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CORNER OF FRONT AND MARKET STREETS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

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Catalogues,	*Notes,*
Certificates,	*Pamphlets,*
Checks,	*Posters,*
Circulars,	*Receipts,*
Drafts,	*Rates of Freight.*

&c., &c., &c.

And PLAIN AND FANCY PRINTING, of every description, done in the neatest manner, and on the most reasonable terms.

Wilmington, August 17, 1854.

MISCELLANY.

FOREIGN.

THE CZAR'S ESCAPE FROM CAPTURE

The circumstances of the Czar's narrow escape from capture by a British steamer in the Gulf of Finland, are thus stated:

While the allied fleets were lying before Cronstadt, an English yacht belonging to Lords Lichfield and Eustan, with Lord Clarence Haget on board, ventured somewhat too near the guns of the place. Suddenly a puff of steam was seen on the Russian side, and a small Russian steamer put out to sea, with the evident intention of cutting off the English yacht. On board of that steamer were the Czar Nicholas his son the Archduke Constantine, the Archduchess his wife, and the Russian Admiral, who all went forth to enjoy the satisfaction of an easy triumph over the poor little yacht.

An English war steamer seeing the danger to which the yacht was exposed, advanced with all speed to her relief. Shortly she obtained such a position that the English yacht was safe; and the only question that remained for discussion was one between the two small war steamers—the one under English and the other under Russian colors. Could the English but have known the valuable freight which that steamer contained—could the captain but have known that by capturing her, or sending her to the bottom, peace would have been restored to Europe, and probably a million human lives, first and last, be saved, no doubt he would have carried one or other of the alternatives into effect; even though his own destruction, that of his ship, and of every soul on board of her had been the inevitable consequence.

As it was, he saw nothing before him but a little trumpery steamer—he had carried his purpose of relieving the English yacht into effect—and remembered orders, which certainly had been issued, to the effect that no English ship, upon the mere heroic impulse of her commander, should be thrust into the lion's mouth. We have no doubt that this was so, and that when the English captain gave his orders for putting the head of his steamer around, he did so with the feeling that he had very satisfactorily discharged the duty with which he had been entrusted.

Little did he suppose, at the moment, that he had lost probably the greatest opportunity for obtaining personal distinction which had ever been thrown in the way of a single man. The English nation venerates the name of Lord Nelson for the sake of certain little affairs in which he was engaged off Cape St. Vincent at the Nile, at Copenhagen, at Trafalgar, and elsewhere, but not all of these wonderful, important and heroic achievements combined would have had such an important influence on the history of the world as the capture of that little Russian ship. It was given to the captain of a small steamer to change the face of Europe in ten minutes well employed, but in pure innocence he missed the chance.

NEW GUN.

Dr. Peter Smith, of Alexandria, has invented a rifle which is designed for shooting conical slugs weighing eight to the pound. The "Alexandria Sentinel" says it drives them with such astonishing force and accuracy, that of ten successive shots fired at a target about 15 inches in diameter, and at a distance of 600 yards, every ball struck the mark, and four of them perforated the centre almost exactly!

A FINE OLD IRISH GENTLEMAN.

'One of the Rale Culd Stock,'—The 'Freeman' says:—'Owen Duffy, of Monaghan County, is 122 years old. When 116 he lost his second wife, and subsequently married the third, by whom he had a son and a daughter. His youngest son is two years old—his eldest 90. He still retains, in much vigor, his mental and cooperal faculties, and frequently walks to the county town, a distance of eight miles.'

MR. SOULE AND THE REVOLUTIONISTS.

It is said that during the two or three days of fighting that prevailed in Madrid, a large number of the populace surrounded the residence of Mr Soule, the American Minister, and indulged in demonstrations of good feeling towards him, and that he responded in a speech, which was well received.

TOWAGE! TOWAGE!!

STEAMER Sam Beary, A M Guthrie, master; Steamer Calhoun, Joe Springs, master, are ready at all times for business. Orders for Towage will have prompt attention if left at office of Agent.

GEO. HARRISS.
June 1 38-tf.

PRINTS.

