POET'S CORNER.

Tempt me not to drink again.

O, tempt me not to drink,
For I have drank too deep ere now,
Till reason filled my aching brain,
And Beast was branded on my brow.

How oft for me the goblet's brim,
Hath sparkled with ambrosial wine,
Whilst 'neath its surface foul and grim,
Despair would whisper, Thou art mean!

Away, cursed thing, away!
I cannot longer bear the rod
Which all endure, who, led astray,
Have bowed them to the drunkard's god.

Long years have passed since I first fell
A victim to this wily foe;
What I have suffered none can tell;
How long alas! too many know.

Three boys upon the deep now roam,
The eldest scarcely yet two score;
They left a drunken father's home,
And may perhaps return no more.

Two sleep beside their mother's grave,
The happiest one of all the five,
And one remains for me to save—
If yet my daughter be alive.

I saw her—'tis not long ago;
Her brow, though placid, plainly bore
The impress of some hidden woe,
Where hope angelic beamed before.

Full well I know the secret grief
Which preys upon her breaking heart,
And what alone can bring relief
And bid e'en now despair depart.

Then tempt me not to drink again,
For I have drank too deep ere now,
Till reason fled my aching brain,
And Beast was branded on my brow!

God bless the Honest Laborer.

God bless the honest laborer,
The hardy son of toil,
The worker in the clattering mills,
The delver in the soil;
The one whose brawny arms have torn
From earth her hoarded wealth,
Whose sole return from ceaseless toil,
Is nature's boon—sweet health.

Bless him who wields the ponderous sledge,
Clad in his leathern mail,
That safe as warrior's panoply,
Guards from the seething hail,
That gushes from beneath the stroke,
Each mighty crushing blow,
Who seeks to lighten labor's toil,
Where rude the fires doth glow.

Bless him who turns the matted soil,
Who with the early dawn
Hastens to gather Nature's store—
And reap the yellow corn;
Who plants in Nature's bosom wide
The fruitful golden grain,
And gives it to her guardian care,
The sunshine and the rain.

Bless him who lays the massive keel,
Who bends the trusty sail,
That bids the ocean wanderer
Safe battle with the gale;
Who rears the tall and slender mast,
Whence floats to every breeze,
The stars and stripes of liberty,
A rainbow o'er the seas.

Bless him whose ribbed palace rests
Upon the heaving sea,
Who scorns the danger of the flood,
The breaker-guarded lea;
Who in the ocean-cradle sleeps
Calmly in storm-fraught hour—
Unfearing that his bark will quail
Before the tempest's power.

Bless him who gives each beauteous thought
A resting place, a name,
And twines its ancient glories
With the fadeless wreath of fame;
Who sends it forth on every breeze,
And bids it live to bless,
While ceaseless clicks the slender type,
And groans the printing press.

Bless all who toil. God's blessing rest
On them with double power,
Whose honest brow the sweat-drops deck
In every daylight hour.
Bless them, though poor, and may they win
What health can never gain—
Contentment with their lot on earth,
A balm for every pain.

Valuable Town Property for Sale.

THE subscriber, desirous of moving, will sell his House and Lot in Germanton, Stokes co., N. C. The house is a comfortable two story dwelling; two story brick kitchen, and an excellent well of water on said Lot. The Lot is beautifully situated, and contains about three acres. There are two excellent schools, Male and Female, in this place, in a very flourishing state. Persons wishing to educate their sons and daughters would do well to purchase. Good land can be had in about one mile from Germanton. Persons wishing to purchase and for further particulars address me by mail, or otherwise.
LEE K. GIBSON.
Germanton, April 23, 1856. 35—tf.

ON the first day of April, we will open, at 10 o'clock, a large and beautiful assortment of Mourning Undersleeves and Collars for Ladies—something entirely new.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
April 1, 1856. 32—

NEW GOODS.

