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MISCELLANY.

Interview of Mrs. E. O. Smith with the "Veiled Murderess."

A few days ago, Mrs. E. Oakes Smith proceeded on a Woman's Rights mission to Troy, to the 'Veiled Murderess,' who had very large notions of Woman's Rights, in a rather promiscuous concubinage, and who, at last, exercised the largest liberty of poisoning the last man she lived with, and whose sentence of death therefor the Governor of New York has now commuted to imprisonment for life. We quote from a long account or their interview the following:

Mrs. Oakes Smith.—'I have come to see you and to help to save you from the final penalty, and in that case you would be willing to live.'

Mrs. 'Veiled Murderess.'—'No, no; I want to go home to my God; I am prepared for death now. The mode is nothing to me now that I am at peace with God. He is more merciful than men. He will forgive me and allow my death to atone for my evil life. No, I want to die, and I long for the day to come. My dress is all ready—very decent it is. I shall be carted out [her fingers were touching the side of her neck] and die. No one will see my face. I shall be very still; and my Saviour [lifting her eyes] will pity me.'

Mrs. Oakes Smith.—'But if you go to prison or an hospital and preserve this frame of mind, you can do good to others, you can teach the ignorant, and comfort the suffering, and take care of the sick and dying.'

Mrs. 'Veiled Murderess.'—'I don't know—I don't know; it is better for me to die; I might live thirty years in a prison; death seems better. Oh, I am so sick of the world. Look here, please, my poor husband, and —— do not know where I am—they know nothing of all this. My father and mother are both dead, I have concealed my family name; while I live people are curious to know about me—when I am dead all will die with me. I have promised my brother to be very still; to die without betraying, anything, and when I am gone I shall cease to worry and distress my family. Here I am shut out from the world, of no use in it, sick of it. Oh, let me go home to my God.'

Mrs. Oakes Smith.—'If you are executed you will be the last woman who will endure the penalty in our country. It will raise a storm of indignant protest which will compel our rulers to annul the statute—at least where a woman is to be the victim.' (She smiled in a very sweet, heavenly manner)

Mrs. 'Veiled Murderess.'—'Then I shall do some good in my death. Is not God very good if He will permit a sinful creature like me not only to atone for my wicked life by this violent death, but nay even allow some good to grow out of it.'

Mrs. Oakes smith.—'You are a Roman Catholic?'

Mrs. 'Veiled Murderess.'—'I am now.—And since I have had some one to talk to me—to tell me truly about myself and my duty to God—I am a great deal happier. The Sisters of Charity come and talk to me very kindly; they tell me not to wish to live, but to take God's mode of drawing me back to himself, patiently and willingly.'

Mrs. Oakes Smith's Comment.—There was a manly courage and good sense in this forlorn desire for death.

Removing the veil.—Mrs. Oakes Smith. 'Are you willing to remove your veil?'

Mrs. Veiled Murderess.—'Oh yes for you, but I do not like to have strangers come and stare at me. On my trial I *felt I could* not; I *could* not be looked at. It seemed to me *I should make other women ashamed.*'

Mrs. Smith's Comments.—She then laid aside her veil and showed me her hair beginning to fall off, and her head much too large for the vital region except the lungs. She smiled like a child when I put my hand upon her temples and expressed my sympathy for the grief she must have endured, and the trials which would disturb and madden such an organization. Here she wept.

Mrs. Oakes Smith—'Will you tell me truly whether you are guilty of the crime for which you are condemned? What you may say shall not harm you in the least.' Her eyes assumed a wild expression.

Unveiled Murderess.—'No, I am not guilty. Now, these enemies who accuse me know that I am not guilty—that I never dreamed of poisoning my friends. I don't know about it. [She began to talk wildly.] I had been sick—I had been sick—I was mad for awhile, because —— gave me something that took away my senses. I try to think over a great many things that happened, and I can't understand them. I can't tell exactly how I got here. I know I'm a wicked woman, but I did not do that. I am the victim of a conspiracy. A political party wished to crush John C. Mather and Myron H. Clark, and so they took me. They could do it, you know—I, a poor woman.'

Mrs. Smith.—'You have confessed everything to your priest?'

Mrs. Murderess.—'Oh, yes, and he knows I'm innocent; but he tells me it is better for me to die, and so I will die!'