JUST received, a large assortment of English and American Prints, new patterns and colors, I can recommend: Ginghams assorted Colors and Mourning and half Mourning do.; Grass Cloth and Victoria Skirting; Bobnett Mosquito Netting; Linen Table Damask; Napkins; Doylas and Irish Linens; Linen Cambric and Lawn Hdkf, and Gent's ditto ditto; Allendale Brown Cotton Sheetings, all widths; Blue Denims, medium and heaviest qualities made; Georgia and South Carolina Cotton Oznaburgs; Heavy & Brown Cotton Shirting; Marlborough Plaid and Stripes; a very cheap lot of Bed Ticks; Linen Oznaburgs and Burlaps; and Crape Shawls. For sale by

June 3. JAMES DAWSON.

CIGARS.

250,000 HAVANA Cigars, just received from the Philadelphia and Baltimore Market, and or sale cheap, by

C. & D. DuPRE,
June 29. Wholesale Druggiste.

HOOP IRON.

11 TONS, Consisting of
¼ do. ¾ inch;
3½ do. 1½ do.
2½ do. 1 do.
1 do. ¾ do. of best American Iron, and which we will sell for small profits.

June 24. W. M. SHERWOOD & CO.

PIANO FORTES.

A LOT of fine-toned instruments, just received and for sale low, by J. D. LOVE.
May 9. 23.

SPRING, HAIR, PATENT, FELT, MOSS and Shuck Mattrasses. On hand and made to order, by WILKINSON & ESLER,
May 20. Upholsters.

WE have on hand, an assortment of Paper Hangings, Borders, Decorations, Fire Screens Window Shades, etc., for sale and put up by

WILKINSON & ESLER,
July 15. Paper Hangers and Upholsters.

IRON BEDSTEADS AND CRIBS.

SINGLE and double folding—very convenient and proof against vermin, for sale by

July 15. WILKINSON & ESLER.

TEN different kinds of Mattrasses on hand, and made to order by

WILKINSON & ESLER,
July 15. Upholsters and Paper Hangers.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, respectfully informs the public, that he is now transacting the Auction business on his own account, and hopes by strict attentiontо 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.

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 unrivalled reputation for the following effects, viz:

PURIFYING THE BLOOD,

and thus curing all Humors, Sores, Ulcers, Cutaneous Eruptions, Canker, Scald Head, &c.

Regulating and Cleansing the Stomach & Bowels, thus it cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Costiveness, Piles, &c.

Strengthening the Digestive Organs, thus causing the food to nourish and support every part.

REGULATING THE SECRETARY ORGANS, and, by enabling them to perform their proper functions, preventing and curing Bilious and other painful diseases.

Strengthening and Quieting the Nervous System, thus allaying Nervous Irritation, and curing all diseases of the Nerves.

It is unrivalled in the cure of all FEMALE DISEASES, as Weakness, Irregularity, Obstructions, &c.

It is pleasant to take, and safe in all cases; acting in harmony with the restoring powers of nature it never injures but always benefits and cures, as thousands of voluntary certificates from the best authorities testify. Prepared by

C. MORSE & CO., 24 Maiden-Lane, N. Y.

Sold by Druggists and others throughout this and other countries. S. B. & J. A. EVANS, Agents, Wilmington, N. C.

sept. 30. 85-1y-c

TAYLOR'S INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, BROADWAY, Cor. of Franklin Street, NEW YORK.

IS completed and opened for travellers who desire agreeable and attractive accommodations. It is conducted upon the principle of the best European Hotels, the meals being served in the several apartments, or at the tables in the saloon, at the option of guests. The Hotel and Furniture combine elegance with comfort, and is designed as well for the convenient reception of travellers by the late trains.

JOHN TAYLOR, *Proprietor.*
Jan. 26. 133-1yc.

BRICKS---BRICKS.

40,000 HARD North River, for sale by
May 18. GEO. HARRISS. 27.

JUST RECEIVED.

A FEW kegs of extra Butter, and for sale by
C. DuPRE & CO.
June 22. 42.

STEAM ENGINE AND SAW MILL.

