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MISCELLANY.

Tobacco Riot at Cambridge University.

A gentleman rashly assayed Friday night, Nov. 3d, to give a lecture in Cambridge against the use of tobacco. The room was crammed long before he commenced with under-graduates, provided with pipes and cigars, squibs and crackers; and the lecture had not proceeded far when it was interrupted by cries of "Three cheers for Sir Walter Raleigh." The lecturer becoming angered, with the increasing disorder, made an observation that he had expected on coming to a University town to address gentlemen, and not a lot of blackguards." This was the signal for increased noise and confusion, during which pipes and cigars were set alight in all directions, and a number of persons who had entered the gallery (which had been closed to the under-graduates) were saluted with a shower of squibs and crackers.

The riot continuing, the Mayor and Mr. E. Browne, one of the borough magistrates, appeared upon the platform, but were not listened to, and retired, the under graduates immediately following up their retreat by storming the platform, and "proposing an amendment—that tobacco is anything but pernicious." Amidst the confusion a policeman collared an under-graduate who was breaking up one of the forms, whereupon the under-graduate immediately struck out with his fists, and shouting out 'gown,' a rush of the gownsmen was made, and the silly fellow was borne off in triumph, amid the crash of seats and loud hurrah. The whole of the police had by this time arrived, and a desperate fight ensued, the constables using their staves freely and making sundry prisoners, whom they lodged in the old sessions just as the senior proctor, the Rev. Mr. Eddleston, of Trinity College, arrived.

On the arrival of the proctor, the prisoners capitulated, and having given their names and colleges, were allowed to proceed home.

On Saturday night again, notwithstanding that the proctors assisted by a number of masters of arts, paraded the town, several skirmishes took place.

A subsequent attempt on Sunday the 5th, on the part of some 200 students to get up another tobacco row, was defeated by the college officials, when the town magistrates determined to imprison the participants, an operation which was effected by locking the doors of the chapel while the young men were at evening prayers.

On Wednesday, at the Town Hall, Richard Clayton and Charles Wood were *placed in the dock* to answer to a charge of assaulting the police in the execution of their duty.

Both of the young men, who appear to have acted with great violence, were fined £5 each, and expenses.

The fine was immediately paid, the amounts having been soon made up to the defendants by a "whip," among sympathizing under graduates.

'What is the chief use of bread?' asked an examiner of a recent school exhibition.

'The chief use of bread,' answered the urchin, apparently astonished at the simplicity of the inquiry; the chief use of bread is to spread butter and molasses on it.'

"Short prayer, short prayer," said a Lieutenant to a sailor who was on his knees on board a man of war, then preparing for immediate action. "Mine is very short," said the sailor, "only this that the enemy's shot may be distributed like the prize money—the greatest share to the officers."

REMORSE.

Let not the guilty man who may now be enjoying the pleasant sunshine of prosperity, flatter himself that he shall escape a self-inflicted punishment for guilt 'Tis when adversity comes that remorse, with its poisonous fangs, begins to gnaw at the heart of his victim.

BROKEN BONES.

'Mr. Witness, you have said that while walking with an umbrella over your head you fell into this reservoir, and were badly injured, Did you break any bones, sir, at that time?'

'I did sir.'

'What bones?'

'Whalebones, sir.'

VALUE OF A MANUSCIPT.

The original manuscript of Gray's Elegy was lately sold at auction in London—There was really a 'scene' in the auction room. Imagine a stranger entering in the midst of a sale of some rusty-looking old books. The auctioneer produces *two small half sheets of paper*, written over, torn and mutilated. He calls it 'a most interesting article,' and apologises for its condition—Pickering bids £10! Rodds, Foss, Thorpe, Bohn, Holway, and some few amateurs quietly remark, twelve, fifteen, twenty, five, thirty, and so on, till there is a pause at *sixty-three pounds!* The hammer strikes.

'Hold!' says Mr. Foss.

'It is mine,' says the amateur.

'No, I bid sixty-five in time.'

'Then I bid seventy.'

'Seventy-five,' says Mr. Foss; and fives are repeated again, until the two bits of paper are knocked down, amidst a general cheer, to Payen and Foss, for *one hundred pounds sterling!* On these bits of paper are written the first drafts of the Elegy in a country church yard, by Thomas Gray, including five verses which were omitted in publication, and with the poet's interlinear corrections and alterations—certainly an 'interesting article;' several persons supposed it would call for a ten pound note, perhaps even twenty. A single volume with 'W. Shakspear,' on the fly leaf, produced, sixty years ago, a hundred guineas; but probably with that exception, no mere autograph, and no single sheet of paper ever produced the sum of *five hundred dollars!*

FRENCH BONNETS & MILLINERY.