Mrs. Smith—'Where you happily married? Are you willing to let me know all about your early life?'

Mrs. Murderess.—'Oh! yes, I was married very young, and to a man I could not love. He was a good man, but I did not love him, and my first sin was in deserting my family.'

[Mrs. Smith suppressed here]

Mrs. Smith on her Phrenology and Physiognomy.—Phrenologically her brain is low above the ears, and her coarse black hair grows down upon the forehead even lower than that upon the bust of the celebrated antique of Clite. She has two projections in the region of what is called Constructiveness, extending backward, which of themselves would be sufficient to throw the whole character out of balance. When you add to this brain, a refined, lady-like form, round and compact, with a temperament of the highest and most excitable kind, it will easily be seen that education might, retard and modify her destiny, but would hardly serve to re-create her into a reliable or very safe character.

She evidently is possessed of a remarkably healthful organization, capable of great endurance, and indicating longevity. Her eyes have a look of force and vitality, and when not excited by an insane mood are really fine. She is perhaps thirty, and though an idealist would never call her beautiful, she is quite perfect in kind, and the vulgar mind would call her handsome.'

The N. Y. Commercial well says:

'We protest that if such morbid sympathy is to be shown towards a murderess, if moral responsibilites are to be overslaughed by phrenologically developed destiny, without a word of rebuke or a line of antidote, a sad and bitter future of infidelity, anarchy and crime is before us, the contemplation of which must make the most hopeful despair and the most confident quail and shudder.'

MYSTERY OF MEMORY.

There is, moreover, proof of a very decisive character, that no experiences of which the mind takes the slightest cognizance, from earliest infancy to the most extreme old age, ever become obliterated from the eternal structure of the soul, however impossible it may be to recall some of those experiences during our ordinary states of body and mind. This proposition. which is rendered extremely probable by an interior contemplation of the conscious pature of the soul, is confirmed and established by the numerous instances which might be cited, in which all the experience of a whole life, however minute or long forgotten, have been suddenly and almost simultaneously revived by some accident or other occurrence which brought soul and body to the brink of a total separation.

A fact of this kind, which can not be otherwise than intensely interesting to the psychologist, was not long since published in the Rome (N. Y.) Daily Sentinel, whose editor vouches for its truth. It is to the effect, that several years ago, A held a bond against B for several hundred dollars, having some time to run. When the bond came due, A made diligent search for it among his papers, but is was not to be found.—Knowing to a certainty that the bond had not been paid or otherwise legally disposed of, A concluded to frankly inform his neighbor B of its loss, and to rely upon his sense of justice for its payment. But to his surprise, when he informed him of the loss, B denied ever having given him such a bond and strongly intimated a fraudulent design on his part, in asserting that such a transaction had taken place between them. Being unable to prove his claim, A was compelled to submit to the loss of the debt, and also to the charge of dishonorable intentions in urging the demand.

Years passed away, and the affair almost ceased to be thought of, when, one day while A was bathing in Charles River, he was seized with cramp, and came near drowning. After sinking and rising several times, he was seized by a friend and drawn to the shore, and carried home apparently lifeless. By the applicaiion of the usual remedies, however, he was restored; and as soon as he gained sufficient strength, he went to his book-case, took out a book, and from between its leaves took out the identical bond, which had so long been missing. He then stated that while drowning, and sinking as he supposed to rise no more, there suddenly stood out before him, as it were in a picture, every act of his life, from his child-hood to the moment that he sank beneath the waters, and that among other acts was that of his placing that bond in a book and laying it away in his book-case. Armed with the long-lost document, found in this marvelous manner, the gentleman recovered his debt with interest.

Phrenological Journal.

GRATIS!

Just Published, a New Discovery in Medicine.

A few words on the rational treatment, without Medicine, of Spermatorrhea or Local weakness, Nervous Debility, Low Spirits, Lassitude, Weakness of the Limbs and Back, Indisposition and Incapacity for Study and Labor, Dullness of Apprehension, Loss of Memory, aversion to Society, Love of Solitude, Timidity, Self-Distrust, Dizziness, Head Ache, Involuntary Discharges, Pains in the Side, Affections of the Eyes, Pimples on the Face, Sexual and other Infirmities in man.

