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WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 15, 1856.

MISCELLANY. "ALABAMA BILL."

A GAMBLER'S FATE.

Alabama Bill' was a man of about fifty years of age-tall, powerfully built, with a deep set, black and piercing eye, wl ich, inded by heavy, dark eye brows, gave to is features a simister and wicked expression. He was a native of the State of Al-ahama, but had passed a large portion of of his life in the city of Mexico, gambling, where he received the sobriquet of 'Alabama Bill' An expert monte dealer, and an fuit in all the finesse of the game, he amass. ed a considerable fortune; but, being of a roving disposition, he visited Rio de Jane-rio, Valparaiso, Lima, and other South American cities, and landed in Colifornia with but a lew thousand dollars left. It was a dark and rainy day, in the winter of '50. A large number of persons was congregated around the monte-table of 'Alabama Bill,' in the Eureka, at H----Bar, on the Tonlumne river. An old miner, by the name of Harris, was betting heavily. He had commenced playing ear-ly in the morning, with bad luck, and already hundreds of dollars had passed from his pockets into Bill's Banks

The old man was seated at the end of the table, slightly, intoxicated, with one hand resting on a large bkckskin bog, containing several thousand dollars, the other grasping nervously a half filled glass of whiskey. Not a word was spoken as the game went on. Hairis hail two thousand dollars 'staked' on a carl, as he watched ing nearer and nearer. Soon they would well up, and his tail out so stiff that you with eager looks, the motions of Bill, who, be upon him, and then what could be hope ini. ht have hung a hat on it. "Steady! without the least excitement visible on his cold, stern features, slowly drew off the ful death-to be hung from the nearest double-barrel all ready to pick off the bob-cards. cards.

"I've won this time!' exclaimed Harris, as his card turned up first. 'My luck foremost amongst them, he recognized the to advance, at which signal Brag jumped has turned now, and I'll get back all I've tall, rough-looking man, who first informed forward and commenced a hot chase after lost, and more, too, before I'm done with Harris that he had been cheated. They an old toad. you.

A slightly perceptible sneer was the on-ly re ly of Bill, as he leisurely changed his deck of cards, and proceeded to shuffle them.

'I'll bet four thousand dollars, the king beats the six,' suid Hatris, as a new 'hy out' was made, placing his bag of dust on the king "There's nothing like pre-sing most with superhuman efforts, against the muscular powers. Considerable coaxing, one's luck."

The crowd of bye-standers looked silent. for life. He did not gain an inch-his fold that straight tail of his, and commence invite the attention of gentlemen of taste to its

pidity, and would evidently, from appear. One of the most elegant descriptions the inces, outsing them and escape. He heed. reader ever read, if it were cut out and put PATENT OURONOMETER ENGINE ed not the loud cries for vengeance which rang out from the excited crowd behind him. His object was to cross the river, for their manufacture! As the sun wa reach a thick wood opposite, and then, at ded by its shade and the darkness of the night, which was fast approaching, to elude them. He was gaining on his pursuers; the distance between them grew wider and tight by at iron chain, at one end of which wider, and he already imagined his escape the pointer was nearly jumping out of his was certain, when a noise smole upon his skin in his vain endeavors to get at the ear more terrible than the loud cries of poultry, which were burrying, clucking,

these following him. It was the roar of water. The heavy rain had swellen the river to a tremendous ding, crowing, ducking, quacking, flutter-ing out of the way in every direction. As rain had swellen the river to a tremendous height, and as he turned a bend in the fast as Ratskin unwound the dog's chain, road the boiling torrent rushed foriously a- the brute would make another circle, com-

long a few yards in front of him. The bridge had been swept away!— Then, for the first time, a cry of anguish we write it ? he "footed" that unimal sebroke from the lips of the murderer, as he verely.

