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## Professional and Business Cards.

JAMES E. KEA,
*SURGEON DENTIST,*
*Corner of Market and Second Streets, up Stairs,*
WILMINGTON, N. C.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE WISH of many of my former patrons and friends, I have determined to resume the practice of Dentistry, and have secured the elegant rooms of Dr. K. Spencer, and had them thoroughly refitted, adding a larger Laboratory for the manufacture of Artificial Teeth with all the modern improvements, thereby competing with any Dental establishment either North or South; and in order more effectually to meet the wants of the community, I have secured the association of Dr. E. Perkins, whose testimonials of character and skill at once entitle him to the confidence and patronage of the public. The rooms are now open. Call and have examinations made and advice given free of charge.

June 12, 1857.—41-1m

C. POLVOGT,
Upholsterer, Princess, between Front & Water Sts.,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

KEEPS constantly on hand SPRING, HAIR, MOSS, COTTON, SHUCK AND STRAW MATTRASSES AND PILLOWS, which he offers wholesale and retail cheap for cash. FEATHER BEDS, CHAIR CUSHIONS, LOUNGES, made to order. SOFAS and CHAIRS reupholstered at short notice and moderate prices.

April 24, 1857 34-3m*

ALFRED ALDERMAN,
INSPECTOR OF NAVAL STORES,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Will give prompt attention to all business in his line.
Feb. 20th, 1857 25-1y

JAMES O. BOWDEN,
INSPECTOR OF NAVAL STORES,
April 4, 1856.—[31-tf.] WILMINGTON, N. C.

GEO. W. ROSE,
CARPENTER AND CONTRACTOR,
June 17 WILMINGTON, N. C.

S. M. WEST,
AUCTIONEER and Commission Merchant,
219-tf Wilmington, N. C.

JOSEPH L. KEEN,
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, respectfully informs the public, that he is prepared to take contracts in his line of business. He keeps constantly on hand, LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER, PLASTERING HAIR, Philadelphia Press BRICK, FIRE BRICK.

N. B. To Distillers of Turpentine,—he is prepared to put up Stills at the shortest notice. [May 20—37-1y

WILLIAM H. LIPPITT,
WHOLESALE and Retail Druggist, and Dealer in Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Window Glass, Garden Seeds, Perfumery, Patent Medicines, &c. &c., corner of Front and Market street, immediately opposite SHAW's old stand, Wilmington, N. C. 5

W. B. McKOY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCER AND FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, SOUTH WATER STREET, 6 doors below Market.

☞ Particular attention paid to the sale of Naval Stores and other produce.

☞ Liberal advances made on consignment.

LAW NOTICE.

M. B. SMITH. DE BRUTZ CUTLAR.

MESSRS. SMITH & CUTLAR, Attorneys at Law, will henceforth occupy an office directly opposite the Court House, in Wilmington, and practice in co-partnership in the county of New Hanover.

Mr. Smith would inform his clients in the adjoining counties, that Mr. Cutlar will act for him whilst absent on the circuit, and can always be found at the office.

July 25, 1856.—tf

WILMINGTON MARBLE WORKS,
Wilmington, N. C.

W. G. MILLIGAN, Proprietor, respectfully informs the public, that he is prepared to make and put up to order—Marble Monuments of all sizes, Tombs, Head-Stones, Furniture Tops, Mantles, Hearths, &c., of the best quality of American or Italian Marble, not to be surpassed in style or workmanship, and as cheap as can be procured from any establishment in the country, North or South.

Iron Railing—50 different styles for inclosing family lots, from 75 cents to $10 per foot, furnished and put up to order.

N. B.—Orders from all parts of the country, accompanied by the cash or satisfactory reference, will receive prompt attention; and all articles warranted to be as recommended, or no charge made.

Nov. 23d.—[12-tf.

NEGROES WANTED.

THE SUBSCRIBER IS IN MARKET FOR A number of likely Negroes, MEN AND WOMEN, BOYS AND GIRLS, for which the highest cash prices will be paid.

Those having such property to dispose of will find it to their advantage to call on the subscriber, at Wilmington.

DAVID J. SOUTHERLAND.
June 27th, 1856. 43-tf

LOOK UP YE DISCONSOLATE.

ANY PERSON who may be suffering with any thing of a Cancerous nature, will find me at my residence, twelve miles west of Society Hill, Darlington, South Carolina. If I do not effect a cure, my services and board will be gratuitously bestowed. I will attend to any call until the 15th of June, thence will decline until the 15th September; my object is to secure safety to the patient. I reserve the second week in March, which time I may be found at the Rock Spring Boarding House, Wilmington, N. C.