KAHNWEILER & BRO., are happy to inform their friends and customers, that their French Bonnets have just arrived and are open for examination, which for beauty and taste cannot be surpassed anywhere. They also have secured the services of one of the most fashionable Milliners, who is competent to make and trim Bonnets with latest and most approved styles.
Oct 5. 86.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE CASKS.

NEW and second hand, in prime order,
Nov 4. J. R. BLOSSOM.

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

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 big gearing, 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 31 tf

CHEMICALS--JUST RECEIVED:

1,000 OZ. German Quinine;
500 do. French do;
50 lbs. Calomel;
20 do. Sve. Iodid Iron;
25 do. Blue Mass;
50 do Vallett's Mass;
50 gallons Sp'ts Nitre;
40 do. Aq Ammon;
20 bbls. Epsom Salts;
10 do Copperas. For sale by
C. & D. DuPRE, Wholesale Druggists.
Oct. 5 86.

N. C. BACON.

5000 LBS. Sides and Shoulders, received per Rail Road and for sale by
Nov. 2. J. & J. L. HATHAWAY & CO

WESTERN SHOULDERS.

8 HHDS. prime Western Shoulders. For sale by
Nov. 2. J. & J. L HATHAWAY & CO.

CORNICES for Moscheto Netting put up, by
WILKINSON & ESLER.
June 8. 37.

MULLETS.

60 BBLS just received.
Nov. 8. MOORE, STANLY & CO.

UPHOLSTERING AND PAPER HANGING in all Branches, executed in superior style and at short notice, by
WILKINSON & ESLER,
Aug. 22. Upholsterers and Paper Hangers.

PEASE.

LADY, White Crowder and Cow Pease, for sale by FREEMAN & HOUSTON.
Nov 23. 105.

SEQUEL TO WOMAN AND HER
MASTER

FRED. Vernon, or the Victim of Avarice. By J. F. Smith, author of Minnie Grey, Gus Howard, Harry Ashton, Ellen De Vere, Amy Lawrence, Stanfield Hall, Rochester, Woman and her Master, Fred. Arden, Romantic Incidents in the Lives of the Queens, etc. Just published For sale by S. W. WHITAKER.
Nov. 23. 105.

LARD.

5 BBLS North Carolina. For sale by
Nov. 23. WM. M. SHERWOOD & CO.

WHITE LEAD & SPANISH BROWN.

100 KEGS Pure, extra and No. 1 White Lead; 25 bbls. Spanish Brown; to close consignment. MOORE, STANLY & CO.
Oct. 28. 94.

JUST RECEIVED.

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

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.

JUST RECEIVED

A FINE lot of Negro Kerseys, Blankets and Shoes—also 4 hhds. Western Sides; 15 bbls Pork; 150 Sacks Salt, for sale by
Oct. 26. A. B. McCALEB.

CARPET AND OIL CLOTHS

CUT, made, and put down, by
WILKINSON & ESLER,
Paper Hangers and Upholsters.
Sept. 28. 83

WESTERN BACON.

14 HHDS. prime Sides and Shoulders, for sale by J. & J. L. HATHAWAY & CO.
Dec. 6. 109.

BUSINESS CARDS.

E J LUTTERLOH.
FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sept 28th, 1854. 83-12m.

DR. GEORGE BETTNER,
OF NORTH CAROLINA
OFFICE, No. 538 BROADWAY,
OR AT THE
PRESCOTT HOUSE—NEW YORK
Feb. 16 1854. 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 secure 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, 1854 79-y-c

J. C. LATTA,
COMMISSION MERCHANT & GENERAL AGENT.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 1, 1854. 85-1y-c.

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, 1854. 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, 1854. 135.

W. C. HOWARD,

GENERAL Commission and Forwarding Merchant, Wilmington N. C.
Liberal cash advances made on Consignments.
Nov. 29, 1853. 109-tf.

C. DUPRE. DANIEL B. BAKER.
C. DuPRE & CO.
GENERAL AGENTS COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON N. C.
July 22d, 1854. 54-12m.

JAMES ANDERSON. EDWARD SAVAGE.
ANDERSON & SAVAGE.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WILMINGTON N. C.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments.
March 27, 1854. 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, 1854.