ri-mee

"You're too game-by about a poultry saw his only chance of escape cut off -- | On both sides of him was a high, perpen yard!' Take that I and see if you will dicular bank, impossible for a human be- meddle with any more old hens." At this ing to ascend before him a roaring flood Ratskin let go his chain, and allowed a uver which there was no egress; behind little extension of his right leg in the direchim, twenty merciless men, who were now non of his dog. "To heel, now !" Brag fast gaining on him. Madly he rushed followed pretty well through a cornfield; it from one side of the road to the other, endeavoring to find some place in the steep a change from brick walls and back-alleys, bank by which to escape. It was vain ! and as long as he was frightened he be-He rushed to the very edge of the river. haved well. Through the cornfield Ratsas if to throw himself into its boiling cur- kin struck into a ten-acre stubble field, and rent; but his courage failed him-that at once hied on Brag to beat the field up was certain death ! Wildly he stretched wind. The dog behaved well, going over out his arms towards the opposito shore, the ground from right to left and back a-

gain very thoroughly; suddenly he stopped, crept along slowly with head down a few On came his pursuers, their shout growsteps, and then came to a point, his stern for? Nothing but a horrible and disgrace- ste-a-dy!" said Ratskin, as he came, his

rose. Ratskin waved his hand for the dog Now they turn the bend in the road and discovered his position-the bridge his on- "That's the ticket, is it? You're a game ly means of escape, gone-and send forth dog! Try that again, and see what, will

cry of defiance, threw himself into the ri- ishment to the "well-broken pointer," at the His pursuers stopped and gazed with symptoms of a wish to retire somewhere, awe at the strong man, as he struggled al- anywhere out of the reach of Ratskin's swift current. It was a desperate chance however, induced the dog to once more un-

conclusion of which, Brag gave evident

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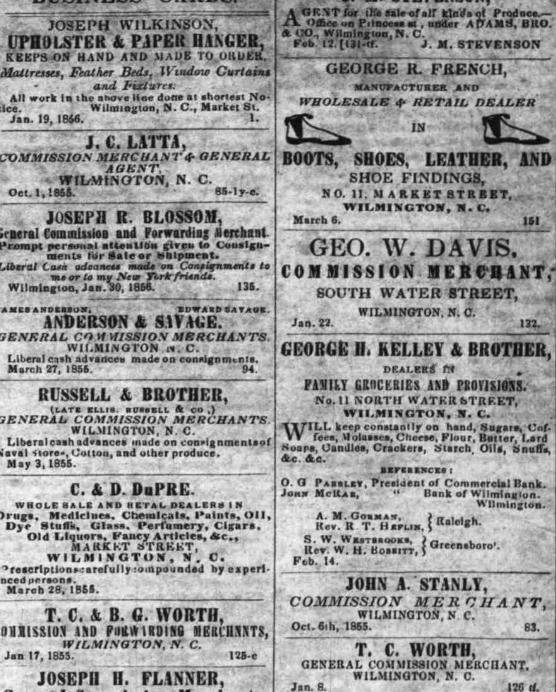
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Jan. 17. S. W. WHITAKER'S. THROUGH BY EXPRESS. A ND just opened, a few cases Geni's Soft French Felt Hats, new styles and colors, at he Emporium. SHEPARD & MYERS. the Emporium. March S.

