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MISCELLANY.

'Poh!'—or, one Wonder too Many.

Some years ago, Major——, an Indian Agent, was taking to Washington and old Pawnee Chief, with an Interpreter from the same tribe. The Chief had never seen a steamboat, and knew but little respecting the wonders of civilization. The interpeter had been to Washington once; and on his return to his native wilds he kept silent, knowing that his brothers would set him down as a liar, if he mentioned half what he saw! The Major and his companions went on board a steamer on the Missouri, en route for St. Louis.

The old chief carefully examined everything on board, the boat, and manifested much surprise at the machinery, &c. He was greatly delighted after the boat started with the everlasting puff—puff—puff! of the steam pipe, which he regarded as the breath of the huge monster—but he was astonished at the progress the boat made through the water—and she was an old hulk at that. The interpreter inwardly chuckled as he observed the interest the chief took in these things, all of which he had himself previously been familar with.

'Tell the chief,' said Major——to the interpeter, as they all sat down on the hurricane deck, 'that we have steamboats at the eastward, which go twich as fast as this.'

The interpreter told him.

'Poh!' was the answer of the unbelieving chief—as only an Indian can pronounce the monosyllable.

'Tell him we have iron horses on land which go sixty miles an hour.'

The information was conveyed.

'Poh! poh!' bluntly answered the incredible chief.

'Tell him that we have a machine which can take his likeness so faithfully that his wives could not tell the difference between the picture and himself.'

'Poh! *poh!*' replied the chief, still discrediting these marvels,—with all of which, as we have said, the interpreter was acquainted. The fast steamers on the Hudson, the railroads, the daguerreotype, he knew all about.

'Tell him, finally,' said the Major, 'that we can place two men three thousand miles apart, and they can talk just as easily to one another as we do now.'

This staggered the interpreter himself. He had never seen the telegraph. It was too modern for him. It had been introduced since he had left civilized life.

'Three thousand miles apart!' he exclaimed. 'That story too tough. I can't believe that. I '*poh*'! that myself Poh!'

The old chief vociferated 'POH!' and the steampipe, taking up the strain, belched forth a '*Poh!*' which made the forests echo again.

The Major never told a story afterwards, that some mischievous fellow did not interfere with a 'poh,' at the precise moment he wished to be most implicitly believed. He generally had an opportunity, however, to return the favor before the hight ended.

Boston Times.

A WOOD SPECULATOR.

The hard times have produced some funny scenes. A gentleman in Lydius street has been in the habbit of bestowing a load of wood now and then on this, that or the other poor family. Among those who turned up regular once a fortnight, was a Mr. D——, who allowed he lived in the next street and was on "the point of starving." Our benevolent friend honored the drafts on his wood pile for some six weeks, when he thought he would call round in "the next street" and see how 'that poor fellow with five sick children" was getting along.—To make things work smoothly our friend disguised himself and entered the little shop of the unfortunate widower, under the plea that he was looking for a Mr. Van Zant. As the parent of the five sick children "didn't know no such person," the philanthropist thought he would open up a chat with him. This was soon broken in upon, however, by the entrance of a lady of foreign extraction, who entered into the following dialogue with the bereaved widerwer.

"Mr. D——, I want sixpence worth of wood, and as I have no money, I hope you will trust me for the same till Saturday."

"Can't credit, Mrs. Murphy—wood is wood. That pile in the corner cost me four dollars."

"But the childer are freezing."

"I can't help that, mem. When I buys wood I pays cash, and when I sell wood I sell for cash."

Mrs. Murphy had finally to give it up in despair—the wood could only be sold for cash. The operation opened the eyes of our Lydius street friend. He returned home, took off his disguise, and immediately started for the Police Office, where he entered a complaint against "the widower" for swindling. The wood that he wished to sell to Mrs. Murphy "for cash," was the very wood that he had begged from Mr.—— only twenty-four hours before to keep "those five sick children from freezing." The party of the second part will probably "go up" for ninety days. He deserves it.—*Albany Knickerbocker.*

"Salla Mander safe?" said Mrs. Partington, as her eyes fell upon an advertisement. "do tell me, Isac, who this Salla Mander is and what she's been doing that they've got her safe?"

"I don't know what she's been a doing," said Ike, "but I guess she is sister to Jerry."

"Jerry who, Isaac?"

"Why, Jerry Mander," said Ike.

GOLDSBORO' FEMALE COLLEGE.

THE third Session of this Institution commences on Wednesday, the 3rd of January, 1855, and ends on the 3rd of June 1855.

Rev. JAS. H. BRENT, A. B., President.
Dr. MORGAN GLOSS, late of Chapel Hill, Prof. of Mathematics.

And a full corps of Teachers in every branch.

Board, including Washing, Lights, Fuel, &c., per session,	$50,00
Tuition in Primary Department,	10,00
Collegiate Department,	20,00

One hundred dollars will cover all expenses of the session in the Collegiate course and all ornamental branches.

Pupils in primary department charged the usual price for ornamental branches. One half payable in advance.

Three Lectures on scientific subjects will be delivered each month.