THREAD LACE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, &c.—The Subscribers have just received from New York, a full assortment of the below named goods which have been selected with great care from the most recent importations, embracing all the newest styles of
Collarets and Sleeves, in sets to match
Chemizets and Sleeves, do do
Lace Collarets and Sleeves, do
Lace trimmed Collars and Sleeves, do
French worked Chemizets and Sleeves, do do
Lace trimmed French worked Collars and Sleeves
Embroidered Cambric, in sets to match
Embroidered Sets, on linen and linen cambric
Thread lace Collars and Sleeves to match
Mourning Sets, in both black and white
Embroidered Hdkfs, in great variety and new styles
Embroidered Skirts, for open dresses
Embroidered Swiss and Cambric Flouncing
Embroidered Dimity and Jaconet Bands
Muslin and cambric Edgings and Insertings
Real thread lace Berthas and Collars
Thread Laces and Edgings of all widths
Wide Black Laces for Flounces, &c.
Together with many other new and desirable goods adapted to the present and approaching seasons, such as—
Flounced Silk Dresses, in great variety
Flounced Organdies Muslins
do Jaconet Muslin
French Prints in Robes.
Flounced Barege Robes, a great variety
Chene Silks, striped and figured, new styles
Light plain Silks, for evening dresses
Colored Silk Illusions, do
Black Silks in every variety, &c.
All of which, together with a complete assortment of seasonable goods, both foreign and domestic, in fancy and staple, will be offered at the lowest prices to cash or punctual dealers.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
April 8, 1856. 32—

LIBERAL OFFER.

ANY person who will act as my agent and send six pupils to the 'Germanton Female Seminary,' shall be entitled to $50 in tuition, (or board and tuition if preferred.) Ministers having no daughters to send, will be paid the money.—This agency will only continue until the close of the present year. Address MRS. ANN ELIZA MAYS, Germanton, Stokes co., N. C. 26—3m.

L. S. PERRY,
DENTAL SURGEON,
RALEIGH, N. C.
References:
To the Faculty of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery.
Rev. Dr. Smedes, Raleigh,
Rev. Dr. Lacy, do
Rev. Mr. McDowell, do
Dr. Chas. E. Johnston, do
Dr. Fab. J. Haywood, do
Hon. J. H. Bryan, do
Prof. Owen, Wake Forest College,
Prof. Wingate, do do
Prof. Wheat, Chapel Hill,
Rev. Mr. Fitzgerald, Jackson.
April 4, 1856. 32—1y

GOLDSBORO' FEMALE COLLEGE.

THE next Session of this Institution will open on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1856.
The Faculty is admirably organized. The determination of the Stockholders is, to maintain a corps of teachers who shall be selected on the ground of superior qualifications. The new College edifice is advancing to its completion, and will be one of the most commodious and handsome buildings in North Carolina. Until that be furnished the Scholastic exercises will be held in the houses now standing on the College grounds, and the pupils will be boarded in excellent families, under the supervision of the President, and a few young ladies can be boarded in his family. The health of the village is good, and the school has just closed a prosperous session. For circulars containing all necessary information, parents and guardians will please apply to Dr. Closs, President of the College, or to the subscriber.
WM. K. LANE,
2 tf Pres't. of Stockholders

GEO. H. KELLEY & BROTHER,
DEALERS IN
Family Groceries and Provisions,
No. 11, North Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Will keep constantly on hand, Sugars, Coffees, Molasses, Cheese, Flour, Butter, Lard, Soaps, Candles, Crackers, Starch, Oils, Snuffs, &c., &c.
REFERENCES.
O. G. Parsley, Pres. of Commercial Bank; John McRae, Pres. of Bank of Wilmington, Wilmington. A. M. Gorman, Rev. R. T. Heflin, Raleigh. S. W. Westbrooks, Rev. W. H. Bobbitt, Greensboro'; Feb. 20. 8

