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MISCELLANY.

MRS. PETTIGREW'S TRYING SERVANTS.

BY AUGUSTA MOORE.

Mrs. Leander Pettigrew was a woman of fashion. She kept *men* servants, as well as women servants. Her having been born in this democratic land was a source of constant regret to her—she longed for the titles and pomp of monarchical realms.

She was learned in the mysteries of European servant training, and did her very best to train hers according to her knowledge. She had in her service several foreigners. The servility of these gratified her pride. At length her lower-half-gentry began to feel the workings of American free and equal doctrines, and the foreigners showed signs of some independence in thought and action. Mrs. Pettigrew was not slow to detect the danger, nor backward in striving to nip it in the bud.

'Carline,' said she to a German chambermaid, who passing through the dining-room, dressed for a walk, 'where did you get that parasol?'

'I bought it, ma'am,' replied the girl, with a slightly perceptible rising of the end of her saucy nose.

'And who gave *you* leave to purchase a parasol, or wear a white pocket-handkerchief? You know perfectly well that such things are not allowed in your country.'

'I am not in Germany now, ma'am; I'm in America, and can carry my own parasol as well as you. And, ma'am, I wish you'd please to look for another chambermaid—this place don't suit.'

And Carline sallied out at the door.

Her mistress was thunder-struck. She had not looked for such a finale to this scene.

As she stood in silent astonishment at the independence of her chambermaid, a French waiter entered the room.

A glance at his upper lip confirmed a suspicion which, for several days, had been creeping into her mind. With a severe look and tone, she said to the servant:

'Marco, I do not consider it becoming for waiters to wear a moustache. I cannot allow *my* servant to wear one.'

'Tis a free country, madam; a man here may wear a moustache, if he choose.'

'I do not wish impudent replies from my servants, sir. You can shave your upper lip, or quit my service this afternoon.'

Several days after the trouble with her servants, madam's bosom friend and devoted imitator, Mrs. Apewell, called.

'My dear,' said Mrs. Apewell, during the very intellectual and interesting conversation, which had, for several hours, an uninterrupted flow; 'my dear, I am absolutely in distress for a new waiter. Our host was so often intoxicated, and so bent upon stealing his master's clothing, that husband could endure it no longer; so this week Dickon received his marching orders. I was extremely sorry that it was necessary to dismiss him, for the fellow was very handsome and graceful, as well as respectful and attentive. I never had a waiter who understood his place or duties so well. He seemed actually devoted to me and the children; and as for poor Fidele, *he* has sustained an irreparable loss. 'Tis not often a waiter is willing to interest himself in the welfare of a pet. Really, I do regret the loss of Dickon. You should have seen the grace with which he would kneel to lace a gaiter, or to draw on or off a rubber. He is a great loss.'

'I've no doubt of it, my dear Mrs. Apewell; and I can fully sympathize with you. Our waiter was a perfect adept in his duties, but his presumption, in persisting in wearing a moustache, was *too much* to endure.'

'I met him in the street, this very morning,' said Mrs. Apewell, 'and the moustache was gone. I had half a mind to engage him for myself, but considering his obstinate disregard of your wishes, I refrained. I could not allow a servant to wear a moustache.'

'I think we had better go together, and call at the intelligence office this morning. I must have another chambermaid, also. The girl I took in the place of Carline is a perfect donkey. She don't know a flower-case from a water-pitcher, or a napkin from a pillow-slip; and yesterday, when I sent her down with my orders for dinner, mentioning, among other things, a fricassee and some cucumbers, she told the cook I wished her to prepare fried eels and chuck-unders.'

Mrs. Apewell laughed as heartily as gentility would permit, at these words of her friend, and Mrs. Pettigrew then arose and prepared for a walk to the office.

We will leave the ladies to suit themselves to new servants as speedily as they can, trusting that, as their happiness lies so much in servants and show, neither show nor servants will be denied them, unless for their spiritual elevation.

LIFE OF A NEWSPAPER.

BY ITSELF.