We are making every effort to render the School the fist in advantages and cheapness, and pledge to reduce prices, and multiply the advantages in proportion to the increase of patronage. When our number of pupils reaches 200 we shall be able to reduce the prices nearly one half, every one aiding us, is also aiding in placing the means of a superior education within the reach of almost every girl in the State.

We return thanks for the unexampled support we have had and believe it will be continued. For further information apply to the President of the faculty, or myself. WM. K. LANE,
Pres't. Stockholders.
Dec. 9th, 1854. 111-tf.

A NEW AND WONDERFUL DISCOVERY!

AMONG the thousands of Pile remedies which have been recommended, COL. C. R. GIBBS' (of Livingston Sumter County, Alabama,) late discovery, is the only one which is calculated to make a radical cure—the *modus operandi* is entirely new. It also removes all Entozoa (or Worms,) which produce Irritation and inhabit the rectum.

Look well to the contents of this Small Book, which represents a short history of the disease as well as some most aggravated cases which have been permanently cured after many years of intense suffering. A host of diseases are carried off by this new discovery. It produces a healthy state of the rectum, and removes all scaly formations which are sure to be in connection with that region.

Price $10,00 per package of *four* vials,

☞ IN ALL CASES ONE PACKAGE WILL PERFORM A PERMANENT CURE.

DR. SWAYNE & SON,
No. 4 North Seventh Street, above Market, Phil'a.
Sole manufacturers for the discoverer, and exclusive agents for the United States.

N. B.—As COL. GIBBS' Remedies are composed of the most expensive materials, it will be impossible to send them out on agency, but in order to let the afflicted from all parts obtain them, they will be sent *free* (on the receipt of $10,00) by Express or otherwise.

A very liberal discount to the trade for *Cash.*
Nov. 16. 102-1y-c.

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

LARD.

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

PRIME NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES.

40 BBLS. in good order; 15 half bbls. do. do. Low for cash, at
GEO. H. KELLEY'S.
Dec. 16. J., H., N C T & S. Age copy 114.

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.

FOUR BBLS. FRESH BUCKWHEAT.

JUST in store and for sale by
Jan. 9. QUINCE & COWAN.

NEW CROP MOLASSES.

259 HHDS. prime new crop Cardenas Molasses, now landing from Brig S. P. Brown, from Cardenas. For sale by
Jan. 2. J. & J. L. HATHAWAY & CO.

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. 142-1ye.

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 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, 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 E. 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.
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, 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 accommodatiosg, 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, Beans, 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

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. Y. PETTEWAY. GEO. R. 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.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER,
General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
May 9th, 1854. 87-1y-c.

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

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.

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

BUSINESS CARDS.

A. H. VANBOKKELEN. W. A. M. VANBOKKELEN.
VANBOKKELEN & BROTHER,
WIMINGTON, N. C.
Manufacturers of and dealers in Naval Stores.
Storage and Wharfage for Produce furnished at fair rates under Insurance, if desired.
Jan. 1. 122-tf.

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. O. G. Parsley, Esq. I. A. Taylor, Esq. J. D. Bellamy, Esq.	Wilmington.
Messrs. Tooker, Smyth & Co., " Thompson & Hunter, Alex't. Herron, Jr. Philadelphia.	New York.
Messrs. Williams & Butler, H. F. Baker, Esq.	Charleston, S. C.

Jan. 2, 1854. 123-tf.

I. WESSEL. H. S. 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. O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank. P. K. Dickinson, Esq.	Wil.
Poppe & Co. Dollner & Potter.	New York,

Jan. 20 1854. 131.

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, 1855. 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.

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. R. 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. 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, 1854. 59-tf.

H. DOLLNER. G. POTTER. Jr. J. CAMERDEN.
DOLLNER, POTTER & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NEW YORK.
April 30, 1854. 20-1y-pd.

NO. 3 MACKEREL.

23 BBLS. just received and for sale by
Oct. 26. ADAMS, BRO. & CO.

THE PRUALITY OF WORDS.

WITH an introduction, by Edward Hitchcock, D. D., President of Amherst College, and Professor of Theology and Geology. A book that must interest all scientific minds. Just received and for sale by J. T. MUNDS.
Dec. 28. 118.

P. R. SUGARS.

IN hhds. and bbls., for sale low by
Jan. 20. MOORE, STANLY & CO.

EXTRA AND NO. 1 SOAP.

FOR sale low, to close consignment by
Jan. 20. MOORE, STANLY & CO.

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

The Distribution will soon take place.

Among the extraordinary LIST OF GIFTS, (being one for every ticket issued,) are
Prof. Hart's Elegant Country Seat, valued at $25,000,
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.

If any orders are received after the 300,000 subscribers are obtained, the money will be promptly returned, post-paid, to the persons sending it.

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.

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,
Wilmington N. C.
Sept. 30. 84

PERFUMERY!

JUST received from New York and Philadelphia:

Gross	Lubins's Extracts for the Handk'f;	
do.	do.	Toilette Soaps;
do.	Glenny Musk Toilette Water;	
do.	do.	Verbena do. do.
do.	Yankee Soap;	
do.	Camphor Soap;	
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, Dr. Wm. H. McKee, Dr. R. B. Haywood, } *Medical Board of Consultation.*
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
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