J. O HALE, M. D.
Jan. 16th, 1857. 20-1y

$50 REWARD.

RUNAWAY from the Subscriber, about the first of July last, a Mulatto man named "DICK," about twenty-four years of age, five feet eight inches high, stout built, has rather a down look. He is supposed to be lurking in Dog-Wood Neck, All Saints Parish, South Carolina, where he formerly belonged to Mr. Montgomery.

The above reward will be paid for his return to me or his lodgment in any jail so that I can get him.

JAMES DARBY.
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 24th, 1856. 66-4t—13-tf

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY FOREWARNED from trespassing, in any manner, on my lands in Columbus county, N. C., under the penalty of the law.

Sept. 20, 1855.—3-tf A. C. DICKENSON

TO MILL OWNERS AND OTHERS.

THE SUBSCRIBER TAKES THIS METHOD OF INforming the public that he continues the Mill-Wright and Machinist business in their various branches. Foundering, Framing, erecting Water or Steam Mills, erecting and fitting up engines and their necessary machinery, Hotchkiss water wheels, centre discharge wheels, Barker's wheels, over shot wheels or under shot, or breast wheels, or any other water wheels in use, Circular or upright Saws, Grist Flouring Mills, Bolting Reels, Elevators, Smut Machines, Horse Powers, Corn Crushers, Cotton Gins, Corn Shellers.

On application I will order and erect any of the above machines or any other in use. I have an experience of 13 years and have several experienced workmen in my employment. I am versed in the various improvements.—Those wishing work done in the above line would do well to give me a call. I return my sincere thanks for the liberal patronage received heretofore.

For further information address the subscriber at Pollocksville, Jones county, N. C. D. B. JOHNSON,
Sept. 26th, 1856. (4-1y) Mill-Wright and Machinist.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE SEAT OF WAR.

THE subscribers having erected a STEAM SAW MILL in the county of Duplin, N. C., near Strickland's Depot, are prepared to fill bills of any kind or quality that can be got out of long leaf pine. They would respectfully solicit a share of patronage from the public generally.

TAYLOR, LINTON & CO.
Jan. 11th.—[19-1y.

FLOUR! FLOUR!!

100 BBLS. Family, Super, Cross and Fine. Low for cash, at GEO. H. KELLEY & BRO'S.
May 15.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
DUPLIN COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.—April Term, 1857.

George Smith and others, vs. Kitty Kornegay and others. } Petition for sale of Slaves for Partition.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that George W. Kornegay, —— Hines and wife Zelpha, two of the defendants in this case, are not residents of this State; it is therefore ordered, that publication be made in the Wilmington Journal, a newspaper published in the town of Wilmington, in this State, for six successive weeks, notifying the said defendants to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in Kenansville, on the third Monday in July next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, to said petition, otherwise the same will be heard exparte, and judgment taken pro confesso as to them.

Witness, John J. Whitehead, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the third Monday of April, and in the eighty-first year of our Independence. A. D. 1857.

[Pr ad $5 75—39-6t] JOHN J. WHITEHEAD, Cl'k.

RALEIGH PAPER MILLS.
Rags Wanted.

TO BE DELIVERED AT THE RAILROAD STATIONS or at my warehouse in Raleigh, or they will be taken from the different stores in the State. Merchants and others buying rags will please advise me when they have a quantity on hand, or will send them to their nearest Railroad station, as I can still afford to pay the highest price in cash on delivery from store or at Railroad station, either in bank bills, checks or Northern funds.

Reference—Cashiers of our Banks in Raleigh, and the principal North-Carolina and Virginia Merchants.

C. W. BENEDICT.

N. B. Constantly on hand paper suitable for Cotton Factories and newspaper wrappers. Cotton waste wanted.

C. W. B.
March 20th, 1857 29-6m.

## Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, &c.

JUST RECEIVED.—10,000 lbs. White Lead, Pure, Extra and No. 1; 1,000 lbs. Black Lead, in Oil; 1,000 lbs. Venetian Red, in Oil; 1,000 lbs. Yellow Ochre, in Oil; 25 bbls. Blake's Fire Proof Paint; 40 bbls. Silver's Plastic Paint; 10 bbls. Linseed Oil; 5 bbls. Lamp Oil; 5 bbls. Common Oil; 5 bbls. Machinery Oil; 400 lbs. Chrome Green, Dry and in Oil; 200 lbs Chrome Yellow, Dry, and in Oil.

