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MISCELLANY.

THE LIQUOR LAW.

The Supreme Judicial Court of Maine, at its law term, held at Augusta, on Thursday last, gave an important decision, which, in its practical results, must nullify, or at any rate abridge the working of the recent liquor law in the manner and form in which it is attempted to be enforced. A written opinion of the Court, prepared by Chief Justice Shepley, was given on Thursday, which will, as we learn, be published in the next issue of the Age.

The decision is, that Justice of the Peace Police and Municipal Judges, have no power to try and pass sentence for the offence of selling liquor, under the second section of that act, unless provision is made therefor by the act establishing such Municipal or Police Court; or, in other words, that the crime of selling liquor can only be tried in the Supreme Judicial Court, after all indictment by the Grand Jury.

John Hessum was tried before the Police Court of the city of Augusta, for selling a glass of liquor, and sentenced to pay a fine of $20 and 30 days' imprisonment. He was brought before the Supreme Court on a writ of *habeas corpus*, his counsel, Sewall Lancaster, Esq., claiming that he was unlawfully imprisoned. The Court cited in the County Attorney, R. H. Vose, Esq., and the question was fully argued and considered. The result was, a discharge of the prisoner, and the proceedings of the Police Court declared null and void.

As we shall soon have the opinion of the Court, we shall not attempt to give in full the grounds of this decision. It is sufficient to say, that the power to try and punish the offence of rum-selling is not conferred on Justices of the Peace, or on the Judge of the Police Court of Augusta or Portland, and that no man can be sent to prison therefor, except on a full trial and conviction by a jury in the Supreme Judicial Court.

This decision, practically, nullifies the liquor law, and takes from our Police Courts all jurisdiction in the matter of liquor selling.

The Maine law party are overwhelmed by a single blow, and this decision terminates their career, unless our worthy Governor shall think it wise to call the Legislature together, to take action in the premises, in view "of this momentous crisis in the history of the liquor law."

State of Maine.

Proclamation Against the Kinney Expedition.

The government of Nicaragua has become very much alarmed at the announcement that the Kinney expedition was about to arrive there. The Governor has issued an edict, declaring it a "piratical" expedition, and therefore decrees:

Art. 1. All able-bodied Nicaraguans are summoned to take up arms and defend the independence of the country against the piratical foreign invasion which threatens it.

Art. 2. Wherefore, from the publication of this decree, they will be ready to serve when the occasion requires it, hastening to put themselves at the disposal of the military chief at the proper point, at the first signal of alarm, which he may give.

Art. 3. The same Nicaraguans are bound if the said expedition commences operations, to prosecute to death the incividuals of it who enter the country; and those who do not comply will be subject to such punishment as the government may prescribe.

Art. 4. Those who voluntarily entertain the enemy, or afford them aid of any sort, will be considered and treated as traitors to the country.

Art 5. At present, and so long as it is probable that said expedition will be put in operation, all foreigners are prohibited from remaining upon the frontiers of the Republic, and the respective military commanders will require them to retire without delay to the principal towns in the interior.

Art. 6. The foregoing prohibition does not include foreigners previously established in the country, nor those who may come *in transitu* transported voluntarily by the Accessory Transit Company in Nicaragua, provided neither the one nor the other give just grounds to suspect them as accomplices to the expedition or favorable to it.

Art. 7. The adventurers, Kinney and Fabens, are prohibited from entering the Republic, whatever may be the object and character with which they profess to come. And if they do succeed in entering, the authorities of the Republic will take care to apprehend and deliver them to the nearest military commander, that he may convey them with greater security to the military governor of the department where the government resides.

Art 8. In case the fillibusters occupy any town of the Republic, the inhabitants thereof are required to abandon it and hasten to the nearest one in which there may be government forces. Those who fail to do so, will suffer the punishment which it may prescribe.

It is stated that two vessels of war, one English and the other French, are at Greytown, on the look out for the expedition.

DESTRUCTIVE CONFLAGRATION.