FROM THE FRENCH of Dr. B. DE LANEY

The important fact that these alarming complaints may easily be removed without Medicine, is, in this small tract, clearly demonstrated, and the entirely new and highly successful treatment, as adopted by the Author, fully explained, by means, of which every one is enabled to cure himself perfectly, and at the least possible cost, avoiding thereby all the advertised nostrums of the day.

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March 10. 149-6m-p.

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A NEW ARTICLE, warranted to prevent all Accidents from the use of *Burning Fluid, Camphene, and other Explosive Compounds*, used for the production of Light. This Invention is applied to all common Lamps and Lamp Feeders, also, to Solar, Camphene Lamps, Lanterns, &c.

CERTIFICATE.

WILMINGTON, N. C., June 15th, 1854.

I hereby certify that I witnessed the experiments of Mr. Newell, with his patent Safety Lamp, for furnishing "fluid" and am perfectly satisfied of the safety of the same. JAS. H. DICKSON.

We are prepared to fill all Orders at short notice, for every description and variety of Lamps, &c.

All persons are cautioned against infringing upon the above patent, as the law will be rigidly enforced against all offenders.

C. & D. DuPRE.

June 26th, 1855. 45-tf.

NOTICE.

THE Books of Subscription to the Capital Stock of Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherford Rail Road, are, by order of the General Commissioners reopened for 60 days, or until the sum of $500,000 is subscribed. ALEX. MacRAE, Chm.

May 29. 53

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Philadelphia—S. K. 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.

HERRING.

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

NEW AND FRESH GROCERIES.

THE subscriber has just returned from the North with a choice variety of Groceries, Wines, Teas and Liquors; Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce; John Bull Sauce; English Pickles, of every variety; Preserves, Jellies and Confectionaries; Fruits, Brandy Peaches, Brandy Cherries, Boker Bitters, Catsups, of all kinds; Layer Raisins, whole, half and quarter boxes, extra; Figs, Dutch Head Cheese, Preserved Ginger, Bouche and, Starr Champaigne, of the finest grades; Old Government Java Coffee; Rio, Laguayra and St. Domingo do.; 100 boxes A. M. Candles, cheap; 1 pipe of that Extra Crescent Brandy, from Custom House, Wilmington; 50 cases Extra Claret Wines; 10 barrels fine old Rye Whiskey, for retail; Madeira, Sherry, Port, Muscat, Scuppernong, and every variety of Liquors, on retail; Patent Sperm, and Sperm Candles; Bay Rum; Colgate's and Fancy Soaps; Hiram Smith's Flour, in bbls., half bbls. and bags; Vermacilla, Macaroni, Currants, Citron, every variety of Nuts; Rasberry and Cherry Syrup, by the gallon; Mackerel, Salmon, Corned Beef, Beef Tongues, Smoked Beef, Y. Powders, Extracts, Oils, Stuffed Olives, something new; Anchovies, Sar lines, Fresh Lobster; Fancy Baskets; Key Baskets; 20 cases old Dry Madona; Buckwheat; extra Goshen Butter, and everything that constitutes a well-selected stock of Groceries. Wholesale and retail, at the Original Grocery.

March 31. GEO. MYERS.

THE SMITHSONIAN HOUSE,

BROADWAY, CORNER OF HOUSTON ST.,
NEW YORK,

ON the same block with the Metropolitan Hotel and Niblo's Garden, and two blocks above the St. Nicholas Hotel, and offers to travelers SUPERIOR ACCOMMODATIONS in the heart of Broadway, in immediate juxtaposition to the other first-class houses and places of amusement, at moderate rates. The house has all the conveniences in vogue, and is conducted on the EUROPEAN PLAN of lodging-rooms, at FIFTY CENTS and upwards to $3 a day, according to location, &c., and meals extra as ordered, at prices graded to suit both the economical and extravagant, the guests ordering meals at pleasure, and paying for only what is used. Travelers will find at the SMITHSONIAN accommodations of superior order, and can, if they choose, make their bills less by at least one-third than at other first-class Hotels, as conducted on the old system. For respectability, order, neatness, comfort and economy, the SMITHSONIAN shall make its mark on the times, and be worthy the patronage of the people.

SIDNEY KOPMAN.

March 29. 6-6m-c.