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Raleigh, N. C.—This Company insures the lives of individuals for one year, a term of years, or for life, on the Mutual Principle, the assured for life participating in all the profits of the Company. For policies granted for the whole term of life, when the premium therefor amounts to $36, a note may be given for one half the amount of the premium bearing interest at 6 per cent without guaranty.
The prompt manner in which all losses have been paid by this Company, together with the low rates of premium, present great inducements to such as are disposed to insure.
Slaves are insured for a term of from one to five years, for two-thirds their value.
All losses are paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.
DIRECTORS.—Charles E. Johnson, Wm. Dallas Haywood, Jno. G. Williams, Quinton Busbee, H W. Husted, Wm. H. McKee, Charles B. Root, Wm. W. Holden, Wm. D. Cooke, R. H. Battle, Wm. H. Jones, P. F. Pescud and Seaton Gales.
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For further information, the public are referred to the pamphlets, and forms of proposal, which may be obtained at the Office of the Company, or any of its Agencies.
Communications should be addressed, (post-paid) to JOHN G. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Raligh, July 17, 1855. —1

SPRING GOODS FOR 1856.
At No. 29. Cheap Place,
(One door above R. Smith's Corner.)

I AM now receiving my Spring and Summer Stock of FANCY and STAPLE DRY-GOODS, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, BONNETS, &c., &c.—which I intend selling at Reduced Prices to punctual buyers who will pay when called on, and especially to those who buy with Cash.
I deem it unnecessary to enumerate articles.—My Stock is Large and well-assorted, and I want the money for them by the 1st of August next;—and to enable me to get it, I intend selling Goods a little cheaper for CASH this season than they have been sold in this market heretofore.
Some of our Newspapers are adopting the Cash system at lower prices; why not some Merchant follow suit. If the rule works well in one case why not in the other. But I leave this point for wiser heads to discuss. One thing however, I will say, and that is, I can sell Goods cheaper for Cash than those who sell on 12 and 24 months time; and to test this matter, dont take my word for it, but call and try, and I think I will be able to prove it to your entire satisfaction. Everybody call and see H. L. EVANS.

READ THIS!

All those indebted to the firm of Evans & Cooke or to H. L. Evans, must settle their Notes and Accounts. The subscriber cannot give longer indulgence. H. L. EVANS.
Raleigh, April 5, 1856.

COMMISSION HOUSE,
In the city of Petersburg.
DINWIDDIE GRIGG.
"Late Inspector West-Hill ware-house."

WILL receive on consignment Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, Cotton, Flour, and all other country produce.
CHARGES.—For selling each Hogshead Tobacco, $1; each bale of Cotton, 50 cents; all other Produce, 2 1-2 per cent.
Office—135 Sycamore st., Petersburg, Va.
Feb. 13, 1856. 1y.

TO WATCH MAKERS.—The undersigned having successfully carried on the Watch and Jewelry Business for twenty years in Louisburg, Franklin Co., N. C.; now offers his entire stock of Watches, Jewelry, Tools and Materials for sale, on favorable terms. Any person wishing to locate in the business, would do well to address me by letter, as the chance is one rarely met with for making money. All the particulars will be given by letter when requested. We would give employment, at good prices, for a few months, to one who may wish to purchase, thereby giving him a chance to judge for himself. N. B. WALKER.
Louisburg, March, 13. 29—6m

DR. ROSCOE HOOKER, A.M.

A Graduate of the University of North Carolina and of the Medical Department of the University of New York. After an extensive and successful practice of several years, has located in HILLSBORO'. His residence is that formerly occupied by DR. JAS. SMITH, opposite
NICHOLS' HOTEL.
He offers his professional services in all its branches to the public.
N. B. Dr. H. has given and will continue to give very especial attention to the diseases peculiar to WOMEN; in the treatment of which he has been very successful. 24—tf

THE LADIES are now informed that our beautiful Mantles, (in Colors & Mourning) are now open for inspection.
Also.—Paris Kid Gloves, Real Twisted Silk Mitts. Parasols & every varity of Fan.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
April 1, 1856. 32—

WANTS SUPPLIED.

