FATAL AFFRAY. We fearn that on Sunday night last, a quarrel arose between Mr. Reid, a Law Student at our University, and a man by the name of Cheek, living in the Village ed a chair to strike Reid, whereupon the gression.

In the p nto Cheek, killing him instantly. Mr. Reid was arrested and gave bail in \$2,500.

From the Whitby (C. W.) Reporter. FIRE AND LOSS OF LIFE. A fire broke out in the dwelling house of Mr. Richmond, Price Albert, on Saturday morning, which, we are sorry to record,

The flames had enveloped the entire building, before the inmates, who were all in bed, became aware of the fact, and terthe fury of the flames, with the instinct of self-preservation. When it was discovered that one of the daughters yet remained in the house, a young man, named Foley, who had stopped at Mr. Richmond's that night, dashed through the flames to rescue the sleeping girl; but, painful to relate, neither came out alive, both having met a rightful death in the destructive conflagra-

Daylight presented a frightful spectacle to the agonizing sight of the afflicted family, the charred trunks of two human beings, with the bones protruding through blackened flesh, being the only remains of those who but a few hours before, en oyed health and happiness among them, without a thought on the fate which awaited them so near. The circumstances are lered still more distressing by the fact that the young couple who thus met an ntimely end, were engaged to be married ing week, it is said.

The fire, we are told, occurred through arelessness in throwing some burning shes into a barrel in the back part of the

CHINA. HE COOLIB TRADE-WHOLESALE MASSACRE. The atrocities of the Coolie trade from hina have excited universal indignation, both among those who know they are generally the result of ignorant or brutal management, and others who understand nothng about the trade, and make no distinction between hired coolies who are treated as slaves, and voluntary emigrants who pay for their own passages. But all former instances have been outdone by a wholesale massacre, of which accounts

have just been received.

The horrible tale may be briefly told: The Waverly, an American ship of 750 ons, recently sailed from Amoy with 442 colies for Havana or Callao. The captain having died shortly after her departure, the first mate in command of the vessel brought her to Manilla, for the purpose of procuring another officer to take his place. On anchoring at Cavite it would appear the mate had alarmed the captain of the port about the sanitary condition of the ship, which prevented free intercourse with her; and as, beside the captain, one of the coolies had died, the prejudices of the Chinese were offended at the mode in which the burial was about to be conducted; or at some other unexplained treatment

of the dead bodies.

But the only explanation accorded to them was the mate's lifting a revolver and hooting down one or more of their number, the rest being driven without difficulbelow and made secure under hatches, without any precaution, or apparently any thought, about ventilation. The mate thereafter attended the captain's funeral, and spent the day on shore; and it was not until after midnight that the agents of and that he was a little hoarse. Miss Skinthe ship, who may till then have been flint, she bounced into her bed, crying out, maware how the matter stood, took alarm, "feathers is non-conductors!" Directly and insisted that the mate should then ascertain the state of his human freight; and there was a sound of folks runnin' down se, at two o'clock next morning, twelve stairs fit to break their necks. We were hours after the hatches had been put on, all makin' for the door to run too, when they were removed to discover that two hundred and fifty-one of the coolies were afraid to open, but at last Miss Saffron, lifeless corpses. Forty-five-more are missing, leaving only 146, of whom several a key hole. There we stood, shivering are not likely to survive.

The mate and crew have been imprisoned by the Spanish authorities, and it is said do you think it was? Why, nothing but that the United States consul declines to a poor, mean, good-for-nothing, deceitful take any cognizance of the matter. Oth- yaller nigger, wanting to know if we'd er coolie ships have recently left China under circumstances that afford ground for apprehension that they may not complete fint. "Ma'am," says he again, "Then," their voyages without disaster. In connex-says I, "what was that infernal howling ion with this subject (which has not hith- about, you great, stupid, silly nigger !"rto been treated as slave dealing) we may " That noise just now? oh, nothing but the ention that the Governor of Macao has gong, I reckon," says he, and the critter aprisoned two Portuguese subjects charged with buying Chinese girls, chiefly at couldn't tell, but from its voice we guessed n that the Governor of Macao has

China Mail, Nov. 15 THE PEACE QUESTION.

ye:—
There is no political news of important a Paris, however, although the Russian mark has produced but little impression to the with which it has been companied to the with which it has been companied to the creations. artike tone with which it has been commended by the London press has created pages is now declar decided sensation. Peace is now declared to be lurther off than ever, and with the exception of the frequenters of the Bourse, all seem to rejoice that the question should be once more placed is its real light, that form the deleterious influence of diplomatic fogs. It was cumored at the Bourse, to-day, that at the reception of the corps diplomatique at the Tuileries on New Year's day, the Empgror expressed to the Neapolitan Ambassador his regret at the unfriendly attitude of his men on the jury who are opposed to hanging.