Oct. 1, 1855. WILMINGTON, N. C. JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM, March 6. General Commission and Forwarding Merchant Prompt personal attention given to Consign-ments for Sale or Shipment. Liberal Case advances made on Consignments to me or to my New York friends. Wilmington, Jan. 30, 1856. 135. ANDERSON & SAVAGE. AMES ANDERSON WILMINGTON, N. C. Jan. 22. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. WILMINGTON N. C. Liberal cash advances made on consignments, March 27, 1855. 94. DEALERS IN RUSSELL & BROTHER, (LATE ELLIS. BURSELL & CO.) GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. WILMINGTON, N. C. WILMINGTON, N. C. Liberal cash advances made on consignments of Naval Stores, Cotton, and other produce. May 3, 1855. REFERENCES : C. & D. DuPRE. WHOLE SALE AND RETAL DEALERS IN WHOLE SALE AND RETAL DEALERS IN Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oll, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Perfumery, Cigars, Old Liquors, Fancy Articles, &c., MARKET STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C. Prescriptionscarefully:compounded by experi-A. M. GORMAN, Rev. R. T. HEFLIN, Raleigh. Feb. 14. March 28, 1855. JOHN A. STANLY. T. C. & B. G. WORTH, WILMINGTON, N. C. Oct. 6th, 1855. COURISSION AND FORWIRDING MERCHANTS, Jan 17, 1855. T. C. WORTH, 125-e JOSEPH H. FLANNER, Jan. 8. General Commission Merchant, WILMINGTON, N. C. May 9th, 1855. 87-1y-c. W. G. MILLIGAN, MARBLE MANUFACTURER, NORTH WATER STREET. WIRMINGTON. No. Ca. Monuments, Toombs, Head and Foot Stones, and all kinds of Marble Work furnished to order on reasonable lerms. JAS. H. CHADBOURN & CO., 150. Jeneral Commission Merchants. WILMINGTON. N. C. JAS, H. CHADBOURN. GEO. CHADBOURN. Jan. 1, 1856. 123. 1856-OUR "SPRING STYLE,"-1856. June 5. WE WILL OPEN our Spring Style of Gent's Dress Hat, on Wednesday the 8th inst , and JNO. D. ASHTON, HENRY NUTT. ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW, FACTOR AND FORWARDING AGENT. SHAWNEBTOWN, Illinois. Will practice his profession in the twelve Judi-cial District and Supreme Court, and United States Willgive his personal attention to business entrust-ed to his care. Sept. 8, 1855. Court for Illinois, Sept. 27. GEORGE MYERS. Hat and Cap Emporium. REVISED CODE OF N. CAROLINA. WHOLESILE AND RETAIL GROCER E. NACTED by the General Assembly at the set of sion of 1854, together with other Acts of points and General character, passed at the same seesion. The Constitution of the United States, &c., &c. Price J. An 12.
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S. W. WHITAKER.
MAYE this day associated my brother Oliver, who must he General Grocery and Commission business. The firm will be GEO. H. KELL EY 188 (f. 1000). The state of the suband or sing of the second of the general or single second of the suband or single second of the ENACTED by the General Assembly at the sion of 1854, together with other Acts Keeps constantly on hand, Wines. Teas. Liqu Propisions, Wood and Willow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, 4c. South Frontstreet, WILMINGTON, N. C. 109. Nov. 16, 1855. GEORGE HOUSTON, DEALER IN Groceries, Provisions, and Naval Stores ; COMMISSION MERCHANT. VESSEL AND FORWARDING AGENT. WILMINGTON, N. C. 60.1 Aug. 2. . DOLLNER. G. POTTER JF. J. CAMERDEN DOLLNER, POTTER & CO. COMMISSION MERCHANTS, April 30, 1855. 