IT is a conceded fact, that Mourning Dress Goods are always difficult to procure, to suit one's taste, and to remedy this, we have paid particular attention to this department.
This week, we have received our complete stock of the most desirable goods. Namely:
Black Queens Cloth—something entirely new.
Black Winter Bombazine; black summer Bombazine; black Canton cloth, back Bareges and Tissues; black and white collars and Under sleeves; black silk and Kid Gloves; black Ginghams and Lawns.
Ladies may be assured they can be suited, by calling on W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
April 12, 1856. 33—

THE Secret Art of Catching Fish, with or without hook and line; sent for 25 cts. Address Box 25, Forestville, N. C. 25—6w.

JOHN B. ODOM,
Commission Merchant
And Forwarding Agent,
McINTOSH'S WHARF,
NO 12, FAYETTE STREET,
NORFOLK, VA

SUPERIOR COTTON GINS.

THESE are the celebrated Georgia Gins, manufactured by Samuel Griswold, at Griswoldville, in that State. They are used in all the Cotton States; no other Factory having sold one half the number and they are universally acknowledged to be the best performing Gin in the Union.
Mr. W. J. Evans of Greenville, North Carolina, is my sole Agent in that State and Virginia, and will call on planters in time to supply all who need a new or a better Gin for the crop of 1856.
21—6mpd. SAMUEL GRISWOLD.

NEWBERN
Tin Ware Manufactory.

C. H. HART, Manufacturer of Tin, Sheet Iron, and Copper Wares, and Dealer in Stoves, Grates, Japanned Ware and House furnishing articles generally. Particular attention given to Roofing, Guttering and all kinds of Job Work in his line. Liberal discount on Tin Ware to Dealers.
Newbern, Nov. 6th, 1855. 11—tf

Just Published by the Howard Association, Philadelphia.

REPORT on Spermatorrhoea, or Seminal Weakness, Impotence, the Vice of Onanism, Masturbation, or Self-Abuse, and other Diseases of the Saxual Organs, with an account of the errors and deceptions of Quacks, and valuable Advice to the Afflicted, by GEO. R. CALHOUN, M.D., Consultting Surgeon of the Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa.; a benevolent Institution established by special endowment, for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with 'Virulent and Epidemic Diseases.' A copy of the above Report will be sent by mail (in a sealed envelope), FREE OF CHARGE, on the receipt of TWO STAMPS for postage. Address DR. GEO. R. CALHOUN, No. 2 South NINTH St., Philadelphia, Pa. 28—3m

PRICES REDUCED,
Scott's Little Giant Corn and Cob Crusher.

THE Parties owning the Right of Virginia, North and Ina, &c., in the celebrated Mill called the, "Little Giant," have constituted us Sole Agents for this city, for the sale of these mills.—Our sales of them during the past 12 months have exceeded 100, and the demand is increasing steadily.
We call particular attention to the fact, that on 1st instant, the prices were reduced $4 on No. 2, $5 on No. 3, $6 on No. 4.
We have added also, a smaller size mill to the assortment, designated as No. 1. This mill is sold at the *very* low price of $30 cash. The following is the present list of prices, capacity, &c.
No. 1 Mill, crush with one horse 7 to 8 bushels per hour, $30 cash, $32 four months.
No. 2 Mill crush with one horse 10 bushels per hour, $40 cash, $42 four months.
No. 3 Mill, crush with two horse 15 bushels per hour, $50 cash, $52 four months.
No. 4 Mill, crush with two horse 20 bushels per hour $60 cash, $62 four months
Orders accompanied with the *cash* or good city acceptance will recieve prompt attention. A large supply of all sizes, constantly on hand.
BORUM & M'CLEAN,
Farmers' Head Quarters,
mh. 25 (30) No. 1 wide water Street.