I WILL sell low, and on accommodating terms, the Engine and Machinery of the Cape Fear Steam Saw Mill—14 inch cylinder, 2 feet stroke; three 32 inch boilers, 30 feet long—main shaft 10 feet 6 inches long—the power of this engine is estimated at 60 horse, has a new extra cylinder and log geering, and all the appliances necessary for the full equipment to operate at once.

Also, 2 Stave-dressing Machines, Jointers, &c., complete.

O. G. PARSLEY.
Jan. 21 131-tf

JUST TO HAND.

FRESH SODA, Butter, Milk, Sugar, and Pilot Crackers; 18 bbls. handsome Brown Sugars; 9 bbls. Clarified, 10 Crushed, 10 Powdered and 5 Granulated; Fulton Market Corn Beef; Smoked Beef; New Cheese; Long No. 1 Mackerel; Cod Fish, and various other items that will be found useful as well as ornamental, at the Family Grocery. 1000 lbs. Kornegay's Extra Ham: Just to hand.

GEO. MYERS, Front st.
May 18. 27.

BUSINESS CARDS.

DR. GEORGE BETTNER,
OF NORTH CAROLINA.
OFFICE, No. 558, BROADWAY,
OR AT THE
PRESCOTT HOUSE—NEW YORK.
Feb. 16. 142-1yc.

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., shall ecure the highest market price.

Dec. 13 115-tf

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

D. CASHWELL. J. A. PARKER.
CASHWELL & PARKER,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Office formerly occupied by Mr. Wm. A. Gwyer.
March 23. 3-1yc.

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

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,
150 Front St., New York.
Liberal Advances Made on Consignments.
J. D. ROUNTREE, B. 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.

C. & D. 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, 1853.

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, Pres't Branch Bank State N. C; O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank; McMillan, Davis & Co.
Jan. 21 131-tf

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. 15.

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.
sept 7 95-f

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

F. T. FOSTER,

MANUFACTURER of Bunting and Silk Flags, and all kinds of Wall and Plantation Tents.—35 and 37 South 3rd Street Philadelphia.

F. T. F.
June 17. 40-3m-c.

HENRY NUTT,
FACTOR AND FORWARDING AGENT,
Willgive 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.

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.
Nov. 18, 1852. 109.

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

BUSINESS CARDS.

O. L. FILLYAW.
PRODUCE BROKER, FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT.

OFFICE over Store of W. H. McKoy, South Water street, Wilmington, N. C., will make liberal cash advances on consignments. He has engaged the services of Mr. John Hall as a General Produce Broker. Refers to.

E. P. Hall, President Branch Bank of the State, Wilmington.
O. G. Parsley, " Commercial Bank, Wilmington.
Gen. A. McRae, President W. & R. Railroad, do
Gen. W. W. Harllee do. W. & M. Railroad, Marion C. H., S. C.
W. K. Lane, Goldsboro', N. C.
July 6. 47-tf.

MRS. KING,

278 King Street, between Wentworth and Society streets, Charleston, S. C.

MANUFACTURES in very superior style, Wigs, Taupees, Plain Bands and Curls, Ear Rings, Breast Pins and Bracelets, and all kinds of Fancy Hair Plaiting. Orders thankfully received by Mail or otherwise. Charges moderate. Address as above.

April 13. 12-1yc.

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.

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. } Wilmington.
O. G. Parsley, Esq. }
I. A. Taylor, Esq. }
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.

I. WESSEL. B. B. EILERS.
WESSEL & EILERS.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS & WHOLESALE GROCERS, North Water St., 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 1854. 131.

GEO. H. KELLY,
COMMISSION MERCHANT.

Next door to A. A. Wanner'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.

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.

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. 33-1y.

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.

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

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. 58-tf.

H. DOLLNER G. POTTER, JR
DOLLNER & POTTER,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NEW YORK:
Liberal Cash Advances made on all Consignments.
April 30, 1854. 20-1y-pd.

JAS. T. PETTEWAY. GEO. E. PRITCHETT.
PETTEWAY & PRITCHETT.
General Commission and Forwarding Merchant. ALSO WHOLESALE GROCERS,
NORTH WATER STREET,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Prompt attention will be given to the sale of Naval Stores and all kinds of Produce.
Intend keeping an assortment of Groceries, Liquors and Provisions.
July 18. 52.

