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MISCELLANY.

THE COUNTERFEIT SHILLING

Dick Manning went into Mr. Ashton's store, where his cousin Thomas Downs was looking over some coins. "There, Dick," said he, shoving a piece of money towards him on the counter "there's a counterfeit shilling; you may have that." "How do you know that it is counterfeit?" asked Dick; "it looks real." "Look sharp, and you will see it has a yellowish, brassy look, which real silver never has—silver is white." "But it will pass," said another boy; "somebody passed it on you, why don't you pass it on somebody? "Because if one fellow cheats it is no reason that I should," answered Thomas Downs. "Well, what shall I do with it?" asked Dick, balancing it on his fore finger.—"Do anything you please, except pass it," answered Thomas, and presently Dick pocketed the piece and went out of the store. He showed it to several of the boys, and none of them guessed it was counterfeit until he told them.—"Come, treat us on it," cried Henry Morris. "No, no; it is against the laws to pass counterfeit money; if he does he'll get taken up," shouted four or five of the boys. Dick kept it a great while his in pocket, but how often when he passed the confectionary at the shop-windows was he tempted to pass it.—"They won't know it's counterfeit," he would say to himself. "But *you* know it," whispered a still small voice.

One Saturday afternoon, a party of boys went down to the Neck, two or three miles from town, to play on the rocks and catch crabs. On their return they passed a cluster of small houses, in one of which a poor old woman had kept beer and cakes for many years—She was a kind, pleasant old creature, and as the earnings of her little shop helped to maintained an idiot son, people of the town seldom passed by there without buying of her, and the children were often sent down with kind charities to the dame. "She,s got some chestnuts," said the boys, looking at the shop window. But none of them had any money. "Dick," said Henry Morris, "now's the time to pass your shilling; she'll never know it, you may be sure of that."—"Yes, yes," said two or three, while the rest had hastened on; "would it not be a good joke? Come, Dick." "No, it would be mean to cheat this poor woman," said one of the better boys.—"She's got specs; she can see for herself," said another. "Oh, it would be such a good joke," cried Henry Morris; "besides, the chestnuts; come, Dick; and here you are sure you will never get found out."

Meanwhile Dick had drawn the shilling from his pocket and looked at the chestnuts in the window, which the boys declared would be such a treat on the rocks. The voice within said, "*No* Dick;" but somehow or other the boy's voives were the loudest, and the chestnuts looked tempting, and they wanted him to treat, and it would pass for a joke. At last Dick went into the shop; his conscience smote him as he entered, but in he went, and out he came with a great paper of chestnuts, and away he ran, and the boys after him; nor did he stop until he came to a pile of rocks, behind which he threw himself on the sand. "There they are!" cried he, throwing the paper to the boys as soon as they got up with him. "And what did she say?" they asked. "She never suspected," said Dick. "She looked very much pleased, and put it in her drawer, and said, "Thankye, sonny." The boys set up a shout of laughter, but Dick did not join in it. I do not know how they enjoyed their chestnuts, but I do know that when Dick's mother asked him about the excursion he told her nothing about them; and after he went to bed, it did not appear such a good joke, after all, to cheat a poor old woman out of her chestnuts. Turn it which way he would, the affair had a mean and shabby look, and Dick felt very much ashamed of himself.

The next day, when he went to school, Henry Morris met and asked him to do his sums for him. "I can't; I can't stop to," answered Dick. "But you've *got* to," cried Henry; "if you don't I'll inform against you, and you'll have to go to jail for passing counterfeit money; I will." Poor Dick was terribly frightened. How he wished he was innocent. But as it was, he found himself a boudsman to a wicked, idle boy, who kept threatning to inform against him if he did not do as he wished, and Henry's demands were pretty hard sometimes. Indeed, Dick had so little confidence in Henry, that he was constanly afraid lest the police officers might be at his heels, and he was very miserable. Dick despised Henry, but guilt made him serve him. There was a quarel about something at recess one day, when one of the boys feeling angry with Dick, said, "pooh! a fellow that would cheat a poor old woman, will do anything." To be twitted in this way was almost too much for poor Dick to bear. He wanted to knock the boy down; but, alas, he touched upon truths which Dick had no heart for; and now Dick keenly felt what bad friends bad boys are, for the very boys who urged him to buy the chestnuts, were the first to turn against him.