MOTTLEY & JASPER, Take this method of informing the citizens of Louisburg, and the State generally, that they have now made arrangements for doing all work in their line with unsurpassed neatness and despatch. Every variety of Brick and Stone work, Ordinary and Ornamental Plastering, Cornices and Centre-pieces, of the latest style and finish. Stuccoing of every variety of finish and coloring. Will do Paper-Hanging, and Mozaic paving. They are supplied with a set of faithful and experienced workmen, and flatter themselves that their prices will please the most economical. Orders from all parts of the State solicited.
P. W. MOTTLEY,
H. N. JASPER.
Louisburg, Jany. 14. 20—1y

ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE.—We are now receiving a large and well selected lot of Materials, suitable for WHEAT THRESHING MACHINES, from two to six horse power.—Straw Cutters, of different kinds and sizes; Factory and Mill Irons; Circular Saw Mills, Edge tools, &c., &c.; and having fitted up our shop anew with labor saving machines, and having in our employ hands that are fully competent, with our long experience in the business, we have no hesitation in promising the public, that our work shall be as GOOD, if not SUPERIOR, to any put up in the South.
Machinery will be delivered at Graham's Depot, on the North Carolina Central R. R., at very reasonable prices. Our shop is at Snow Camp P. O., in Alamance co., on the Gulf and Graham Plank Road. Any person wanting Wheat Threshers for the present season, would do well to send in their orders soon, and get a good Machine, at prices to suit the times. Thankful for the large patronage heretofore bestowed on us, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the public's favor.
All orders addressed to
DAVID DIXON, *Agent.*
Of the Snow Camp Manufacturing Co., Snow Camp, Alamance co. N. C.
March 25th, 1846. 31—3m.

NEW ESTABLISHMENT.
Raleigh Marble Works.
NEAR THE CORNER OF HARGET & WILMINGTON STS
All orders for Monuments, Head Stones or ornamental sculpture, of any description, promptly attended to and executed in the best style, at moderate charges. Call and see.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he is now opened a shop where he intends carrying on his business in all its various branches, and he will manufacture from the best *Italian and American* Marble, in the neatest and most approved style of finish.
N. B. All orders from a distance faithfully and punctually attended to. Address
THOMAS GRIER,
Raleigh, N. C.
November 16, 1855. 12—1y.

Schloss, Brother & Co.,

TAKE pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Raleigh, vicinity and the public in general, that they have changed their firm, by taking in a partner, Mr. M. GRAUSMAN, who will hereafter carry on the CLOTHING AND GENT'S FURNISHING STORE in all its branches. All orders will receive strict attention. Any garment sent for will be finished and forwarded to its destination within 8 days.
All sizes of Coats, Pants, Vests, etc., constantly kept up by our original Merchant Tailor Establishment of Joseph Schloss & Brother, corner of Light and Mercer Streets, Baltimore, Md.
Our Dry Goods shall and must be sold soon, as we are anxious to make our store a
REGULAR CLOTHING HOUSE.
Call and get Dry Goods at Cost, before we send them off to Auction Houses.
SCHLOSS, BROTHER & CO.
Raleigh, Jan. 29, 1856. 10—

SELECT MALE SCHOOL
Ridgeway Warren Co., N. C.

THE exercises will be resumed on Wednesday, 9th January, 1856, and close on Friday, 30th May following.
TERMS.—Board (exclusive of lights which will be furnished at cost) and tuition for the session, $75, payable half in advance, the other half at the end of the term, with a contingent fee of fifty cts. to defray the expense of firewood, &c., at the Academy. There are ample and comfortable accommodations for fifteen or eighteen boarders.—The location is healthy and easy of access, being immediately on the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, and the terminus of the Roanoke Valley Rail Road, and noted for its intelligence and moral excellence. The subscriber pledges himself to give every necessary attention to the health, morals and progress in learning of the pupils committed to his charge. This school offers peculiar inducements to the eastern section of N. C. and Va., and those interested are respectfully solicited to examine its claims to public patronage.
Address WM. H. BASS, A. M.,
Principal and Proprietor.
Dec., 1 1855. 14—

FOR BUSINESS MEN.—Suits of Cassimere and Marseilles, just received.
W. H. WILLIAMS, Agt.
April 16, 1856. 35—

RED CLOVER SEED.—One Barrel, best quality, received this day,
By H. D. TURNER.
Raleigh, March 1856. N. C. Book Store.