20-1y. L. N. BARLOW, Feb. 5. GEO. H. KELLEY 138 (f. WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER AND DEALER IN LIQUORS WINES ALE PORTER 4 LIME, HAIR, PLASTER & CEMENT. CONSTANTLY on hand, and for sale by GEORGE HOUSTON. No 3, Granite Bow, Front Street, WILMINGTON, N. C. Feb. 17th, 1956. 140-tf. PROSPECTUS S. M. WEST, OF THE RAIL ROAD TIMES. AN INDEPENDENT JOURNAL. Devoted to News, Internal Improvement, Educa-tion, Agriculture, Manufacture 4: Com-merce. We construct the interests of the People of the day, devoted to such topics, will be the kind the day devoted to such topics, will be the kind the day devoted to such topics, will be the kind the day devoted topics, will be the kind the day OF THE RAIL ROAD TIMES. Anctioneer and Commission Merchant, WILMINGFON, N. C. WILL sell or buy Real Estate and Negroes at W a small commission. ALSO: Strict attention givents the sale of Timber, Tur-pentine, Tar, or any kind of Country Produce. Office second door, South side of Market street, on the wharf. June 12, 1855. 33-1y. ADAMS, BROTHER & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS. aged. INTERNALIMPROVEMENTS.-To this subject as fait statement of the various operations will require the the various operations will require the various operations to our publishing interests, with an our second the various operations to our publishing interests, with an our second the various operations to our publishing interests, with an our second the various operations to our publishing interests, with an our second the interests of the State. EDUCATION.-fit is a source of regret to all there is doing for the instruction of Sinses the close to omuch neglected is proposed to party polities, &c., that this grees the various and the devote to this subject, a portion of the subject, a portion of sinses of the subject, a portion of the subject of the sub WILMINGTON, N. C. July 28. JANES 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, Col-ton, 4e., 4c. March 30, 1855. 6. March 30, 1855. D. CASHWELL, COMMISSION MERCHANT, WILMINGTON, N. C. Sent. 30. COCHRAN & RUSSELL. (SUCCESSONS TO THOS. ALIBONE & CO.) General Commission Merchants, No 32, North Wharpes, and 13 North Water Ste. PHILADELPHIA. appearance about the time the cara reach this place HARVEY COCHEAN, appearance asset from the East. TERMS.—The Times will be printed weekly in Greensborough. N. C., on new material, and con-tain as much reading matter as any paper in the State, for \$2 per ausum in advance. E. W. OGBURN, C. COLE . s. susselb. Liberal cash advances made on consignments 58-tf. HOOPER, DEARBORN & CO., C. C. COLE. J. W. ALBRIGHT. COMMISSION MERCHANTS. WILMINGTON. N. C. Nov. 6. OPER. J. L DEARBORN. WM. L. HOOPER JUST OPENED. July 28. THE largest assortment of Chemicals ever off ed in this market, consisting in part of ADAMANTINE CANDLES. 10 ins market, consisting i 100 lbs. Sugar Lead; 50 ** Sulph, Zine; 25 ** Vallett's Mass; 500 ozs. German Quinine; 10 bbis. Rpsom Salts; 15 bbis. Copperas; 25 lbs. Caloinel; 20 lbs. Blos. Mass; 40 Boxes No. 1. Adamantine Condies. just re-ceived and for sale by ZONO H. GREENE. Feb. 5. N. E. RUM. 25 fbs. Calomel; 30 ifs. Blue Mass; 3 carboys Spirits Nitre (fff); 3 " Agas Ammonis. (fff) and a sum bar of other Chemicals, from the Laboratories of Powers and Weightman, Chas. Filis & Co. For male by C. & D. DuPRE. June 5. 20 BBL ., for stle by GEO, HOUSTON COFFEE.