A full assortment of PAINTS always on hand and for sale, wholesale and retail, by W. H. LIPPITT,
Nov. 1 Druggist and Chemist.

1,000 BOXES Window Glass, assorted sizes and brands, for sale at Manufacturer's prices, by
WM. H. LIPPITT, Druggist and Chemist.

200 OZ. Sulph. Quinine 10 bbls. Epsom Salts; 1 cask Cr. Tartar; 1 cask Sup. Carb. Soda; 50 lbs. Seidlitz Mixture; 10 lbs. Rochelle Salts; 50 lbs. Gum Opiumt; 50 lbs. Gum Guaiacum; 1 bbl. Gum Camphor; 500 Black Pepper; 300 Alspice; 50 lbs. Calomel; 50 lbs. Nutmegs; 25 lbs. Iodid Potass; 50 lbs. Mace; 10 lbs Sulph. Potass; 100 lbs. Rhubarb; 50 lbs. Ipecac.

For sale wholesale and retail, by W. H. LIPPITT,
Feb. 23.] Druggist and Chemist.

OILS! OILS!!—Just Received a fresh supply of Linseed, Train, Lard, Fish, Elephant, Whale and Sperm Oils. For sale by W. H. LIPPITT, Druggist and Chemist.

## Schools.

OLIN HIGH SCHOOL.

THIS institution, located in the North-eastern part of Iredell County, N. C., will re-open its exercises on the 22d of July, under the Presidency of the Rev. B. Clegg, assisted by accomplished teachers.

Board and Tuition will range from $55 to $65 per session of five months. Tuition always in advance.

Those coming from a distance will find Salisbury a convenient point to obtain conveyance. Arrangements have been made with W. B. Grant, Proprietor of the Mansion House, for the convenience of Students. For further information, address Rev. B. CLEGG, Olin, Iredell County, N. C.

June 26th, 1857 43-6t

GLEN ANNA FEMALE SEMINARY, THOMASVILLE, N. C.

THE undersigned has made such arrangements with this Seminary that he can greatly aid, by loan, such parents as desire to educate their daughters for teachers. While he will not confine himself to any class, he will give the preference: 1. To the daughters of Ministers, local or travelling, of all denominations. 2. To such as will secure one or more paying pupils for the Institution. Board, exclusive of washing and lights, $6 per month. English tuition from 8 to 15 dollars, per session. Ornamentals at reasonable prices—Satisfactory references required. ☞ *Situation wanted for Female Teachers.*☜ For further particulars address,

W. J. LANGDON, Wilmington, N. C.
June 19th, 1857. 42-4t*

MAGNOLIA MALE INSTITUTE.
E. W. ADAMS, A. M., President.

THE NEXT SESSION WILL OPEN ON THE 6TH of July.

TERMS PER SESSION:

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| Primary English, | $6 00 |
| Do. do. Grammer Geography and Arithmatic, | 8 00 |
| Advanced English, | 13 00 |
| Classical and Mathematical Course, | 18 00 |
| Board, | 8 00 |

Regulations of the School are the same as heretofore. Address the principal.

M. K. DEVANE, Pres. Board Trus.
Magnolia, Duplin Co., N. C., June 12, 1857.—41-5t*

WAYNE FEMALE COLLEGE.

THE FALL SESSION OF THIS INSTITUTION will commence on Thursday the 16th of July, 1857, under the following Faculty:

Rev. S. M. FROST, A. M., President, and Professor of Ancient Languages and Mental Philosophy.
W. F. ALDERMAN, A. B., Professor of Mathematics and Natural Science.
L. F. WHITAKER, Esq., Professor of Music.
Miss ....., Assistant in Music.
Miss J. E. GILBERT, Teacher of French, Drawing and Painting.

Expenses per Session in the College department, for Board and Tuition.....$70 00
Expenses per Session in the Preparatory Department, 60 00

This Institution has recently been entirely re-organized. The College property has been purchased by a new company; a new charter has been obtained, with the above names; and the Institution is now placed upon a sure and permanent basis.

The health of the pupils the past year has been excellent. For Circulars giving further information address

S. M. FROST, President.
Goldsboro', N. C., June 1, 1857.—41-4w

SELECT MALE SCHOOL AT OXFORD, N. C.