An extensive fire occurred in Philadelphia on Friday evening last, about half-past nine o'clock, which was not checked until about thirty-five or forty thousand dollars worth of property had been destroyed. It originated in the extensive Saw and Planing Mill on the north side of Brown above Fourth street, owned by Abner Lincoln, which was entirely consumed, along with Union Hall, a large four story brick building occupied by the colored Odd Fellows, the Zoar African Church, the coach factory of Wagner, and some ten or eleven small buildings on Brown and Fourth sts., occupied by families, all of whom are rendered homeless by the sad calamity. Only about $20,000 of insurance was effected on the property, which was divided between some six or seven of the sufferers.

We were an eye witness to this fire, and it indeed presented a scene of rare beauty. The moon shone brightly, and the sky, except a small portion, was undimmed by a cloud. The light of the conflagration glared redly on the prominent spires and steeples of the city, while the reverse side of the same were illumined by the pale silvery beams of the moon. To add to the effect of the picture, a thunder storm was fast approaching, and the heavy clouds at the northward, rendered still more murky by the dense masses of smoke, were occasionally cleaved by vivid flashes of lightning.—*Petersburg Express.*

Gen. Houston and the Battle of St. Jacinto.

Gen. Houston, in a recent address, in relation to the battle of San Jacinto, gave a version of the history of its incidents, and his own connection with them, which has brought out a host of indignant commentators, who not only deny the truth of his narrative, but accuse him of cowardice and incapacity. The N. O. Picayune, of the 27th ult., says:

"The first to reply was David R. Burnett, formerly President of Texas, and by the mails which arrived yesterday we have two other addresses—one by Gen. Sidney Sherman, and one by Gen. Mirabeau B. Lamar, also once President of Texas. The gentlemen were officers during the battle of San Jacinto, and they concur with Burnett in declaring Gen. Houston's narrative false throughout, and in affirming that the battle was fought against the wishes and judgment of Houston, who is accused, moreover, of behaving with personal cowardice as well as showing utter incapacity as a General. Gen. Sherman says that whenever a full narrative of the battle is given truthfully to the world, 'Gen. Houston's mushroon fame will rapidly decompose and sink into putrescence with the mass of falsehoods upon which it rests;' and Gen. Lamar says: 'My own opinion is that he, himself, (Houston) was the only coward on that field. I can name no other, and him I know as one."

THE CALIFORNIA NUGGET OF GOLD.

A few days ago we announced the arrival at Harve, by the Ariel, of a nugget of native gold, of the value of about 200,000 francs, which was in the hands of two miners, and was to be exhibited at the Universal Exhibition in Paris.—We learn to-day from Paris that the mugget, instead of being lent to the Exhibition, was presented to the bank of France in view of obtaining an advance on its consignment. The Bank having assayed it, found that it was a piece of lead covered with gold, upon which the roughness and unevenness of native gold had been ingeniously imitated.—An investigation has been commenced, to discover if the fraud had been committed at the diggings or during the voyage.—*Paris Journal, 11th ult.*

LOCAL EPISCOPAL PREACHERS.

The Episcopal Church has by a canon created an order of men not unlike the local preachers in the Methodist Church. Men in secular life can attain to the order of deacons, and continue in secular business still. Seven or eight gentlemen in New York city have complied with the provisions of this canon; and now although on work days employed in various secular business, on the Sabbath assist in the ministrations of the sanctuary; they are deacons but not permitted to preach without special leave of the Bishop.

AN OLD MAN.

We lately had the pleasure of a visit from one perhaps of the oldest men in Maryland, Mr. Richard Crandell, who was born in this county on the 16th of July, 1747, and, therefore, will be one hundred and eight years of age the 16th of next month. He has not the appearance of a man of more than eighty, and even last fall he sowed nearly all the grain on his farm. He is in the enjoyment of most excellent health and spirits and at the age of one hundred he says he had not a gray hair in his head.—He served as a privateersman during the Revolution, and relates many interesting facts connected with the struggle for American Independence. May he long continue to enjoy the blessings of health and happiness!—*Annapolis Republican.*

TWO OF GEN. JACKSON'S AIDS.

Julius, was you ever in war?'

'You'd better believe it. I extinginished myself in the battle of New Orleans, I did.'

'You did?'

