boxes of Wm. Colgates & Co., pale Soap;
25 do do No. 1 do.
20 do Extra Excelsior Soap;
1 dozen boxes of Babbitts Potash for Soap;
1 bbl or Washing Soda. Call soon, low for cash at GEO. H. KELLEY'S.
April 8. J. H. & N. C. T. copy. 10.

STATIONERY.

WE are constantly receiving fresh supplies, and are always prepared to serve customers. Now on hand some of the most beautiful blank Checks, which we would be glad to have merchants call and see. J. T. MUNDS.

April 8. 10.