SPECIAL MESSAGE OF GOV. WISE. On Thursday Governor Wise sent the following special message to the Virginia

Gentlemen :- I hesitate to decide upor complying with the request of the Gover-nor and Legislature of Vermont and accompanying resolutions of that State " on so much of the Governor's message as re-

lates to Kansas." fensive to us, and unbecoming the intercourse and correspondence which should obtain between sovereign States in the same confederacy. They are designed to irritate public feeling upon a topic concerning which it is naturally and habitually sensitive and excited, and are calculated to impair the affection which should bind the people of the States together in national union. Extremely erroneous and false, in fact and in principle, they are not worthy of discussion. The time for discussing such unwelcome missives from State to

authors of such mischief have been remonstrated with in vain, and have been induced but to repeat outrages, to renew insults and at last to organize opposition to the constitution and laws, and to seize upon of Chapel Hill. It seems that Cheek rais- State and federal authority for further ag-

In the present posture of relations, we can but wait in calm, dignified and patient composure, either for the worst to come to the worst, or for a returning sense of patriotism, a reverence for the past, a sacred regard to law and order, a love of justice and of peace, to be re-awakened and to restore a sisterhood of States, its affection, its harmony, its glory and strength.

I therefore recommend that no action be had or taken on these resolutions by you. It is proper, perhaps, that they should be preserved only as State archives, in proof of the wrong offered us and of our forbearance, and this, respect for State sovereignror-stricket, each on awaking rushed from ty alone determine me to notice them as I do. They are but minor results of the same cause of apprehension and danger which has assumed a much more formidable phase, and now arrest the gravest attention of our country. The federal government is arrested in its operation, the representative branch of Congress is disorganized, and the representative principle itself is brought into disrepute by it at this very moment; and in such a crisis as this, we can hardly descend to look to its results upon a Vermont legislature and executive. Our attention is called to Washington city, not to Montpelier.

Parties, affiliated with those of Vermont who have sent to us these resolutions have grown so strong as to succeed in electing to Congress more than one hundred representatives to oppose a mere minority who are now defending the Constitution, and in withholding from that minority the support of thirty representatives more, chiefly of the Southern States; and the effect is that the House of Representatives cannot be organized, except upon terms subversive of the Constitution and Union; and the South is distracted and divided against itself. Is the design of the plurality disunion? Is the purpose of the faction division among ourselves? If so, it is time that all and all interests in our country should be aroused to a sense of the fact that the easiest step to disunion is a withdrawal of representation; and that the most potent cause to compel a withdrawal of representation is to disorganize, distract and degrade rep-

resentation. How long Virginia shall be kept waiting for organization on constitutional terms? how long she shall be kept waiting on disorganization, to avoid being put upon terms of dishonor or being exposed to danger? are questions for her people and her legislature to determine. For my part, I repeat the recommendation, of calm, collected dignity, and of patient and forbearing patriotism.

Wait! but be not wanting to yourselves and our posterity, I earnestly implore you.
With the highest respect,

Your obedient servant, HENRY A. WISE.

THE GONG. We find the following "rib-tickler" in Speaking of gongs, a trio of old ladies, delegates to the Womans' Rights Convention, lately stopped at the Burnett House, Cincinnati. They had never heard a gong, and we give Mrs. Trodwell's own description of it: "We hadn't been in our own room very long, till, jeminy, crimeny, of all the noises that ever did noise-growlin', bellerin', howlin', screenhin', and thunderin', all rumblin' up in one infernal muss of a sound? We thought the day of insurrection had come, sure enough, all were awfully frightened. Miss Saffron vowed that it was Gabriel blowing his last trump, the all-fired howlin' thing shut up, and then something knocked at the door. We were with fright-just at this minute the door opened, and what in the name of floogins po, for the purpose of exporting them it was some astonishin' savage beast they wana; in short with slave dealing. had tamed and let run loose about the house to skeer decent people out of their

> POLES AND HUNGARIANS. The Emperor Alexander has ordered a pecial court to be formed at Kieff, for try-Poles and Hungarians. The former to be punished according to the militay law of the country, but the latter are to delivered over to the Austrian authori-

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osiness, and is directly opposite to, I of the Ticket Offices, of the Wilming-elden and the Contral Rail Road Com-

permanent boarder.