QUINCE & COWAN.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS;
DEALERS IN WINES & LIQUORS.
Corner of Front and Princess streets,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
July 29. 56.

CANAL BARROWS.

FOR SALE, by
March 30. J. M. ROBINSON.

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 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 forms 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. I. B. SMITH, 16 South Frederick st.,
Baltimore, Md.
Oct. 13. 90-1y-c.

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 Chemists, 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.

TOWAGE.

ON and after this date, all vessels towed in harbor by Steamer Sam Beery and Calhoun, will be charged.

$4.00.
Nov. 8th, 1853. GEO. HARRISS, Agent. 101.

SUMMER! SUMMER!! SUMMER!!!

THE Subscribers have on hand the following Syrups and Cordials very fine for Summer drinks: Lemon and Strawberry Syrups by the gallon and bottle, Raspberry Syrup, Cordials of various kinds. Ginger, Cherry, Black Berry Bounce, Claret and Southern Wine, French Vinegar, German Bitters, and Raspberry, Vinegar; besides some Black Berry Wine, good for the "Convention Grip" now raging.

June 15. RESTON & TOWNSHEND.

WE have on hand a very handsome assortment of Paper Hangings, Fire Screens, Borders, Window Shades, Curtains, Cornices, &c., &c.—For sale and put up by

WILKINSON & ESLER,
June 8. Upholsterers and Paper Hangers.

PARASSOLS.

OPENED this day, a new supply of Parassols, very superior quality, plain Black Silks, plaid and striped Cambrics and Swiss Muslins, Nanaouck and Jaconett do. a full line of white embroidered Curtain Muslins, Fancy Nett Veils, Lace Collars, Men's extra quality colored Silk Gloves, &c., &c.—For sale by JAMES DAWSON.
April 27. 18.

WE have on hand a beautiful assortment of French and American Paper Hangings, Decorations, Fire Screens, Window Shades and Curtains, Cornices, Picture Tassels of newest styles, for sale by WILKINSON & ESLER,
June 17. Upholsterers.

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.*

DR. SWAYNE,

AN Eminent Physician of Philadelphia, has given to the world the benefit of his experience by preparing remedies suitable to almost every disease.

Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, for Curing *Coughs, Colds, Consumption*, and all Diseases of the Throat, Breast and Lungs.

DR. SWAYNE'S VERMIFUGE,
For Destroying Worms, Curing Dyspepsia, &c.

Dr. Swayne's Sugar Coated Sarsapa and Tar Pill, a gentle purgative and alterative Medicine, far superior to the Pills in general use.

Dr. Swayne's Cholera Morbus Diarrhœa, and Dysentery Cordial, a never failing remedy. A fresh supply just received by

C. & D. DuPRE, Drug Store,
Sole Agents for Wilmington.
April 25. 17-tf.

TO THE SICK AND AFFLICTED.

DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY.

The most effectual and speedy CURE KNOWN FOR CONSUMPTION Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Liver Complaints, Spitting Blood, Difficulty of Breathing, Pains in the Side and Breast, Palpitation of the Heart, Influenza, Croup, Broken Constitution, Sore Throat, Nervous Debility, and all Diseases of the Throat, Breast, and Lungs.

GREAT CURE OF THOMAS DICKSON,
After having been given up to die by Physicians and friends.

POINT OF ROCKS, FREDERICK CO., MD., June 9th, 1851.

DR. SWAYNE: Dear Sir—Believing it a duty I owe to the public, and in justice to you, I have thought proper to make known one of the most extraordinary cures, in my own case, that has ever been truly recorded. In the month of October last, I was afflicted with a severe gathering in my breast, which formed a large abscess, and also communicated to my lungs and very much afflicted them, and discharged large quantities of corruption, external and internal. My breath could also pass through my lungs and out through the cavity of my breast with apparent ease, attended with a violent cough day and night, loss of appetite, and extreme debility, so that my physicians thought my case extremely hopeless and beyond the power of medicine. I remained in this wretched condition for a long time, until I was wasted to a mere skeleton, and there seemed to be no hope for me, but, having read in the public papers of the many wonderful cures performed by your COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY, I immediately sent to Baltimore for five bottles and commenced its use, and, to my great satisfaction and that of my anxious family, the abscess or opening in my lungs began to heal, and the cough subsided, and on using ten bottles I was restored to perfect health. I feel very grateful, and firmly believe that in your medicine, under the blessings of Divine Providence, I am indebted for this great change, and am happy to say that I am now enjoying as good health as I ever have.