C. & D. DuPRE.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oil, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfumery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c.,
MARKET STREET,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Prescriptions carefully compounded by experienced persons.
March 28, 1854.

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, 1854. 15.

CONLEY, KIRK & CO.
DEALERS IN

BUTTER, Cheese, Lard, and Smoked Provisions, Pork, Beef, Hams, Peas and Dried Fruit, 233 and 235, FRONT STREET, Corner of PECK SLIP, NEW YORK.
March 25, 1854. 1y-c.

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, 1854. 95-tf

JAS. H. CHADBOURN & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jas. H. Chadbourn. Geo. Chadbourn.
Jan. 1, 1854. 123.

HENRY NUTT,
FACTOR AND FORWARDING AGENT,
Will give his personal attention to business entrusted to his care.
Sept. 8, 1854. 75 1y-c.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER,
General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
May 9th, 1854. 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, 1853 109.

JAMES E. METTS,
COMMISSION & FORWARDING MERCHANT.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
August 26th, 1854. 69-tf.

T. C. & B. G. WORTH,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON N. C.
Jan 17, 1854. 125 c

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. 86.

BUSINESS CARDS.

O. A. FILLYAW.
PRODUCE BROKER FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT.

OFFICE over Store of W. H. McRoy, 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. Mebane, President W. & R. Railroad, do
Gen. W. W. Harlee do. W. & M. Railroad, Marion C. H., S. C.
W. K. Lane, Goldsboro', N. C.
Sept. 20, 1854. 1y-c.

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, 1854 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 }
J. 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, 1854. 123 tf.

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

COMMISSION MERCHANTS & WHOLESALE GROCERS, North Water St., Wilmington, N. C., intend to keep at the above stands 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. Wannell'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.
Willie Hall, of Wayne, Jno McRae, Wilmington
W. Caraway " Gen. Alex. McRae. "
E. P. Hall, Wilmington, Wiley A. Walker. "
Dec. 13, 1853. 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, 1854. 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, 1854. 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, 1854. 123 1y-c.

W. P. MOORE. JNO. A. STANLY. J. W. JONES.
MOORE, STANLY & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 26th, 1854. 93.

C. MYERS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER
IN HATS, CAPS, UMBRELLAS
AND WALKING CANES.
No. 1 Granite Row, Front Street.
WOOL, Fur, Silk, and Moleskin Hats, Cloth, Plush, and Silk Glazed Caps, by the case or dozen, at New York Wholesale Prices.
Nov. 9. 99.

J. & J. L. HATHAWAY & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
J. HATHAWAY, J. L. HATHAWAY, WM. H. UTLEY.

D. CASHWELL,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sept. 30. 84 tf

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.
March 2, 1854. 128-1yc.

COCHRAN & RUSSELL.
(SUCCESSORS TO THOS. ALDRONE & CO.)
General Commission Merchants,
No 32, North Wharves, and 63 North Water Sts
PHILADELPHIA.
J. MARVEY COCHRAN,
W. S. RUSSELL.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments.
July 29th, 1854. 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.

NO. 3 MACKEREL.

23 BBLS just received and for sale by
Oct. 28. ADAMS BRO & CO.

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 9 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—there fore 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.

Zerman's Anti-Scorbutic Toothwash.
TO THE LADIES.

NOTHING adds more to beauty than clean, white Teeth, and Gums of healthy color.—The most beautiful face and vermillion lips become repulsive, if the latter, when they open, exhibit the horrible spectacle of neglected teeth. All who wish clean, white Teeth, healthy Gums and a sweet breath, should give ZERMAN'S TOOTH WASH a trial. For sale by
C. & D. DuPRE, Agents,
Sept 30. Wilmington N. C. 84

PERFUMERY!

JUST received from New York and Philadelphia:
1 Gross Lubins's Extracts for the Handk'f;
½ do. do. Toilette Soaps;
½ do. Glenny Mush Toilette Water;
½ do. do. Verbena do. do.
2 do. Yankee Soap;
½ do. Camphor Soap;
½ do. Pomine do.
A large assortment of Hair Brushes, and a number of fancy articles usually kept in Drug Stores.
C & D. DuPRE, Wholesale Druggists.
Oct. 5. Market-st., Wilmington, N. C.

THE NORTH CAROLINA
MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMP'Y,
RALEIGH, N. C.