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Will be richly furnished with the substantials, the danties and delicacies of the seasons, foreign as well as domestic markets will be rendered tributary to the constant supply, which will be served up in the best style, by orderly, obliging and well trained seasons. and well trained servants. THEBAR

State is passed. We cannot reason with the heads of fanatics, nor touch the hearts fatally bent upon treason.

From time to time, for many years, the authors of such mischief have been remonwell as to himself and his employer.

THE STABLES,
which are among the best in the State, have been placed in the keeping of a skillful and careful manager, who will always have under his care

the best and most experienced ostlers, and it will be among the chief cares of the proprietar to see that horses of his guests be well fed and thoroughly groomed
This entire establishment has been purchase and fitted up at an enormous expense, and it will be the pleasure, as, of course, it will be the inter-est of the subscriber, to render the House in every respect equal to any in the country. He there-fore trusts that a generous public will renew and continue the liberal patronage heretofore entended to this House, while under the care of its forme

proprietress, Mrs. Borden, who gained for it celebrity throughout the entire Union.

H. R. NIXON.

NOT DEAD.

THE "LIVE GIRAFFE" AGAIN! A New Era About to Dawn Upon North-Carolina.

At the constant and carnest solicitation of nearly every body, but especially the old acquaintan-ces of "ye Animal," we have been induced to promise, if "provender" enough can be accured, to trot that beast ont again to the gaze of all mankind, and the universal admiration of womankind during the first week in January, 1856.
"The Live Giraffe," while it was a neutral pa

per, while it grazed in its own green pasturage played with the girls and joked with the boys was the most popular sheet, animate or inanimate, that ever issued from a Southern press; and had it been content to have lived in its own native sphere, it would now have been the "Brother Jonathan" of the South. Such a result can but be evident to any thinking man; it was, indeed on the high road to fame and a most enviable distinction. But becoming fat, in an unlucky moment like the man who had grown "rich enough to ride an ass," and had therefore gotten above his fellows, the "Animal" leaped the bars of its accustomed field, and the next thing we heard of him, he, like a man turned politician from preacher, was pining for the good things of life, and no doubt, like the silly lamb of old that cluded the sight of the shepard, and -got into the thick woods which was found to be infested with wolves, he wished himself back in his old range. But the bars had been put another rail higher and he couldn't get back; besides, he had grown so lean that he could not jump. It is said that bought wisdom is the best in the world, if it dont cost too much. A mighty true saying; one in which there is more of truth than poetry or romance, and in view of this old saying and the Annimal's experience, his old friends need have little fear that he will at any time hereafter cut the same caper again. He'll w man that would intimate such a thin

The Live Giraffe will then be neutral. It will be devoted to fun, to the news, and literature. It will be made the vehicle of publishing many a thought to the world, funny, grave and instruc-tive, that would have wasted itself on the air "as summer roses do," but for its columns; it will seek every opportunity to turn grave and uninteresting matters into pleasant and agreeable incidents; upset all fil-natured humanity it meets with and mould it anew; expose all rascality wherever found, whether in Church or State— (that's promising a great deal) or in the social circle, and keep a strict watch on the press, literary, religious and political, and see that each

keeps its bounds. The cilizens of Raleigh know well enough the value of such a sheet, and would not do without it another year for half a million. Why, since the exit of the Animal from their borders, they have had more bad luck than was ever heard of before. More Trusts have been made, more liens been given upon property, more assignments made, more quarreling and fighting, more drinking of

liquor, more meanness generally, and more ill luck than ever was known at any period since the Now this is as plain as daylight, and the only remedy for such evils is to trot out the Animal again. So I think.