THIS SCHOOL, which hitherto has enjoyed a high degree of prosperity, under the conduct of J. H. Horner, A. M., by whom it was originally established, will be reopened on the 15th of July, and arranged to prepare boys for advanced classes in the University.

For this purpose, Prof. A. G. Brown, whose reputation is well known as a teacher of the Ancient Classics, during the last thirteen years, at Chapel Hill, will be associated with the present Principal, and Rev. T. J. Horner will continue to be an Assistant Instructor.

The School, as thus organized, is designed to be permanent, and of the highest grade. As it is divided into a few classes, pursuing a regular course of studies, considerable time will be devoted to examination and lecture upon the subject of every lesson by each instructor in his own department.

Important advantages have been secured by the establishment of a literary society, with its library, and an efficient system of discipline, in which especial attention is given to the habits and deportment of the young men, when not engaged in the immediate duties of the School.

Its location is very eligible; the climate of Oxford is excellent, and the commodious building, lately erected, stands on an eminence in a beautiful grove beyond the corporate limits of the town, and near the residence of the Principal, and other private families, who will accommodate the students with board.

Two terms of twenty weeks each, coinciding with those of the University, compose the scholastic year, and the price of board and tuition is ninety dollars a term.

Applications should be made as early as practicable, accompanied with a statement of the age and proficiency of the applicant.

May 1st.—35-t15J.

NEW FEMALE SEMINARY.

THE TRUSTEES of the Kenansville Female Seminary, having erected during the past year a large, elegant and convenient Building, have now the satisfaction of announcing to the citizens of Duplin and the neighboring counties, that they have succeeded in securing, as principal, the services of T. Oscar Rogers, Esq., a graduate of the University of Virginia; an able scholar, and an experienced and successful Teacher.

He will be prepared to open the Seminary on Monday 26th January, and will be aided by a full corps of assistant Teachers, in all the various branches of a *thorough Female Education.*

The rates of Tuition will, in no case, exceed those in similar Institutions; and Board may be obtained in private families of the first respectability, and in the immediate vicinity of the Seminary.

The subscriber will attend to all applications made previous to the arrival of the Principal.

The Spring Session of the New Grove Academy, for boys, of which the Subscriber is Principal, will also commence on the 26th January. Address.

REV. JAMES M. SPRUNT.
Kenansville, Dec. 11th, 1856. 15-tf.

☞ Herald, Spirit of the Age and Newberne Express copy four times.

## General Notices.

WILMINGTON MARBLE AND STONE YARD.

THE subscriber having accepted the agency of several large establishments at the North, which will furnish him with no unlimited supply of finished or unfinished foreign or 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 of reference can be given if required.

March 10 1854—27-tf JAMES McLARANAN.

Coach and Carriage Manufactory—Clinton, N. C.

BOLD ROBIN HOOD respectfully informs the citizens of Sampson county and public generally, he, having recently been partially burnt out, has rebuilt; and his establishment is now in full operation in all its various branches. He is prepared to put up the PATENT SPRING BUGGY, having purchased the right for the county of Sampson; and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage. He warrants all his work to be made of the very best materials, and should any of it fail in twelve months with fair usage, either in workmanship or material, it will be repaired without charge. Persons wishing to buy would do well to call and examine for themselves, as he does not intend to be surpassed for style, elegance and durability.

☞ REPAIRING done in the neatest manner, at short notice. ☜ Mill Ink and Gudgeons, made and warranted for ten years, for $10.

Clinton, May 9, 1856—36-tf.

NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the County Court of New Hanover County, June Term, I shall, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of July next, at Simpson's Still, in said county, proceed to sell, at public auction, a tract of land belonging to the late Robt T. Henry, containing 108 acres, lying on the East side of Black River, and adjoining the lands of James Simpson, Mrs. Catharine Larkins and Joel L. Moore. Terms of sale, six month credit, with interest from sale, the purchaser giving note with approved security.

GEO. ALDERMAN, Adm'r.
June 19.—243-2t&43-ts.]

## General Notices.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. THOS. K. FINLEY offers his professional services to the citizens of Rocky Point and vicinity; residence at Mrs. Armstrong's.

June 26th, 1857 43-3t

FRESH ARRIVALS, per Schr. A. J. DeRossett, from New York:

50 boxes Colgate's No. 1 pale Soap;
5 bbls. Leaf Lard;
2 chests Imperial Green Tea;
1 chest Black "
25 reams Wrapping Paper. Low for cash at

June 26. GEO. H. KELLEY & BRO'S.