THE above Company has been in operation since the 1st of April, 1848, under the direction of the following Officers, viz:
Dr. Charles E. Johnson, President,
Wm. D. Haywood, Vice President,
James F. Jordan, Secretary,
Wm. H. Jones, Treasurer,
Perrin Busbee, Attorney,
Dr. Charles E. Johnson, } *Medical Board of*
Dr. Wm. H. McKee, } *Consultation.*
Dr. R. B. Haywood, }
J. Hersman, General Agent.

This Company has received a charter giving advantages to the insured over any other Company—The 5th Section gives the Husband the privilege to insure his own life for the sole use of his Wife and Children, *free* from any claims of the representatives of the husband or any of his creditors.

Organized on purely *mutual* principles, the life members participate in the *whole* of the profits which are declared annually. Besides, the applicant for life, when the annual premium is over $30 may pay one half in a Note.

All claims for insurance against the Company will be paid within ninety days after proof of the death of the party is furnished.

Slaves are insured for one or five years, at rates which will enable all Slaveholders to secure this class of property against the uncertainty of life.

Slave insurance presents a new and interesting feature in the history of North Carolina, which will prove very important to the Southern States.

The last four months operation of this Company shows a very large amount of business—more than the Directors expected to do the first year—having already issued more than 200 Policies.

Dr. Wm. W. Harriss, Medical Examiner, and Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

All communications on business of the Company should be addressed to
JAS. F. JORDAN, Sec'y.
Raleigh, Jan. 25, 1854. tf.

BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

GEORGE R. FRENCH, at his old stand on Market street, begs leave to return his thanks to his old friends and customers for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and to inform them that his stock of Boots and Shoes, including every variety in his line is now as complete and as extensive as at any former period. His stock of Gentlemen Boys and Children's Boots and Shoes embraces every variety of style, fashion and quality that can be desired, or that is usually called for, including a fine assortment of Ladies, Misses and Gentlemen's Over Shoes.

He would particularly invite the attention of the Ladies to his extensive assortment of Ladies and Misses Leather, Morocco, Enameled, Bronze, Pat. Leather, Goat Skin, black and white Kid and a variety of fancy colored Boots, Shoes and Slippers. Also, black, brown, blue, purple and variegated silk Gaiters, a new and handsome article, with and without heels. Ladies fancy Gaiters at $1 a pair.

Also, Sole Leather, Calves' Skins, and Shoe Findings. Please call and examine.

Mr French would also inform his friends and the public, that he is State Agent for the sale of Davis' Pain Killer and Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, by either wholesale or retail.
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FOR MEN AND BOYS.

A NEW supply of Linen Drills, Angola Cassimeres, Colored and Black Cashmarets, with a few Patterns Fancy French Cassimeres.
May 9 HEDRICK & RYAN.

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 Mattresses on hand, and made to order by
WILKINSON & ESLER.
July 15 Upholsters and Paper Hangers.

THE WHOLE WORLD.

$300,000 worth of Gifts,
for the subscribers to the
MAMMOTH PICTORIAL
Of the Whole World,
Published simultaneously in the three cities of
NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE,
As soon as 300,000 subscriptions are obtained; and having already an ACTUAL CIRCULATION OF ABOUT 200,000, it is now certain

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Among the extraordinary LIST OF GIFTS, (being one for every ticket issued,) are
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A magnificent City Residence, valued at $17,000,
A Cash Loan for 100 years, without interest or security $10,000,
Building Lots, Elegant Piano Fortes, Melodeons, Gold Watches, Bracelets, Rings, Books of Travels in the Old and New World, by Prof. Hart; Real Estate, &c. &c., &c in all numbering 300,000 Gifts, valued at $300,000.

Every single remittance of $1, secures one year's subscription to the Mammoth Pictorial, and the gratuity of a Gift Ticket, which entitles the holder to one share in the 300,000 Gifts. Thus every person investing in this stupendous Enterprise receives the full worth of his or her money, in subscription to a first class journal, (the greatest and most interesting Pictorial of the age,) besides a Gift for each subscription which may prove an immense fortune to the receiver.

For complete list of gifts, and full and explicit particulars in regard to the great Enterprise, Distribution, &c.; see a copy of THE WHOLE WORLD, which will be promptly sent, free of charge, where desired by letter, post paid.

THE WHOLE WORLD may also be seen at the offices of all papers containing this advertisement, where information may be obtained in regard to the paper and Enterprise.