Now, this is the proposition I shall make to you. I want an assurance of your willingness to natronize the Animal, and to get that assurance I shall give you full opportunity to correspond with me and to send in all the names that can be se-

If 500 names can be secured, we shall have no fears o' the success of the Animal. He will soon grow fat when he begins to take exercise, and, then he can plead his own case, if not with eloquent words, at least with an occasional kick at It has been intimated to me that the connec

tion I sustained to the "Carolina Pennant" would injure the Animal since the "Pennant" had saddenly expired and left many of its subscribers in the suds. I have to say here, and I hope it will satisfy every body that I had no interest in the "Pennant." I wrote most of its Editorials for which I should have received something according to agreement but I did not. I have tried this co-business and it neither pays nor suits my genius. I want a broad hemisphere, a wide latitude, and nobody to divide with me in the spoils. Then, friends, we now understand each other. want you to send me your names between now and the first of January; if enough respond, the "Animal" will make his bow; if not, no harm done. TERMS: Two dollars per annum, payable on delivery of first number; two dollars and fifty

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The Annals of Southern Methodism, for 1855, will be a 12 mo, volume of not less than 360 pages, well printed, from stereotype plates, upon good paper. It will contain all available statistics in every department of the operations of the METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH.

The design embraces the Plan of Rpiscopal visi-tation; accounts of the secsions of all the Confer-ences held in 1:55, the appointments, numbers, &c; a summary of all reported revivals, notices of the dedication of new Churches; reports of College Commencements, with all else connected with our educational movements; a resume of our Mission-ary operations, embracing whatever seems of gene-ral interest in that department; the movements of the Tract and Sunday School Societies; whatever appertains to our publishing interests, with anappertains to our publishing interests, with announcements of all New Books published by our Concern, or written by Southern Methodists; what the Church is doing for the instruction of Slaves Historical and Biographical Essays; interesting personal reminiscences; and a miscellany of im-portant facts and incidents.

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It is believed, will be a fair and full daguerreotype of the progress of Southern Methodism.

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THIS DIGEST

Will be specially valuable as a Book of reference. To whatever question of general interest may arise in regard to the events of 1855, it is hoped that a satisfactory answer will be found in the Annals. While it is believed that the Ministers in our Church will desire copies as soon as they can be obtained, I have paid regard to the what I supposed the tastes of general readers. The older members of the Church will find sketches that carry them back to their earlier compeers, as in this de-partment I have not restricted myself to the history of the year, but have collected whatever has appeared during the year, which, as history and biography, preserves the memoirs of the olden time, and of the early men of Southern Methodism.
The work will be published at One Dollar a copy. Those who subscribe in advance, shall receive the first copies issued from the press. A gold dollar pasted in a letter can be sent securely and is preferable to bills of distant danks. Those of the banks in North and South Carelina will be as good as gold. In return a copy will be sent well wrapped and pre

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CHARLES F. DEEUS.

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THE WILMINGTON MALE AND FEMALE SEMINARY. WILL re-open on Monday, October 1st, at So-ciety Hall. The Board of Instruction will be the same as last session. For particulars, see school card, which will b issued a few days before commencing, and which may be found with Mr. S. Jewett, or Mr. Whita-ker. G. W. JEWETT.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY caution all persons from buy ing or receiving a certain draft drawn by J Snow dated Wilmington, N. C. July 5, 1855 upon M. Cronly, and accepted by him, in favor of Charles G. Jones, at thirty days after date for 82 175. The said draft having been obtained by fraud, this is to notify the public that payment of the sald draft has been stopped.

M. CRONLY. Wilmington, July 26.

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April 19.

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of all the steamboats now affoat on the Western
and Southern waters. The length, model, speed,
power, and tonnage of each boat, where and by
whom built, the name of the boat, with the trade
she is in. Also, the names of Captains and offishe is in. Also, the name of the boat, with the trace she is in. Also, the names of Captains and officers, her age, &c., &c. The Directory will contain a history of Steamboats and Steamboating on the Western waters, since the application of steam; also, a sketch of the first boat built for the Ohio river, with the name of the builder, commander,

cription of al the Steamboat Disasters that have occurred on the Western and Southern waters, beautifully illustrated, with a list of all those who beautifully illustrated, with a list of all those who have perished by their burning, sinking and exploding, on the Western and Southern waters.

The Directory will contain Maps of the Ohio, Mississippi, Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, White, Red, Onachita, Yazoo, and other rivers, with the; towns, and cities laid down, with correct distances also, many other river and commercial items of interest to the people at large. The book will contain the cards of the various United States mail boats, with the trade they are in, &c., &c. The Directory will also contain a complete list of all the rectory will also contain a complete list of all the responsible Steamboat Licensed Officers, their places of residence, &c., &c.; the new Steamboat Law, its requirements, with comments, showing wherein it hencfits the incompetent officer, and injures the competent officer, &c., &c., and all the important United States Supreme Court Steamboat Decisions up to date; the Rutes and important Commercial Privileges, Bills of Lading, important Decisions of the sarious United States courts, in regard to Freights lost and damaged, &c., &c; with many other things of interest.