On his way home he suddenly met his cousin, Thomas Downs. "Hallo," said Thomas, 'let's see that shilling I gave you.' 'Havn't got it," answered Dick, hurrying by. 'Stop; did you lose it, or give it away? 'No,' said Dick 'Well, where is it; you havn't passed it?' It was on the end of his tongue to say 'No,' but Dick never lied, and great as the temptation was, he could not lie now. Poor Dick, thus "holden with the cords of his sins," turned very red, it seemed as if the veins in his face would burst. 'Oh,' he cried, choking with mortification and grief, 'what did you give me that counterfeit piece for? it has been a temptation in my pocket ever since: I have passed it and what shall I do?' and the boy looked wretched. Thomas was very sorry and surprised, and took him down a lane where they could talk by themselves. Dick made a full confession of what had happened, and asked what he should do. He thought he should rather have it all known, and go to jail, than live in such fear of himself and everybody else.—Thomas told him that he ought to carry a real shilling to the woman, and own what had been done. 'Could I not go and put it under her shop door?' said Dick; 'it would be just the same; she'd get it, and not lose by the counterfeit.' 'Just as well for her,' said Thomas, 'but as for you, Dick, you know you have done wrong, and if you are really sorry, you want to make clean work of it Now go, like a man, be honest about it satisfy your conscience as much as you have gone against it; here, take this real shilling,' putting his hand in his pocket, 'go down to the woman, own it all, and do works *meet* for repentance, as the Bible says.'

'I will,' cried Dick, with a freer feeling than he had for many a day; 'but, it is yours;' 'No matter,' said Thomas, 'take it I give it to you for my share in your troubles; and it will be a good lesson to me to be careful how I put temptation in the pockets of my friends.' Dick felt badly at the straits he was reduced to, but having done wrong, he was resolved to repair the wrong, like a man, and he did. And when he came out of the old woman's shop, he ran down to the rocks on the sea shore and tossed the counterfeit shilling into the waves. 'Now,' said Dick I am free again. I am afraid of nobody. May God forgive my sin, for Christ's sake, and help me ever to do what is right.'—*Child's Paper.*

A GOOD RECOMMENDATION.

'Please, sir, *don't* you want a cabin boy?'

'I do want a cabin boy, my lad; but what's that to you? A little chap like you ain't fit for the berth.'

'Oh, sir, I'm *real strong*. I can do a great deal of work, if I ain't so very old.'

'But what are you here for? You don't look like a city boy. Run away from home, boy?'

'Oh, no, indeed, sir, my father died, and my mother is very poor, and I want to do something to help her. She let me come.'

'Well, sonny, where are your letters of recommendation. Can't take any boy without those'

Here was a damper. Willie had never thought of its being necessary to have letters from his minister, of his teachers, or from some proper person, to prove to strangers that he was an honest, good boy—Now what *should* he do. He stood in deep thought, the captain, meanwhile curiously watching the workings of his expressive face. At length he put his hand into his bosom, and drew out his little Bible and without one word put it into the captain's hand. The captain opened to the blank leaf and read:

'WILLE GRAHAM.'

'Presented as a reward for regular and punctual attendance at Sabbath School, and for his blameless conduct there and elsewhere. From his Sunday School teacher.'

Capt. McLeod was not a pious man, but he could not consider the case before him with a heart unmoved. The little fatherless child, standing humbly before him, referring him to the testimony of his Sunday School teacher, as it was given in his little Bible touched a tender spot in the breast of the noble seaman, and clapping Willie heartily on the shoulder, he said:

'You are the boy for me; you shall sail with me, and if you are as good a lad as I think you are, your pocket shan't be empty when go back to your good mother.'

A MARSHAL OF THE U. S.

Among the Americans who attended the late ball given at the hotel de Ville, Paris, was Jack Spicer, of Kentucky. Jack rushed the dress somewhat strong, and sported epaulettes on his shoulders large enough to start four Major Generals in business. Jack was the observed of all observers, and got mixed up with a party that his friends could not account for—Wherever the marshals of France went, there went Jack; and when the marshals sat down, Jack did the same, always taking the post of honor. The day after the ball Jack called on his old acquaintance, Mr. Mason, our Minister to France, who started up a little conversation in the following manner:

'I hear, Jack, you were at a ball last night?'