Yours, very respectfully, THOS. DIXON.

The subscriber is well acquainted with Thomas Dixon, and can testify that he has been afflicted as above represented. I regard his recovery as almost a miracle. He is a worthy member of society.

JAMES R. DURBOROW,
Pastor of the Berlin Circuit, Baltimore Conference.

It gives tone to the stomach, strengthens the digestive organs, and is the original and only true preparation of Wild Cherry manufactured. Observe particularly the portrait of Dr. Swayne is on the wrapper, around each bottle.

Laboratory for the manufacture and sale of all DR. SWAYNE'S MEDICINES. No. 4 NORTH SEVENTH ST., above Market, Philadelphia.

For sale Wholesale and Retail by

C. & D. DuPRE,
Wilmington, N. C.
April 25. 17-1y.

SASH, BLIND
AND DOOR AGENCY.
Formerly conducted by Guy C. Hotchkiss.

THE public are hereby informed, that I have been appointed agent for the sale of Window Sash, Blinds and Doors, manufactured by the New Haven Com., and am prepared to fill all orders in the above line. The quality of the work of the New Haven Com. is well known in this market. Builders and all persons in want of the above articles, are requested to send in their orders, and they will be promptly filled. Terms invariably cash on delivery.

WM. A. GWYER.
General Agent Commission and Forwarding Merchant.
April 18. 15

INDIA RUBBER BEDS

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

CRACKERS--CRACKERS.

Just received per Schooner Mary Powell.

10 BBLS. Soda Biscuit;
10 do. Cream Crackers;
10 do. Sugar do.
10 do Pilot Bread;
15 boxes Soda Biscuit;
3 do. Fancy Crackers. For sale by

L. N. BARLOW,
Aug. 10. No 3 Granite Row, Front st.

GROCERIES--GROCERIES.

A FRESH SUPPLY of H. Smith, Hopeton, Seneca and Fayetteville Flour, in whole and half barrels; Fulton Market Beef; Goshen Butter; Lard, in kegs and barrels; a fine lot of North Carolina Hams, Sides and Shoulders; a fresh lot of Smoked Tongues; Mackerel and Salmon, in kits and half barrels; Old Government Java, Rio and Jamaica Coffees; Gun Powder, Young Hyson, Imperial and Black Teas; Brown, Clarified and Crushed Sugar, just received, and for sale by

Aug. 15. RESTON & TOWNSHEND.

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, foreignand 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.

SCULPTURING, LETTERING OR CARVING, Executed as well as can be done either North or South.

The best reference can be given, if required.

JAS. McCLARANAN.
March 3. 149-tf.

BACON HOG ROUND.

1400 PIECES North Carolina Bacon, a splendid article for sale by

July 18. C. DuPRE & CO.

HAIR BRUSHES.

100 DOZEN of French, English and American Manufacture, also, a large assortment of Paint, Tooth, Nail and Flesh Brushes, just at hand, and for sale very cheap, by

C. & D. DuPRE,
Wholesale Druggists.
July 1. J. and H. copy. 46.

DISSOLUTION of COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, under the firm of Taylor and Petteway, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. James T. Petteway, having purchased out all the interest of A. D. Taylor, in the said firm, is alone authorized to settle its affairs.

A. D. TAYLOR,
JAS T. PETTEWAY.
Wilmington, July 13, 1854. 50-2m.

PORK AND BACON.

25 BARRELS City Mess Pork; 10 hhds. prime Western Bacon Sides and Shoulders, Just received and for sale by

J. HATHAWAY & SON.
June 20.

CARRIAGES.

1 six seated CARRIAGE,
1 Panelled