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for six years been gathering together all the facts and items in regard to the numerous steamboat disasters on the Western and Southern waters, and now intends publishing them in book form.— The price of the work will be put at the low sum of One Dollar. Ten thousand copies will be issued for the boatmen; all others desirous of subscribing will have to'do so at once, as none will be printed

niess ordered in advance.
This work is destined to have a circulation of over eighty thousand copies, as the publishers are receiving large numbers of subscribers, per mail, from all parts of the country, daily. Some of the oldest boatmen, as well as most scientific men of the times, are contributors to the Steamboat Direc-

The Directory will be issued in October, and will e an ornament to the parlor as well as steamb at. By remitting One Dollar (post paid) you will receive a copy of the above work. All communications and letters should be ddressed to

JAMES T. LLOYD & CO., Post Office Building. Cincinnati, Ohlo July 17th, 1855.

WILMINGTON AND WELDON R. R. Eng'r and Sup'ts Office, W. & W. R. R. Co.

GOING NORTH. THE passenger trains over this road will, until further notice, run as follows: First (Express Mail) train leaves Wilmington at

to not procure tickets at the Stations.

Through ticke s to Baltimore \$12; to Philadelphin \$14; to New York \$15,50; to Washington, D.

C., \$11. Tickets will not be sold to a negro in person part of
Fulton Market Beef, Smoked Tongues, Dried Beef, Java, Laguira and Rio Coffees, Superior ground Coffee; best refined, pulverized and loaf Sugars; Young Hyson, Imperial, Gunpowder and black Teas of the most superior qualities; Chocolate, Cocoa and Broma; Nos. 1 and 2 Mackerel, in bbls., half barrels and kits; Cod Fish; nice scaled Herrings. In hermetically sealed boxes; Sardines, in half and quarter boxes; Buckwheat, in tregular way Trains will run as far north as may be the sold to a negro in person. Express Freight (by Accommodation Train) will be chargeed 50 per cent. extra; and such freight to go North must be at the Depot by 24 o'clock P. M., and marked Express Freight. Two freight trains per week will run regularly through to Weldon leaving Williams and Weldon on Mondays and Thursdays, alternately. One train will run regularly as far north as Goldsboro'. and in connection with the N. C. R. R., and two other trregular Way Trains will run as far north as may in connection with the N. C. R. R., and two other trregular Way Trains will run as far north as may be required, taking freight at all intermediate stations. A Flour Train will, from about the 20th of August, run rom Goldsboro', alternately, to Wilmington and Weldon, leaving Goldsboro' on Mondays and Thursdays—Wilmington and Weldon on Tuesdays er Fridays, reachidg Goldsboro' on Saturdays. All dues on downward freight must be said on delivery at Wilmington.

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CERTIFICATE. WILMINGTON, N. C., June 18th, 1854.

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

Jr. H. Dickson.

We are prepared to fill all Orders at short notice, for every description and variety of Lamps, &c.
All persons are cantioned against infringing upon the above patent, as the law will be rigidly enforced against all offenders.

C. & D. DuPRE. June 26th, 1855. GUNNY CLOTH! GUNNY CLOTH!! 20 BALES just received and for sale by T. C. & B. G. WORTH.

TO THE PUBLIC.—The undersigned will open, in a few days, at the store No. 55 Market street, lately occupied by Kahnweiler & Bro, as a Clothing Store, a rich assortment of WATCHES and JEWELRY of all descriptions. SILVER and SILVER WARE.

The undersigned will warrant every article if found otherwise. The gold and the

Also, keeps constantly on hand a first rate Watchmaker and Jeweller. Every article ordered will be manufactured here. As the undersigned has beer engaged and brought up in this business for the last 18 years, he feels confident of giving entire satisfaction, and at the shortest notice.

The patronage of the public is respectfully in vited. Please call and examine the stock.
L. Al.EXANDER.

50 BBLS. now landing from schr. Mary Isabella, from Baltimore. For sale by RUSSELL & BRO.

CHEESE. 100 BOXES N. Y. State and Dairy. GEO. HOUSTON.

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A in a few days, after many years of great nervous suffering, is anxious to make known the means of cure. Will send (free) the prescription used. Direct the Ray JOHN M. DAGNALL, No. 59 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, New York.