TURPENTINE STILL FOR SALE,

AT Leesburg, on the Wilmington and Weldon Rail Road. The said Still will run 12 bbls. Virgin Dip Turpentine. It has all the fixtures and appurtenances ready for immediate use. It is well located for business, and an active man could make money. Apply to

WM. A. GWYER.

July 10. 50

JUST OPENED.

THE largest assortment of Chemicals ever offered in this market, consisting in part of

100 lbs. Sugar Lead;
50 " Sulph. Zinc;
25 " Vallett's Mass;
500 ozs. German Quinine;
10 bbls. Epsom Salts;
15 bbls. Copperas;
25 lbs. Calomel;
30 lbs. Blue Mass;
3 carboys Spirits Nitre (fff);
3 " Agua Ammonia, (fff) and a number of other Chemicals, from the Laboratories of Powers and Weightman, Chas. Ellis & Co. For sale by C. & D. DuPRE.

June 5. 36

FRESH FROM NEW YORK.

PER SCHR. W. H. SMITH.

25 BBLS. L. L. & A. Stuart's C. Yellow Sugar;
25 bags best old Gov. Java Coffee;
200 " Table Salt;
5 hhds. of prime Yellow Sugars; low for cash, at GEO. H. KELLEY'S.

April 3. J., H., N. C. T. & Sp. Age copy. 8.

CLOSING ACCOUNTS.

PREPARATORY to making a change in my business, on the 1st of July next, I have commenced the closing of my books, and will thank my friends to render what assistance they can to my Clerks or Agents in making settlements, as every account upon my books must be closed by that time. J. M. ROBINSON.

May 17. 28

EMPIRE CABS.

RECEIVED this day. Those who have been wanting can now be supplied at

L. N. BARLOW'S,
June 16. No. 3, Granite Row.

SPIRIT BARRELS.

A FEW hundred superior large sized Spirit Barrels now landing. For sale by

July 14. RUSSELL & BRO.

FOR SALE.

3,000 BUSHELS T. I. Salt;
3,000 " Corn;
1,000 Empty Spirit Barrels. Now landing.

July 17. RANKIN & MARTIN. 53

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., shal secure the highest market price.
Dec. 13 115-tf

J. D. LOVE,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
CABINET FURNITUKE,
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.
WHOLE SALE AND RETAL DEALERS IN
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oil, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfumery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c.,
MARKET STREET,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Prescription 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 accommodatiosa, 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

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.

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

LIME, LIME.

400 CASKS Lime, landing from schr. Village Gem, and for sale by
June 2. J. H. FLANNER.

THE KING AND THE COBLER.

A ROMANCE of Ancient Persia; by Austin C. Burdick. Just published complete. For sale at S. W. WHITAKER'S.

July 14. 52

WILL TERRILL.

OR the adventures of a Young Gentleman born in a cellar; by J. H. Ingraham, author of "Capt. Kyd," "Lafitte," &c. Just published. For sale at WHITAKER'S.

July 26. 57

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,
173 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 Br'ch Bank of the State. } Wil.
O. G. Parsley, Pres't Commercial Bank.
P. K. Dickinson, Esq.
Poppe & Co. } New York,
Doliner & 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, Geo. 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.

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.
(SUCCESSOKS TO THOS. ALIBONE & CO.)
General Commission Merchants,
No. 32, North Wharves, and 63 North Water Sts.
PHILADELPHIA.
J. HARVEY COCHRAN,
W. S. RUSSELL.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments.
July 30th, 1854. 59-tf.

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

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.

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

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 and vermillion lips become repulsive, if the latter, when they open, exhibit the horrible spectacle of neglected teeth. All who wish clean, white Teeth, healthy Gums and a sweet breath, should give ZERMAN'S TOOTH WASH a trial. For sale by

C. & D. DuPRE, Agents,
Sept. 30. Wilmington N. C. 84

PERFUMERY!

JUST received from New York and Philadelphia:

Gross Lubins's Extracts for the Handk'f;
do. do. Toilette Soaps;
do. Gleany 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. HARRISS, Medical Examiner, and Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

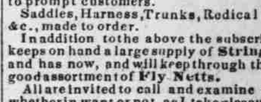
All Communications on business of the Company should be addressed to JAS. F. JORDAN, Sec'y.

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 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 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. 122-1y-c.

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 Ulysseus, 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 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