'I was, sir, and had a high old time'

'For which you are indebted, I suppose, to the high old company you got mixed up with? By the way, how come you associated with the marshals?'

'How? by virtue of my office—they were marshals of France, while I am nothing else than a marshal of the Republic I showed my commission and took post accordingly.'

'By right of your office; what do you mean?'

'Read that and see.'

Here Jack presented Mr. Mason with a whitey-brown paper, with a seal big enough for a four pound. weight

'What in the name of Heaven is this?'

'My commission of 'marshal'—I received it in 1850, when I assisted in taking the census in Frankfort.'

'You don't mean to say that you travel on this?'

'I don't mean anything else.—That makes me a marshal of the Republic, and I intend to have the office duly honored.'

Mr. Mason allowed that Jack was doing a large business on a very small capital.—We should not wonder if the result be the same. A census taker that of Frankfort, mixing in with the marshals of France is certainly rushing matters in a manner that requires as much brass as epaulettes. Jack, we are happy to say, is equal to the requirements.

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Boston—Charles Smith, No. 6, Central Wharf.
Philadelphia—S. E. Cohen.
Baltimore—Wm. H. Peake and Wm. Thomson.

FRESH FLOUR,
FROM FAYETTEVILLE.

10 BBLS. of Super Flour;
15 do. best Family do.: low for cash, at
April 3. GEO. H. KELLEY.
J., H., and N. C. T. copy.

CLARENDON IRON WORKS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

THE CLARENDON IRON WORKS are now prepared to receive orders for Beam, Vertical, Horizontal of Oscillating Steam Engines, High or Low Pressure, and adapted to all purposes; Circular, Vertical and Portable Saw Mills, complete; Pumps, Mining Machinery, Grist and Flour Mills complete, Parker, Turbine and other Water Wheels, Equipping of Steamers, Car Wheels and Axles; Horse Powers of various patterns; Rice Field Pumps and Engines; Rice Thrashers; Shingle Machines, Shafting, Pulleys, Hangers, Gears, and all other Mill Work.

CASTINGS.

Iron and Brass Castings of all descriptions, including Ornamental Iron Railing, Pipe, Bridge Castings, &c., &c. The Company would respectfully invite attention to their stock and patterns of Railing, which may be seen at their office.

BOILERS.

Tubular, Flue and Cylindrical Boilers, Water Tanks, Chimneys, and all other kinds of Boiler Work.

REPAIRS.

A separate department and force will be kept for repairs, where work will be done thoroughly and with despatch.

All work done in the establishment delivered either on the cars of the Wilmington & Manchester Rail Road or the Wilmington & Weldon Rail Road, or in flats at the Company's wharf, free of charge.

Having large facilities, the above work will be done on as reasonable terms as elsewhere, North or South, and in a prompt and satisfactory manner.

Consultation by letter or otherwise, in regard to plans and designs for mills or their furniture, and for machinery generally, willingly answered. All orders or communications to be addressed to the undersigned.

HENRY M. DRANE, Agent.
March 17. 1-tf.

DISSOLUTION.

THE Express Steamboat Company was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and papers of the Concern at Fayetteville, are placed in the hands of Mr. John Shaw, at D. & W. McLaurin's who is fully authorized to settle and receipt for the same.

JAMES E. METTS,
N. A. RAMSEY,
M. J. RAMSEY.
April 4, 1855.

I HAVE sold all my Steamboats, except, the South-Erner, and have placed her in a line with D. & W. McLaurin, who is now running the Chatham, on the Cape Fear River.

Persons having claims against the Express Steamboat Company will please hand them in for payment, and those indebted will call and settle without delay. JAMES E. METTS.
April 7. 16-tf.

OWNER WANTED.