JONES' SULPHUR AND CHALYBETE SPRINGS,
Warrenton County, N. C.

THESE SPRINGS are situated in a healthful and pleasant section of country, 10 miles from Warrenton, and 13 miles from Henderson, at each of which places hacks may always be found, ready to convey visitors to the Springs—The climate is salubrious, as tested by an experience of eighteen years, and the accomodations, in all respects, good.—The establishment will be opened for the reception of guests on the 15th day of June, 1857.

TERMS,

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| For Board per month, | $30 00 |
| " " " week, | 10 00 |
| " " " day, | 2 00 |

For Children and Servants, Half Price

A daily mail will be brought to the Springs throughout the season.

June 26th, 1857. 43-2m

NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the Subscriber at the last term of Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of the County of New Hanover, on the Estate of Amariah B. Everett, deceased, all persons having accounts or demands of any kind against said Amariah B. Everett, are requested to present them within the time prescribed by law, and all persons indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to the Subscriber.

REUBEN EVERETT, Administrator.
June 13th, 1857 42-3t

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER having qualified at the last Term of New Hanover County Court, as Executor of Mrs. Mary Fairchild. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to her Estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred of a recovery.

J. R. CONEY, Executor.
June 15th, 1857 239-3t-42-3a*

LAST NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the late firm of HEYER & VONGLAHN, by note or account, are hereby notified that if payment is not made immediately, their claims will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

HEYER & VONGLAHN.
June 3.—229-2wd—40-1m.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP OF H. W. & L. G. GRADY, is by mutual consent dissolved, and H. W. Grady has removed his Steam Mill to 71 mile post, W. & W. R. R. Thankful for past favors, he hopes to share the patronage of all in want of Lumber. A considerable quantity of Red Oak Lumber can be procured here.

ALSO:

The Steam Mill in Duplin County, near Outlaw's Bridge, belonging to H. W. Grady & Co., is yet in operation, and besides being convenient for the immediate vicinity, we can deliver Lumber at White Hall, whereby persons up and down Neuse River can be readily supplied.

June 12, 1857.—41-tf

BANK OF WILMINGTON.

THIS BANK has declared a dividend of 1½ per cent. out of the profits of the last six months, payable on the 10th inst.

Interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum will be allowed on subscriptions to stock made after the 15th inst., till the next dividend. S. JEWETT, Cashier.

June 3d, 1857 229-1w-40-1m

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, administrator of Elizabeth A. Houston, deceased, will offer for sale, at the Court House door, in the town of Kenansville, on the 3d Monday of July next, the LANDS on which the deceased resided, lying from one to two miles east from Kenansville, containing upwards of 200 ACRES, 60 of which are cleared, and the remainder is well timbered and of very superior quality. There is a fine young Orchard, a good Dwelling and good water on the premises. The lands will be shown to any person desiring it by the subscriber or Mr. Richard S. Stanly, who resides near the premises. Six months credit will be given, good security will be required.

WM. J. HOUSTON.
June 12, 1857.—41-ts

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
DUPLIN COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.—April Term, 1857.

Bold R. Hood and others, vs. George Smith and others. } Petition for Account and Distribution.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Mary E. Grady, Sophia Grady, Curtis D. Grady, Juno Grady, and Martha A. Grady, defendants in this case, are not residents of this State; it is therefore ordered, that publication be made in the Wilmington Journal, a newspaper printed in the town of Wilmington, in this State, for six successive weeks, notifying the said defendants, to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in Kenansville, on the third Monday in July next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, to said petition, otherwise the same will be heard exparte, and judgment taken pro confesso as to them.

Witness, John J. Whitehead, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the third Monday of April, and in the eighty-first year of our Independence. A. D. 1857.

[39-6t—pr ad $5 75] JOHN J. WHITEHEAD, Cl'k.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
Duplin County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—April Term, 1857.

Bazil Burton and wife vs. Arthur Murray and others. } Petition to sell Slaves for Partition.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Arthur Murray, Herring Murray and William J. Pickett, defendants in this case, are not residents of this State; it is therefore ordered, that publication be made in the Wilmington Journal, a news paper published in the town of Wilmington, in this state, for six successive weeks, notifying the said defendants, to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in Kenansville, on the third Monday of July next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, to said petition, otherwise the same will be heard exparte, and judgment rendered pro confesso as to them.

Witness, John J. Whitehead, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the third Monday of April, and in the 81st year of our Independence, A. D., 1857.