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ly on, as the dealing continued. The six woo!

I've lost,' said Harris; 'that devilish six a voice cried out : is beat me. Give me some more whis-

A glass two-thirds full was handed him, charged at the struggling man. which he drank at a draught.

king and queen on the table.

claimed he; there's two thousand dollars down the s'ream over the rough crags and kin, "now for it 1 "Steady ! steady !" But more in that bag, and here's a specimen rocks. Those on shore watched it unti it Brag couldn't keep steady, seeing that he which weighs ten ounces. I bet it all on was out of their sight, and then slowly left was drunk with wild excitement; at the the spot ! the king; if I lose that, I am broke.'

a slow and careless manner, as though the sum at stake was but a few dollars. Not mane miners enclosed it in a rough coffin, covey of quails, and before he could bring so with Harris. His frame was agitated with excitement. Rising from his seat. of the river, and placed a rule slab at the into a thicket that a rat could hardly crawl and leaning partly over the tuble, he head, with the simple words, 'ALABAMA through. watched anxiously the motions of the dea., BILL-A GAMBLER'S FATE.'

The king lost!

'Ha! ha! I'm broke!' he laughed, and he staggered out into the middle of the

cards in a small box, lighting a cigar, leaned back in his chair.

Harris went up to the bar, called for an-other glass of whiskey, drank it, and then arned and went towards the dcor.

did?' replied Harris, turning around and although incited to movement by the strong facing him. "I've a right to lose my own pull at the end of the chain, and the toe of money, haven't 1 ?'

'Oh! certainly,' answered the other, coolly, 'provided you lose it fairly.

"Fairly !" exclaimed Harris, 'do you pretend to say I didn't lose my money fairly ? never budged ; whereapon, Ratskin, who he two speakers.

"Certainly,' said the tall man, with the the hind legs and nape of the neck. "b'ist-nost imperturbable coolness, the pulled ed" him out at the rate of a mile a minute wax cards on you'

exclaimed Harris, hoarsely; and he went yelling out, "keyihl ki yih!" he pat off up towards the table.

conversation, betraying not the slightest e. Brag finding he couldn't distance his pur motion, although a keen observer might suer, crouched down as if he was going to have seen, as Harris approached, his hand sink into the earth, and waited for the grasp the handle of a small pistol, con wrath to come. Up "it" came, grabuled caled in one of his pantaloous' pock-

'Look here, sir, you cheated me-you

must give me back my money ' 'You canno! touch one cent of that money,' said Bill, coolly pointing to the bank.

of the crowd, the sharp report of a pistol. cision, Ratskin reached his house, tied the and old Harris fell to the floor a corpset dog up in the woodshed, fe him and west struck, and made no effort to arrest Bill.

streng h began to ful him-already he be- quartering the field again. He behaved

There was a loud shrick, a wild toss point, more straight tail, his eyes nearly 'There's that cursed king again, he ex- upwards of the arms, and the body of the claimed, as the dealer gracefully threw the inurderer sank beneath the muddy waters. out of his head with excitement, and net-vous trembling in the dog's whole body; a A few seconds after it rose to the surface, beautiful sight. "The king always beats the queen," ex. with its face turned upwards, and floated

sound of Ratskin's voice he made a rush, The next day, a mutilated corpse float- and up flew-a meadow lark I and as Rats-A strange expression flashed across the features of Bill, who drew the cards off in ed ashore a few miles below the Bar. It kin at the sight lowered his gun, "Whir-trr-

Such, in brief, was the note given to Jim Ratskin, by the stage-driver, with one hand, while at the same time with the other, he "I say old fellow, yon got broke, didn't you?' said a fall, rough looking man to him, as he staggered past. " hauled away on a chain, at the end of which Brag made dead weight. The dog, finding that stage riding suited him, "And what business is that to you, if I refused to come out from under the seat. a passenger's boot at the end of his tail. 10 BAG s superior, for sale by GEO. HOUSTON. "You come out of there, now !" shouled

Ratskin to the dog, in a tone of voice very well unapted to keep him in. The beast The crowd now began to collect around was of a very impulsive nature, at once jumped into the stage, and seizing him by

HERKKING'S FAIR PREMIUM FIRE PROOF No sooner had Brag touched the ground. "Then. I'll have my money back again? than, putting his tail between his legs, and the road as tight as he could spin. Rats Bill sat quietly smoking during this kin was after him like chain lightning, and WORLD'S FAIR PREMIUM FIRE PROOF SAFEs," as the **CHAMPION SAFE OF THE WORLD.** HAVING SEEN AWARDED MEDALS AT BOTH THE wrath to come. Up "it" came, grabbled World's Fair, London, '51, & Vew York, '53 the dog's chain, and led him off home, solil s sup rior o all other- It is now, and abtedly,

anizing: "You're a well-broken dog; ain't you.

GIKEN BLACK, Nus. 135, 137 & 138 Water H.