Agents, Postmasters and Ladies, desirous of lucrative and at the same time genteel employment, should not fail to see a copy of The Whole World, which contains by far the most liberal inducements ever offered to agents in the way of immense cash premiums, gifts, commissions, &c., whereby any person, with ordinary activity, can easily make $1,000 and upwards, per year; to which fact the agents we already have can certify. Secure the Pictorial, and become wise, rich and happy.

Correspondents must write their address—Name Post-office, County, and State, PLAIN and DISTINCT, or it will be their own fault if they fail to get an answer. Adhere to this, and all returns will be promptly sent wherever desired, in any part of the world.

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All letters and remittances for the Pictorial, WITH GIFT TICKETS, must invariably be addressed post-paid, to Prof. J. WOODMAN HART, *World's Hall, Broadway, New York*, there being the only office for the Gift Enterprise.

But remittances for the Pictorial WITHOUT Gift Tickets, may be sent to Prof. J. WOODMAN HART, *Hart's Building, Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.*, there being the principal editorial and publication office.
Oct. 3, 1854. 85 6m.

OUR MOTTO IS "TO PLEASE"
AT THE
Wilmington Saddle, Harness, and Trunk Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has recently received additions to his stock of Saddle and Harness Mountings, &c., the latest and most improved style, and is constantly manufacturing at his store on market street, every description of article in the above line. From his experience in the business, he feels confident that he will be able to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call. He has now on hand and will constantly keep a large assortment of *Coach, Gig and Saddle Harness, Lady's Saddles, Bridles, Whips, &c., Gentlemen's Saddles, Whips Spurs, &c.*

all of which he will warrant to be of the best materials and workmanship.

He has also a large assortment of Trunks, Valises, Saddle and Carpet Bags, Satchels, Fancy Trunks, &c., and all other articles usually kept in such establishments, all of which he offers low for CASH, or on short credit to prompt customers.

Saddles, Harness, Trunks; Redical Bags, &c. &c. made to order.

In addition to the above the subscriber always keeps on hand a large supply of String Leather, and has now, and will keep through the season a good assortment of Fly Netts.

Allure invited to call and examine my Goods, whether in want or not, as I take pleasure in showing my assortment to all who may favor me with a call.

Harness and Coach Trimmings sold at a fair price to persons buying to manufacture.

Also, Whips at wholesale.

All kinds of Riding Vehicles bought and sold on commissions. JOHN J. CONOLEY.
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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 Twilled Ravens, Howard Ravens, Pioneer and Phœnix Mills; Lightton 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.

BELLS! BELLS!! BELLS!!!

THE Subscribers manufacture and keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Bells suitable for Churches, Academies, Factories, Steamers, Plantations, etc., mounted with their improved Hangings, the most efficient in use. Their establishment has been in operation Thirty years, having turned out nearly 10,000 Bells averaging 600 lbs each; and its patterns and process of manufacture so perfected, together with recent improvements, that its Bells have an unequaled reputation for volume of sound and quality of tone. They have just received—Jan. 1854—the First Premium (A Silver Medal) of the World's Fair in New York over all Bells from this Country or Europe. Having a large assortment of Bells on hand, and being in immediate connection with routes in all directions, either Rail Road, Canal or River, and but 4 hours from New York, we can execute orders with dispatch. Address
A. MENEELY'S SONS,
West Troy, Albany Co., N. Y.
Feb. 21. 144-1yc.

REMOVAL.

WM. A. GWYER, Commission Merchant,
HAS removed his Office to the Corner of Water and Princess Sts.
Dec. 10 87-3m.

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ANECDOTE OF SPANISH GYPSIES.

A band of gitanos being in the neighborhood of a village, one of the women went to a house where lived a lady alone. This lady was a widow, rich, without children, and of very handsome person. After saluting her, the gipsy repeated the harangue which she had already studied, to the effect that there was neither bachelor, widower, nor married man, nobleman, nor gallant, endowed with a thousand graces, who was not dying for love of her; and then continued—"Lady, I have contracted a great affection for you, and since I know that you well merit the riches you possess, notwithstanding you live heedless of your good fortune, I wish to reveal to you a secret. You must know, then, that in your cellar you have a vast treasure; nevertheless, you will experience great difficulty in arriving at it, as it is enchanted, and to remove it is impossible, save and alone on the eve of St. John. We are now at the eighteenth of June, and it wants five days to the twenty-third; therefore, in the meanwhile, collect some jewels of gold and silver, and likewise some money, whatever you please, provided it be not copper, and provide six tapers of white or yellow wax,