[39 6t—pr ad $5 75] JOHN J. WHITEHEAD, Cl'k.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
Duplin County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.—April Term, 1857.

Bass Beaseley and others, vs. A. W. Carlton and others. } Petition to sell slaves for Partition.

IT APPEARING to the satisfaction of the Court that Lemuel Beaseley, John Beaseley, Hillory Beaseley, Bryan Beasely, and Austin Beaseley, five of the defendants in this case, are not residents of this State, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Wilmington Journal, a newspaper published in the town of Wilmington, in this State, for six successive weeks, notifying the said defendants to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in Kenansville, on the third Monday in July next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, to said petition, otherwise the same will be heard, *ex parte*, and judgment taken, *pro confesso*, as to them.

Witness, John J. Whitehead, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the third Monday of April, and in the 81st year of our Independence, A. D., 1857

JOHN J. WHITEHEAD, Clerk.
May 29.—39-6t. [Pr. adv. $5 75.]

MOLASSES! MOLASSES!!

300 HHDS. of superior NEW CROP CARDENAS MOLASSES, in new strong packages, now landing from the Bark Saranac, direct from Cardenas. For sale by

J. & J. L. HATHAWAY & CO.
May 15.—37-1m.

BACON! BACON!!

85 HHDS. OF PRIME NEW WESTERN BACON SIDES and SHOULDERS. For sale by

May 15.—37-1m. J. & J. L. HATHAWAY & CO.

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ASSOCIATED WITH ME IN the Hardware Business, in Wilmington, my son C. E. ROBINSON. The business will hereafter be conducted under the firm of J. M. ROBINSON & SON.

J. M. ROBINSON.
Wilmington, Jan. 1st, 1856

NOTICE.

TO THE DEBTORS AND CREDITORS of A. B. McCALEB deceased, late of the County of New Hanover. At the June Term, A. D., 1857, of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of the County of New Hanover, letters testamentary upon the Estate of A. B. McCaleb, deceased, late of said County, were duly granted by said Court to the Subscriber, who at the same time was qualified as Executor of the said deceased, in due form of law. All persons indebted to the Estate of the said deceased, are hereby notified to make immediate payment; and those having claims, accounts and demands against the Estate of the said deceased, are requested to present them for payment to the Subscriber, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred of recovery by virtue of the Act of General Assembly of this State, in such cases made and provided.

T. J. ARMSTRONG, Ex'r.
June 12th, A. D., 1857. 237-1w-42-4t

Correspondence of the Richmond Enquirer.
From Washington City.

*The Hail Storm—Gen. Walker among us.*

WASHINGTON, June 22.

*To the Editors of the Enquirer:—*

GENTLEMEN—Washington was visited yesterday with such a storm as is but rarely seen in this latitude. A heavy fall of rain, accompanied by rapid flashes of lightning, was soon converted into a terrific shower of hail. For nearly twenty minutes this blinding shower continued with unabated force.—The hail stones were of the average size of large walnuts, though many of them would have weighed as much as six or eight ounces. Thousands of windows were broken; gardens were completely ruined; the largest limbs were cut off from the trees, and the streets were carpeted with leaves. It is estimated that one hundred thousand dollars would not compensate for the loss sustained in Washington and the vacinity.

The past week has been a dearth of news. The discontented ones, instead of blaming the administration which will not act, have been quizzing the comet, which did not come. But, if we have not had the comet, we have had a personage no less conspicuous—the returned chief of Nicaragua.

During the stay of Gen. Wm. Walker in this city, we, infected with the mania for sight-seeing, were among the first to call upon him. Picture to yourselves a short compact man, with a figure squarely and firmly built, with muscles almost starting out from the skin, with a deep but wavering eye, and a face, so browned by the kisses of a Southern sun, that its original complexion can scarcely be distinguished, and you have a full, correct, and unmistakeable daguerreotype of Walker. His *physique* is an admirable index of his *morale;* it impresses one with an idea of efficiency, rather than of perseverance; of energy, rather than of the more lasting qualities.

He was not received with any very immense enthusiasm. His apartments at Brown's were, of course, a rendezvous for many warm friends; but there was no public reception, no honoring serenade, no welcoming oration. In other cities he has been met with flattering demonstrations; but the heart of the Metropolis was cold. He held no official communication with the General Government, unless a letter, intended for newspaper circulation, nominally addressed to Mr. Buchanan, may be termed official. If he came among us to lay his case before the administration, he has left his object unaccomplished.