FOR two boxes, (one containing a Piano,) marked S. R. Breland, Clinton, N. C., care of Wm. Hill, Wilmington, N. C.; landed from schr. Araminta, from Baltimore, and now in store at owner's risk. RUSSELL & BRO.
May 3. 22

JUST RECEIVED BY G. R. FRENCH,

A FRESH supply of PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER, in entire New Dress. To be sure that you get the genuine Medicine, inquire for the New Dress—with two fine engraved steel labels on each bottle.
April 19. 15-tf.

JUST RECEIVED.

LADIES Black and fancy colored Gaiters;
Misses " " " "
Gentlemen's calf and patent leather Congress Gaiters. For sale at low by
GEO. R. FRENCH.
May 8. 24

FEATHER DUSTERS.

A FULL assortment of plain and fancy colored Ostrich, Bells, Fly, Piano, Counter, and Toy Dusters, just received, to which the attention of the Ladies is respectfully invited. Called
L. N. BARLOW'S,
April 28. No. 2, Granite Row.

$100 DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN MY negro man JIM, or JIM FORBS, as he calls himself, ran away from me on the 16th inst. Said Jim is about 43 years old, black colory about 5 feet 7 inches high—thick set. I will give a reward of $100 for said Jim if taken out of this State, or $50 if taken within the State of North Carolina, and secured in Jail so that I can get him again. B. PLANNER.
Wilmington, N. C., April 26th, 1855. 19-1m.

HAVE your Rooms papered in handsome style by calling on
WILKINSON & ESLER.
Aug. 22. Upholsterers and Paper Hangers.

BUSINESS CARDS.

E. J. LUTTERLOH.
FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sept. 26th, 1854. 83-12m.

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-e

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. GWYEA,
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.

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. 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 19. 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.
Jan. 1, 1854. 123.

HENRY NUTT,
FACTOR AND FORWARDING AGENT,
Willgive 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. 13, 1853. 109.

KENAN T. MORGAN,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
CHERAW, S. C.
March 27, 1855. 5-6m-c.

BENNETT & BROKAW,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
110 AND 112 BROAD STREET,
NEW YORK.
April 7, 1855. 10-1y-c.

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

3,000 LBS. WAYNE CO. BACON, Hog Round, for sale by
March 31. C. DuPRE & CO.

BUSINESS CARDS.

A. H. VANBOKKELEN. W. A. M. VANBOKKELEN.
VANBOKKELEN & BROTHER,
WILMINGTON, 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. } Wilmington.
O. G. Parsley, Esq.
F. 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.

J. WESSEL. H. 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. 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, 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, 1855. 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.

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. 68-tf.

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

L. N. BARLOW,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER,
AND DEALER IN
LIQUORS, WINES, ALE, PORTER, &c.
No. 3, Granite Row, Front Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Feb. 17th, 1855. 140-tf.

FREIGHT.
ALL freight on Naval Stores by Cape Fear line of Boats, will hereafter be collected at Wilmington. T. C. & B. G. WORTH.
Jan. 27. 131.

PORK.
100 BBLS. City Mess, received per schr. Edward Kidder, and for sale by
Feb. 17. J. H. FLANNER.

HAVING perfected other arrangements, the undersigned offer their entire stock of Groceries, Tin and Wooden Ware, for cash only, at greatly reduced prices. QUINCE & COWAN.
March 17, 1855. 1.
Herald and Journal copy.

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. DePRE, 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 Mush Toilette Water;
do. do. Verbena do. do.
do. Yankee Soap;
do. Camphor Soap;
do. Pomino 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. Jonhson, 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.
This new 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.

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 constanly 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 Buggy 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.
All are 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, sold on commissions. JOHN J. CONOLEY.
Feb. 7, 1854. 138

WILMINGTON
MARBLE AND STONE YARD.
THE Subscriber having accepted the agency of several large establishments at the North which will furnish him an unlimited supply of finished or unfinished, foreign and domestic MARBLE of all qualities, is prepared to fill all orders for
MONUMENTS AND TOMB STONES,
and every other article in the line of the business at reasonable rates.
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.
Jan. 6, 1854. tf.