'I didn't do nofin else—I furnished Gen. Jackson with two aids too on that occasion.'

'What aids were they? What were their names?'

'Der names?'

'Yes, der names of them aids.'

'Well den, if de nigger must know—da was *Lemond aids.* Now you got particulars hold your hush, or I'll cane your head wid do door mat.'

A GOOD RETORT.

A humorous young man was driving a horse which was in the habit of stopping at every house on the road side.

Passing a country tavern, where were collected some dozen countrymen, the beast, as usual, ran opposite the door and then stopped in spite of the young man, who applied the whip with all his might to drive the horse on.

The men in the porch commenced a hearty laugh, and some inquired if he would sell the horse?

'Yes,' replied the young man,' but I cannot recommend him, as he once belonged to a butcher, and stops whenever he hears the calves blate.'

The crowd retired to the bar in silence.

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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.

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 Mattrasses, Pillows, Bolsters, Sheets, Cases, Spreads, Comforts, Mosquito Netting; also repair Sofas, Chairs, &c., or any kind of Upholsterer's work.
May 24. 31

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

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.

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

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

SPIRITS TURPENTINE CASKS.

1000 SPIRIT Turpentine Casks, for sale by June 19. J. H. FLANNER.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

RECEIVED this day, in prime order, by L. N. BARLOW,
June 16. No. 3. Granite Row.

SUNDRIES.

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

BILLS OF EXCHANGE.

AN Elegant Edition of Bills of Exchange, printed in Germany, in Books of 10 quires and in sheets, for sale at the office of *The Commercial.*

NORTH CAROLINA BACON.

TWO small lots Bacon Hams. For sale by
June 30. Z. H. GREENE.

HOOP IRON.

5 TONS Hoops, 1, 1 1-4, and 1 1-2 inch. For sale by Z. H. GREENE.
June 30. 47

NAILS! NAILS!!

75 KEGS assorted sizes. In store and for sale by Z. H. GREENE.
June 30. 47

SPIRIT CASKS.

500 PRIME second-hand Spirit Casks now landing from schr. "Village Gem," and for sale from wharf. T. C. WORTH.
June 8. 36

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 prompt 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 MERCHNNTS,
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 Princess streets,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
July 29. 56.

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

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

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. } Wilmington.
I. A. Taylor, Esq.
J. D. Bellamy, Esq.
Messrs. Tooker, Smyth & Co.,
" Thompson & Hunter, } New York.
Alex'r. Herron, Jr. Philadelphia.
Messrs. Williams & Butler,
H. F. Baker, Esq. } Charleston, S. C.
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 Br'ch Bank of the State.
O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank. } Wil.
P. K. Dickinson, Esq.
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, 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. 38-1y.

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. 58-tf.

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

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.

FISH! FISH!! FISH!!!

JUST received per schr. Delegate, from Halifax, N. S.
25 barrels No. 1 Mackerel;
10½ " " 1 "
25 " " 2 "
50½ " " 2 "
300 " " 3 "
250 " Cut Herring. For sale in lots to suit by T. C. WORTH.
May 10.

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. 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. Herman, General Agent.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dr. WM. W. HARRISS, Medical Examiner, and Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

All Communications on business of the Company should be addressed to

JAS. F. JORDAN, Sec'y.
Raleigh, Jan. 25, 1854. tf.

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 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.

E. R. DURKEE,
139 WATER STREET NEW-YORK,
Manufacturer and Proprietor of
DURKEE'S YEAST OR BAKING POWDER,
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SUP. CARB. SODA,
SAL SODA,
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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 9, 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 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 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 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 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 secresy; 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 Foreboding, 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.

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DR. JOHNSTON'S INVIGORATING REMEDY FOR ORGANIC WEAKNESS.

By this great and important remedy weakness of the organs is speedily cured and full vigor restored. Thousands of the most Nervous and Debilitated individuals who had lost all hope, have been immediately relieved. All impediments to

MARRIAGE,

Physical or Mental Disqualifications, Nervous Irritability Tremblings and Weakness, or exhaustion of the most fearful kind, speedily cured by Dr Johnston.

Young men who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone—a habit frequ