My life is shortly told. My first *impression* was the sensation of a tremendous *squeeze* which instantly awoke me into life and thought. I was now spread out to the light, and a glow of intelligence completely pervaded me. My ideas were at first new, multifarious and confused. Nations, politics, courts, wars, speeches, fightings, tales, merchandize, marriages, deaths, ditties, &c. &c. made up my thoughts, which were various and mixed, and I lay in a silent state of wonder and amazement. I soon found that I was but one of a large family, that was ushered into the world at the same time, from the same prolific mother. Our whole litter was laid in regular order in a pile—my situation being one of the first born, was particularly oppressed, damp and uncomfortable. I had a silent, intuitive, longing wish to get into the world, which was at length gratified. Morning and night came and I was carefully folded and laid, Moses like, in a basket, by an urchin who was called the carrier, and borne into the street. The shid carrier I soon found was an object of interest and desire. He was soon accosted by an elderly looking man, with threadbare rusty breeches: 'Have you a spare paper this morning, my boy?' said tightstring. 'No sir,' was the short reply, and he truged on with us, muttering 'not as you knows on, Old Gripe; you are the same chap that promised me some coppers for a paper the other morning and hain't paid me yet; you are too stingy to take the paper, but wont get another from me, I guess.' My brethren were now fast leaving me, being deposited at their proper destinations; at length my turn came, and I was tucked into the crevice of a shop door. The first sample of the kind was not at all prepossessing. I had not been long in my new situation, when a reluctantly early apprentice, swinging a key on his hand, wistfully eyed me; and casting a look about him feloniously seized and thrust me into his pocket. My rightful owner by virtue of advance pay, being in sight, hailed and arrested the pilferer, and with threats compelled him to relinquish his prize. He entered his shop, and I soon found that I was the first object of interest. After hastily drying me by the fire, in which progress I narrowly escaped conflagration, he ran over me, and fixed his eyes upon sales at auction, advertisements, &c. I was then more particularly examined and dismissed with condemnation. 'Nothing but foreign news, Congress and cabinet—love stories and accidents by flood and field; a newspaper should be a commercial report—one side at least should be devoted to prices current.' I was then pettishly thrown upon the counter but was soon in requisition. A bare headed boy made his appearance, with a 'please to lend Ma your paper a few minutes, just to look at the ship news?' The request was reluctantly granted, with something about the plague of paper borrowing and a determination to stop it. I was soon borne to a neighboring house. The good old woman, whose husband was at sea, eagerly sought the ship news, but was disappointed in the search. 'How negligent and careless these printers are,' said she, 'not a word of intelligence of the Wind Bird; they print of Poland and poetry, and fill their papers with advertisements, and that is all they care about.' Miss now took her turn. She sought the stories, the poetry, and marriages, which in half an hour were all devoured, with the 'wonder that they put any thing else in the paper.' An elderly lady now took me, who, adjusting her spectacles, surveyed me a little while, and declared me a 'terribly uninteresting paper: hardly a column of deaths, and not more than fifteen or twenty murders and accidents.' In this way I passed through all hands of the family, and after being well soiled and somewhat torn, by the little ones, was sent home. For three whole days I had no rest, but was continually borrowed and abused. At the end of this period, I was supplanted by a new face, and was then discarded and thrown aside like all other servants, when they have become useless. I was, however, again resuscitated, and employed as a wrapper to some merchandize, and sent into the country. There, again I became an object of interest, went the rounds of the neighborhood, and was a 'nine days wonder.' I am now quietly hanging up in a shattered condition in a farmer's kitchen, from which I have written this brief memoir. I have seen much of the world, and have learned that mankind are unreasonable and ungrateful, and that in a world of great variety of taste and wishes, it is impossible to please all.

EXTRACT FROM A MODERN DICTIONARY.

The Grave.—An ugly hole in the ground, which lovers and poets wish they were in, but take uncommon pains to keep out of.

Constable.—A species of snapping turtle.

Modesty.—A beautiful flower that flourishes only in secret places.

Lawyer.—A learned gentleman, who rescues your estate from your enemy and keeps it himself.

My Dear.—An expression used by man and wife at the commencement of a quarrel.

Watchman.—A man employed by the coporation to sleep in the open air.