We found him full of hope. He spoke cheerfully of the future, and traced to foreign interference the failures of the past. He said that history would avenge him, and that "the darkest page in the record of this century would tell that the government of the United States stood tamely by, while the secret influence of France and England were crushing out American enterprise on Nicaraguan soil."

We could but admire the man, so crushed, yet clinging so desperately to the last chance.

What will this giant, this conqueror of the impossible, this Aniæus, gaining fresh strength from every defeat, attempt now? He says that he will return, and that "from the burning houses of Punta Arenas, he will look forth upon vanquished Costa Rica." A few months will solve that problem. We have heard too much of that kind of thing to believe without the evidence.

Should he succeed in arousing the popular fury, for even a brief time, his project is far from improbable. A few hundred Americans in Nicaragua have shown what as many thousands could have done.—Walker expresses his doubts of the present administration, yet he declares his intention to die, if need be, in the service of the cause.

Would to God that he had died before he covered the glory of his triumphs with the ignominy of defeat! Napoleon at St. Helena, and Walker at Washington, are only different in degree; in kind, they are the same objects of pity.

When a fillibuster goes forth to win a country, whether from motives of private ambition or of public good, he must succeed or perish. He isolates himself from all ties of nativity; he can claim the protection of no fostering government; he is his own monarch; and he should be his own fate. William Walker, dead beneath the ruins of San Juan del Sur, would have left his memory as a monument of American valor, and his name as a rallying cry for American progress; Wm. Walker, alive amongst us, can claim no higher place than Kossuth, the beggar, and Koszta, the refugee. We cease to worship the myth, when we begin to criticise the man.

We have always sustained the course of Walker. Up to the last crowning act of his career, we were willing to believe that he was formed upon the Cæsarian model. But we remember now that Cæsar did not recross the Rubicon.

The agony is over; our eyes are no longer dazzled by the light of rapid victories; and we may calmly and dispassionately consider the subject, of which this man is a creation. Do such expeditions answer a good and just purpose? They are, to be sure, steps in the proper direction; but they are steps made in the dark, upon a slippery and unknown road. He who falls is a stumbling block to those who may come after him. Crabbe, in Mexico, has done more towards breaking the *prestige* of the American name, than all our failures of arms or diplomacy in that region.—He, too, instead of dying with arms in his hands, surrendered his followers to a cruel and barbarous enemy.

The great end—the bringing into this Union of Cuba, Mexico and Central America—is farther than ever from its accomplishment. This result alone will show how worse than useless, in a national point of view, have been the efforts of the fillibusters.—All this territory must necessarily be ours, whether by conquest, by treaties, or by purchase; and fillibustering, unless it attains this end more quickly than might be expected in the natural course of things, is, instead of being an impetus to our progress, a positive drag upon it. But, if these adventurers seek only their own private emolument—if, in their expeditions, they wish only to open fresh channels, through which the bad blood of the nation may run out—then are they entirely unworthy of that public attention, which they so fully engross. Then, indeed, do they deserve that treatment, which is meted out to disloyal citizens, who stand in the way of their country's interests.

As to the future of Walker, we will not attempt a prophecy. He has done so much, and so little, that he cannot be measured by any known standard. As heroes are now-a-days, he has in him many of the elements of a hero. We know that he has met with many unforeseen difficulties; but men, who set forth upon a career like his, must expect such difficulties, and be prepared for them. It is useless for him to complain now; his bravery in the past demands, at least, fortitude in the present. Should he return to Nicaragua—should he Americanize that country, and fit it to associate with American States—then, indeed, may he stand before posterity as a patriot. As yet, we have been compelled to take his motives on credit; let him not endeavor to renew the bond, unless he intends to pay it with ultimate triumph.

Yours, X.

SANTA ANNA'S LEG.—It is stated that a firm of celebrated manufacturers of artificial legs in Boston, have just received the leg belonging to Santa Anna, captured at the battle of Cerro Gordo. The firm are manufacturing an excellent specimen of the art for the general. The following is the inscription upon the captured leg: "Santa Anna's Leg, captured at the battle of Cerro Gordo, Mexico, by Sergeant Gill and privates Rhodes and Woodward, Company G, fourth regiment Illinois Volunteers."

The Wheat Crop.

Some of our agricultural friends have commenced harvesting their wheat, and we are pleased to learn that the prospect for a large yield is very fine. In truth, it is generally believed that there has not been for many years such flattering prospects for our agricultural friends. It is certainly much needed, for such a scarcity in Mecklenburg has not been experienced since we have been a resident of Charlotte. *Whig.*

From the N. O. Times.