THOS. B. CARR, M. D. D. D. S.
PRACTICAL DENTIST for the last ten years,
Charges for

10 or less artificial teeth on fine gold plate, each,	$ 7 00
An entire set of teeth on fine gold plate,	150 00
Ditto on gold with artificial gums,	150 00
Ditto on Platina plate with artificial gums,	150 00
Upper or under ditto, each,	75 00
A Pivot tooth that cannot be distinguished from the natural,	5 00
A fine gold filling, *warranted permanent*,	2 00
Do. and destroying the nerve.	$3 to 5 00
Extracting a tooth,	50 cts. to 1 00

Best dentifrices and tooth brushes always on hand.
Every operation *warranted* to give entire satisfaction. Teeth inserted immediately after the extraction of the fangs and remodeled after the gums have shrunken without additional charge.
Office on Market-st., 2 doors below the Church
Wilmington, N. C., April 22. 16-tf.

NOW is the time to have your rooms and passages papered with decorations, fine or common, as we have large assortments on hand, and superior workmen from New York, who will hang paper in latest styles.
WILKINSON & ESLER.
July 22. Paper Hangers and Upholsterers.

E. R. DURKEE,
139 WATER STREET NEW-YORK,
Manufacturer and Proprietor of
DURKEE'S YEAST OR RISING POWDER,
Importer and Dealer in
CREAM TARTAR,
SUP. CARB. SODA,
SAL SODA,
CASTILE SOAP,
BLACK LEAD,
BRITISH LUSTRE,
REF'D PEARLASH, SALERATUS,
COOKING EXTRACTS,
MATCHES—WAX AND WOOD.
Dec. 23rd, 1854. 117-1y-c.

NOTICE.
THE subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he is now transacting the Auction business on his own account, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of that patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him.
M. CRONLY.
Stock, Real Estate and Negroes, bought and sold on a commission of 1 per cent either at private or public sale.
Jan 8, 1854.

DOCT. JOHNSTON,
BALTIMORE LOCK HOSPITAL.
WHERE may be obtained the most speedy, pleasant and effectual remedy in the world for all
SECRET DISEASES.
Gonorrhœa, Gleets, Strictures, Seminal Weakness, Pains in the Loins, Constitutional Debility, Impotency, Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Affections of the Kidneys, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Diseases of the Head, Throat Nose or Skin; and all those solitary and melancholy disorders arising from the destructive habits of Youth, which destroy both body and mind, those secret and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the songs of the Syrens to the mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.
YOUNG MEN.
Especially, who have become the victims of *Solitary Vice*, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.
MARRIAGE.
Married persons, or those contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness, should immediately consult Dr. J., and be restored to perfect health.
He who places himself under the care of Dr. Johnston may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a physician.
OFFICE, No. 7, SOUTH FREDERICK ST. 7 DOORS FROM BALTIMORE St., (east side,) UP THE STEPS.
☞ BE PARTICULAR in observing the *NAME* and *NUMBER*, or you will mistake the place.
A CURE IN TWO DAYS, OR NO CHARGE.
No Mercury or Nauseous Drugs Used.
TAKE NOTICE.
Dr. Johnston is the only regularly Educated Physician who advertises his very extensive Practise, and his many Wonderful Cures is a sufficient guarantee to the afflicted. *Those who wish to be speedily and effectually cured, should shun the numerous trifling imposters*, who only ruin their health, and apply to Dr. Johnston.
DR. JOHNSTON
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges of the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia, and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known. Many troubled with ringing in the ears and head when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.
A CERTAIN DISEASE.
When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an illtimed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progress on with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, by sending him to "that bourne from whence no traveller returns." To such therefore, Dr. Johnston pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable secrecy, and, from his extensive practice in the first Hospitals in Europe and America, he can confidently recommend a safe and speedy cure to the unfortunate victim of this horrid disease. It is a melancholy fact, that thousands fall victims to this dreadful disease, owing to the unskillfulness of ignorant pretenders, who, by the use of that deadly poison, mercury, ruin the constitution, and either send the unfortunate sufferer to an untimely grave, or else make the residue of life miserable.
TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.
Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences.
These are some of the sad and melancholy effects, produced by early habits of youth, viz:—Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsy, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.
Mentally—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion of Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.
Thousands of persons of all ages, can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale and emaciated, have a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.
Married Persons, or those cont