Honesty.—An excellent joke.

Dentist.—A person who finds work for his own teeth by taking out those of other people.

Poetry.—A division of affected prose into lines of a certain length.

INTENSELY FRENCH.

The President of the French Senate, congratulating the Emperor, on behalf of that body, upon his escape from assassination, remarkable as follows: "The protecting hand of God is still more visible than that of the fanatical stranger, whose plans have been confounded. Let us bless, Sire, the *admirable logic* which presides over the decrees of Providence."

BENNETT & BROKAW,
PRODUCE
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
FOR THE SALE OF
Flour, Grain and Seeds, Butter, Cheese, Lard, Dried Fruits, Smoked Meats and Provisions.
NO. 4, FRONT ST. NEAR THE BATTERY,
NEW YORK.
To avoid errors and delays, it is desirable that consignors be very particular to put their initials upon Goods shipped to us for sale.
June 14. 40-tf

ORANGES AND CANDIES.
RECEIVED this day, by Schr. Charles Mills, direct from New-York, a lot of very superior sweet ORANGES, and a fine assortment of French and all other CANDIES that can be desired. For sale at the Variety Store, on Market street, under the Herald office, and nearly opposite the Carolina Hotel. WM. H. DeNEALE.
April 28th, 1855. 20.

SUNDRIES.
FULTON MARKET BEEF; Salmon & Mackerel, and Smoked Beef; received this day by
May 17. L. N. BARLOW.

CEMENT, CEMENT.
300 BBLS. daily expected by schr. M. E. Wells, and for sale low from wharf.
June 5. T. C. WORTH.

POWDER AND SHOT.
100 BAGS Shot. 10 kegs Powder. For sale by ZENO H. GREENE.
June 16. 41

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

AGENTS FOR THE COMMERCIAL.
NEW YORK—Messrs. Dollner & Potter.
Boston—Charles Smith, No. 6, Central Wharf.
Philadelphia—S. E. Cohen.
Baltimore—Wm. H. Peake and Wm. Thomson

GUANO.
250 BAGS for sale by
May 19. ADAMS, BRO. & CO.

BACON.
A LOT of superior No. Ca. Bacon, Hams and Sides, just received, and for sale by
May 19. FREEMAN & HOUSTON.

MONONGAHELA & RYE WHISKEY
10 BBLS. for sale by
April 10. L. N. BARLOW.

THE UNDERSIGNED have purchased the entire interest of P. K. DICKINSON & CO. in the Gaston Mills, and of PARSLEY, McRAE CO. in the Hilton Mills; and have associated themselves together under the firm of PARSLEY, COWAN & CO.
They will continue the transaction of the Lumber Business in all its branches; and hope to retain the correspondence of the old Firms.
O. G. PARSLEY,
ROBT. H. COWAN,
JNO. McRAE,
W. G. JONES,
DAVID S. COWAN.
April 10, 1855. 12-tf.
Journal and Herald copy.

JUST RECEIVED
Per Schr. L. P. Smith.
15 KEGS New Butter; 10 Boxes Cheese; Smoked Beef, Beef Tongues, Coffee, Sugar, Crushed Sugar, Powdered Sugar, and a variety of Fresh Confectionary, &c., &c.
April 24. GEO. MYERS.

FOR SALE.
100 BBLS Planting Potatoes, yellow and choice 40 bbls. Apples, just received and for sale by W. M. SHERWOOD & CO.
Feb. 20. 141.

HERRING.
30 BBLS. Cut Herring, Dry-salted; 30 do. round do. Just received, and for sale by ADAMS, BRO. & CO.
May 8. 24

WILKINSON & ESLER
HAVE on hand, and make to order, Hair, Moss, Shuck and Felt Mattresses, Pillows, Bolsters, Sheets, Cases, Spreads, Comforts, Mosquito Netting; also repair Sofas, Chairs, &c., or any kind of Upholsterer's work.
May 24. 31

WE HAVE NOW ON HAND
A VERY large and handsome assortment of Paper Hangings, Borders, Screens, Decorations, &c., which we will sell very low for CASH and hang them in the latest styles.
WILKINSON & ESLER,
Upholsters and Paper-Hangers.
May 24. 31

CANDIES.
A CONSTANT supply of assorted Candies at wholesale and retail. For sale by
L. N. BARLOW,
Feb. 6. No. 3 Granite Row, Front-st.