Jos. Brenan and T. F Meagher.

Thomas Francis Meagher, in his journal, the Irish News, pays a graceful tribute to the generous and high manly virtues of his friend, Joseph Brenan. We would wish, as he intimates, that he would tell the story of his life as he had learned it. All that he or others could reveal would fall far short of the bright reality. One word in justice to our friends and fellow citizens, however, is required. They were not, they could not, be dull mutes, with "cadaverous looks and crape for such occasions," at the bier of our loved friend, Joseph Brenan. Is human nature turned to stone in Northern States, that Thomas Francis Meagher can think it possible that the brilliant spirit of one who never passed a day without shedding some new-born grace on the fair humanities of life, should be borne to the tomb with as much apathy as though he had been a miser. In the long cavalcade, that extended as far as the eye could reach, Mr. Meagher may rest assured there was not one hired mourner for Joseph Brenan. Not that any one there knew the great loss that they and the world sustained in the early death of the glorious poet, orator and friend; such truths have to be learned slowly and painfully; but that they sincerely lamented his loss, we cannot for a moment question

"Hardly had the grave closed upon one friend before the news came to us that another was forever gone. The same hour we knelt in Calvary Cemetery, this day week, and saw the clay heaped upon the remains of Patrick Lynch—in his last agony, away in the oldest city of the South, lay one of the brightest, gentlest, truest of the Irish exiles. Three days after, and he was dead.

In the midst of this overflowing sorrow—with these dark waves mounting higher and higher above all that we have held most dear—what heart have we to speak of the goodness, the genius, and all the rich hopes that have, in this last bereavement been struck down? What more can we do than fold out arms, bow the head, and in dumb grief dream of what we have known, loved and lost? With this theme before us, wiling would we lay down the pen, and write no more. Willingly yet mournfully, mournfully yet fondly would we be silent. Or opening our lips to speak, we would call around us the countless friends—the young, the old, the gallant and the learned—all those who, in various scenes, were brough in contact with our beloved friend, Joe Brenan, and from that contact were taught to regard him as a favorite brother.

The circle formed, we would tell them the story of his life as we ourselves have learned it. Sorrowfully but proudly we would tell it, for such a story is like to the picture of some battle field or wreck at sea, where, in the midst of much hardship, calamity, tempestuousness and anguish, there are vivid glimpses of the grace, the purity the heroice grandeur of life. And yet proudly as we would tell it, our words would fail to reach its height and unfold its buried treasures of song, manhood, tenderness, haughty love of country, dauntless hope and bold endeavor. It should be told in a lyric ode, and by a poet beautiful in his nature and divine in intellect as the author of the elegy of adonais.

"A poet should have a poet to recite the beauties, the sorrows, the tempests, and the pure glories of life, and there should gather round his bier, not the dull mutes who lend their cadaverous looks and crape for such occasions, not yet the rough and vulgar crowd who see no higher life beyond that which Pressmen chronicle, but,

Desires and Adorations
Winged Persuasions and veiled Destinies,
Splendors and glories, and glimmering Incarnations—
All he had loved and moulded into thought
From shape, and hue, and order, and sweet sounds.

"So let him rest to-day. To-morrow, when the mist shall have partially cleared off, and the scenes, through which we would retrace our steps with him, shall show themselves in a light less tremulous, it will console and gladden us to tell the story of our brave, young, gentle, loving friend, Joe Brenan."

Female Supremacy in Central Africa.

During Dr. Livingston's decent along the river Zambese he came chiefly in contact with the Bolonda negroes. On gaining a more intimate acquaintance with their social state, our traveler was specially struck with one prevailing peculiarity—the position, and even power of the women. As a rule, it has been found that heathenism deprives woman of her rightful status in society, and dooms her to drudgery and degradation. He was not prepared, therefore, to find amongst this heathen and very superstitious people the relative position of man and woman reversed.—That the woman should sit in the councils of the nation; that a young man entering the matrimonial state should be compelled to remove from his own village to that of his wife; and in forming this relation he should bind himself to provide her mother with firewood as long as the old lady lived; that the wife alone could divorce the husband, and that in the event of their separation, the children become the property of their mother; and that the lord of creation should be unable to enter into the most ordinary contract, or to perform the simplest service for another, without the sanction of "the lady superior"—were certainly indications of female supremac