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Rspecially, who have become the victims of Sol ry Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit wh annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands young men of the most exalted talents and brill intellect, who might otherwise have entreneed tening Senates with the thunders of evoquence, The River Directory will contain a list and deswaked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with

> MARRIAGE. Married persons, or Young Men, contemplated marriage, being aware of Physical Weakness, Or ganic Debility, Deformities, &c., should immediately consult Dr. J., and be restored to perfect health.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. John-ston may religiously confide in his honor us a gen-tleman, and confidently rely upon hisskill as a physician.

ORGANIC WEAKNESS

Immediately cured and full vigor restored.

This dreadful disease is the pena ty most frequently paid by those who have become the victims of improper indulgencies. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understards the subject will pretend to deny that the power of Procreation is lost sooner by those failing into improper habits than by the prudent. Be ides being deprived the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged, the physical and mental powers weakened, nervous debility, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart, indigestion, a wasting of the frame, cough, symptoms of consumption, &e., A CURE WARRANTED OR NO CHARGE.

No Mercury or Nauseous Drugs Used.

Da. Johnston is the only regularly Educated Physician advertising to cure Private Complaints. His remedies and treatment are entirely unknown to all others. Prepared from a life spent in the Great Hospitals of Europe and the First in this Country, viz: England, France, the Blockley of Philadelphia, &c., and a more extensive practice than any other physician in the world. His many wonderful cures and most important Surgical Operations is a sufficient guarantee to the affilieted.—Those who wish to be specally and effectually relieved, should shun the numerous trifting imposters, who only ruin their health, and apply to him.

OFFICE, No. 7, SOUTH PREDERICK St., left hand side going from Baltimore street, a few doors from the corner. Fall not to observe his name and number, for ignorant triffing imposters, attracted by the reputation of Dr. Johnston, lutk near.

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 nervousnass, being slammed at sudden sounds, and bashfuness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.

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When the misguided and imprudent votary of DR. JOHNSTON.

THE passenger trains over this road will, until further notice, run as follows:

First (Express Mail) train leaves Wilmington at 6 o'clock A. M.

Reaches Goldsboro' at 10 A. M.

Arrives at Weldon at 1:30 P. M.

Second (Accommodation Mail) train leaves Wilmington at 4:30 P. M. daily. (Sundays excepted.)

Reaches Goldsboro'—to supp r—8:50 P. M.

Arrives at Weldon 1 at night.

GOING SOUTH.

First Train leaves Weldon at 12:00 M.

Reaches Goldsforo' at 3:20 P. M.;

Arrives at Wilmington 7:30 P. M;

Second Train leaves Weldon at 9:00 P. M.; daily

(Sundays excepted.)

Renches Goldsboro' 1:10 A. M.;

Arrives at Wilmington 5:40 A. M.

Fare to Goldsboro' \$2,50; to Weldon \$5 About one cent per mile extra is charged passengers who do not procure tickets at the Stations.

The supplementary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an fill-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 threat, diseased nose, noctural pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, doafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose tall in and the victim of this assertion, 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 and the victure of the most plant and the victure of the most plant and the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall in an of the victure of the nose tall i Dr. Johnston pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable secrety; and, from his extensive prac-tice in the first Hospitalsin Europe and America, he can confidently recommend a safe and speedy cure to the unfortunate victim of this horrid dis-case. It is a melancholy fact, that thousands fall victims to this dreadful complaint, owing to the un-skilfulness of ignorant pretenders, who, by the use of that deadly poison, mercury, ruin the constitu-tion, and either send the unfortunate sufferer to an untimely grave, or else make the residue of life mis

> TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE, Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences.
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> These are some of the sad and melancholy effects, produced by early habits of youth, viz:—Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Palus 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.

tion, &c.

Mentally — The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings. Aversion of Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude. Timidity, &c. are some of the svils produced.

Thousands of persons of all ages, can now judge what's the cause of their declining health. Losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale and emaclated, have a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.

Married Persons, or those contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness. should immediately consult Dr. J. and be restored to perfect health.

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DR. JOHNSTON'S INVIGORATING REME-DR. JOHNSTON'S INVIGORATING REMEDY FOR ORGANIC WEAKNESS.

By this great and important remedy weakness of the organs are 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 frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible and destroys both mind and body, should contain the mediately.

Should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connebial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a wear; pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

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