THE CAROLINA CULTIVATOR.
NO. 3, (May) received single copies for sale and subscriptions received at
May 15. S. W. WHITAKER'S.

SACK SALT.
500 SACKS in prime order, for sale by
Feb. 13. J. R. BLOSSOM.

NOTICE.
THOSE indebted to me individually, or to C. DuPRE & CO., will please call and make payment without delay, as further indulgence cannot be given. C. DuPRE.
May 17. 28

ORANGES AND LEMONS.
FRESH supplies, received every week, and for sale low by L. N. BARLOW,
May 17. No. 3, Granite Row, Front st.

COFFEE.
30 BAGS Rio,
15 " Laguyra,
10 " Java. For sale by
May 12. ZENO H. GREENE.

FRESH IMPORTATIONS.
JUST Received, this day, 100 bbls. assorted Liquors, Wines and Cordials; French Brandy, in eighth pipes; Annessed Cordial; Perfect Love; Blackberry Brandy; Extra New Butter; Corned Beef Tongues; No. 1 Mackerel &c. At the original Family Grocery, Front street.
May 12, GEO. MYERS.

MORE FRUIT.
WE are constantly receiving fresh supplies of Fruit and Confectionaries. The schr. R. W. Brown has just arrived from New York, and we now offer for sale:
Boxes of fine sweet Oranges; fine Lemons; Mountain Sicily Fruit, and a large assortment of Confectionery and Fancy Articles. For sale at the variety Store, under the Herald Office, Market street. WM. H. DeNEALE.
May 24. 31

BALLOU'S PICTORIAL,
AND the Flag of our Union, for Saturday, June 2nd. Received and for sale at
May 29. S. W. WHITAKER'S.

THE WONDERFUL AND AMUSING DOINGS OF OSCAR SHANGHAI—by Sea and Land—Just published; received and for sale at S. W. WHITAKER'S.
May 29. 33.

FOR RENT.
A Small House on Front Street, suitable for a small family, until the 1st October next, apply to
MOORE, STANLY & CO.
April 26. 19-tf.

BUSINESS CARDS.

E. J. LUTTERLOH,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sept. 28th, 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-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 19, 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 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.

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

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

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

THE LONDON INTELLIGENCER
SAYS: "The great book of the day is Mr. Kingsley's Westward Ho! It seems to be in everybody's hands." "*Westward Ho!*" is for sale at S. W. WHITAKER'S.
May 5. 23

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. } Wilmington.
O. G. Parsley, Esq.
I. A. Taylor, Esq.
J. D. Bellamy, Esq.
Messrs. Tooker, Smyth & Co. } New York.
" Thompson & Hunter,
Alex'r. Herron, Jr. Philadelphia.
Messrs. Williams & Butler, } Charleston, S. C.
H. F. Baker, Esq.
Jan. 2, 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 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 Bk. of the State. } Wil.
O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank.
P. K. Dickinson, Esq.
Poppe & Co. } New York,
Dolmer & Potter.
Jan. 20 1854. 131.

GEO. H. KELLY,
COMMISSION MERCHANT.
Next door to A. A. Wannetta, 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. 39-1y.

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. 53-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. 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 Mush 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, } *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. Hanniss, 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 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 Switzey 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 shewing 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 or 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 dentifrice 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.

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Manufacturer and Proprietor of
DURKEE'S YEAST OR BAKING 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.
Gonorrhoea, Gleets, Strictures, Seminal Weakness, Pains in the Loins, Constitutional Debility, Impotency, Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Affections of the Kiddeys, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Diseases of the Head, Throat Nose or Skin; and all those serious and melancholy disorders arising from the destructive habits of Youth, which destroy both body and mind, those secret and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the 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 Practice, 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 impostors*, 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 his painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed 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 correct situal symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, noctural 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 unskilfulness 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. addres