Ware. JUST RECEIVED Flour, &c., &r., All of which may be found at the corner of Mat 15 KEGS New Lost WHISKEY. JUST RECEIVED from Cinciana ti. "direct." J POURTEEN BARRELS RECTIFIED WHISKEY: For sale at the lowest prices for CASH, by W. L. S. TOWNSHEND. Cet. 13. Cot. 13. CIGARS! CIGARS! ! JUST RECRIVED, 50,000 choice Havans Ci-gara, for sale by C. 4 D DuPRE, Wholesale Druggista, 45 Market st. Oct. 13. speed towards the river. Then came a fearful race between the pursued and the pursuers Bill being a tall and powerful man ran with great ra-of tone of voice. It was a September day. Herald and Journal copy. CASH, by GEO.'MYERS. 日本 11日本 11日本市

streng h began to fail him-already he be- quartering the held again. He behaved to the production of this Hat for Spring and gain to be borne down by the waters, when so well for a few minutes, that Ratskin's summer wear, having selected the materials from voice cried out: 'Shoot him? shoot !' Instantly a dozen revolvers were dis-

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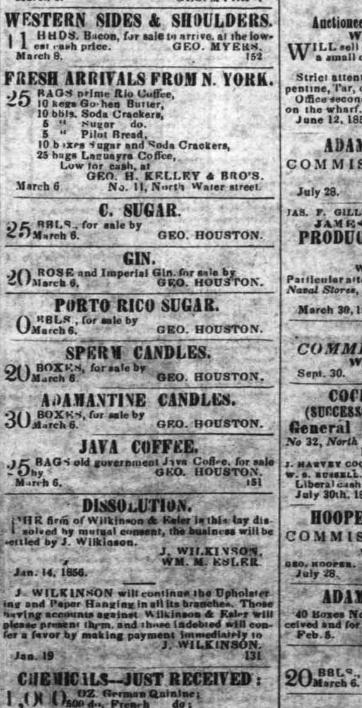
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"You miserable wretch!" said Ratskin, letting fly a clod of earth full swing at the dog; "is that the way you work? A game dog! Game be hanged! You've got the 'game twang' one way—you've been kept too long! Get out of this!— Shoo-o-o!" and the dog, quickly seeing which way the wind blew, and feeling ety of the choicest Groceries, and at the lowest possible prices for cash. At the Original Grocery March 8. GEO, MYERS,



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you in short, order I see, with one eye you ain't worth your salt Yon're made "We'll see about that,' said Harris, and as he spoke he seized hold of the bag of dust which was still in the Bank." You we litevilled, you had better say. No matter, I'll give you a "Stand back! He's going to shoot!" cried triat, my mind's made up to condemn you w rol voices. There was a hurried rash beforemand " And with this impartial de-

dog up in file woodshed, fe him and west So quick and unexpected had been the up to read his friend Jumper's note at his deel that the bye-standers were horror. leisure Ratskin lived where quais whistled, grouse drummed, woolcock bored, and

who, as soon as he discharged his pistol leaped over the prostrate body of Harris. and fied out at the door. A few seconds the terrified crowd gazed on one another; then there was a loud. T, TRGE, well relevand and unried ages rime of Generatives, comprising a fresh lot of Charges, Proserved Lard, Parkle 1,() () OZ. German Quinline do ; Fresh Meats. Tip and Wooden 50 lbs. Calomel : 20 du. Syr, Iodid Iron ; 25 do. Bius Mass ; 50 do Vallett's Mass ; 50 gattons Sp'ts Nitte ; long and wild show, and twenty men rushed out after the munilerer, who was darting along the road with lightning kin was up, determined to give the quails A FULL supply of Java, Laguages and Rio Cof-fee, for sale by GEO. HOUSTON. March 6, 151

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room, the crowd making way for him on either side. Bill coally placed the bag of dust in the bank, and made another '1-y out,' but as there were no more betters, he placed the cards in a small box, lighting a clear than a size of the source of the source

JULIUS JUMPER. Yours, &c.,

both barrels after him, as an accelerator. mentally adding, "that's the way I'll shout over you !" And the last seen of the "wellbroken pointer," he was on his way to town at a breakneck rate, evidently disgusted with the way they hunt in the country. "He was too game a dog, by hulf-a curl for anything but a parade dog," said Ratskin in his note to Junper.