GREENSBOROUGH
MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

AT the end of three years, such has been the care and economy of the officers of this Company, that we are still free from debt; have made no assessments and have now such a large Capital in CASH and notes, that we have no hesitation in saying to the public, that there is no safer Company in the southern country. The most of the risks in this Company being in the western part of the State, where the danger from fire is much less.
At the last Annual Meeting the following officers, were elected:
JAMES SLOAN, *President.*
S. G. COFFIN, *Vice President.*
C. P. MENDENHALL, *Attorney.*
PETER ADAMS, *Sec'y. & Treasurer.*
WM. H. CUMMING, *General Agent.*
All communications should be directed to the Secretary free of Postage.
PETER ADAMS, Sec'y.
Aug. 1, 1854. 15—1y

SUNDRIES.

WE have in store and will sell at lowest market rates:
3,000 sacks Jeffrey and Darcy L. B. Salt;
1,000 do G. A. do.
100 bbls. Refined Crushed Sugar;
100 do Coffee;
50 boxes Loaf do.
200 bags Rio Coffee;
500 boxes Pale Soap;
250 do Brown do;
100 do Chemical Olive Soap;
250 bbls N. C. Gross Herrings;
250 do do Cut do.
Brooms, Buckets, Wrapping Paper, Twine, Sugar Boxes, Yeast Powders, Olive Oil, Chocolate, Candle-Moulds, Adamantine and Sperm Candles, together with all articles to be found in a wholesale Grocery.
A. M. McPHEETERS, & Co.,
WILL'S WHARF,
Norfolk, Va.
Particular attention given to sales of Flour and N. C. produce generally. Orders o Limes, Guanos, &c., filled at lowest.

OXFORD FEMALE COLLEGE.

THE next session will commence on the first Monday in January, 1856, and close the last Thursday in May. Oxford is 12 miles from Henderson Depot. For the accommodation of pupils wishing to go to Oxford, arrangements have been made to have a hack in constant readiness.
The expenses of this Institution, for five months, one half in advance, are:—
For reading, writing, with the first rudiments of Arithmetic, $10 00
English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, 12 50
Higher English, 15 00
College classes, (without any extra charge for the languages,) 20 00
Incidental expenses, per session, 1 00
Extra Expenses.
Music on Piano, $20; use of instrument, $3, 23 00
Guitar, do. do 23 00
Oil Painting, $15; and Painting in Water Colors, Pastel Painting, Grecian Painting, Drawing and Pellis work, *each*, $10 00
Embroidery and Wax Work, *each*, 5 00
Board, including fuel and lights, per month, 8 00
Washing, per month, 1 00
Musical Soirees will be given during each term.
T. T. GRANDY, Sec'y,
16—1y. Board of Trustees.

PIANOS.

PERSONS desiring GOOD PIANOS, directly from the makers, *warranted* as to tone and finish, can have them from any one of ten manufactories at REDUCED PRICES, by addressing the subscriber, who is a musician and a judge, and examines personally every instrument purchased before sending it away. Much of his time and attention is devoted to this species of trade, and having sent a large number to various sections of the country without the first complaint, he feels confident of giving entire satisfaction to all who favor him with their orders. The prices for *new Pianos* in perfect order, vary from $184, upwards. Any instrument sold by him not corresponding with his guarantee will be taken back and exchanged *free of expense.* Second hand Pianos in perfect order bought at from one to two hundred dollars. Harps, Guitars, Melodeons, books and every thing pertaining to schools and colleges forwarded on the best terms. Schools and teachers are allowed *ten per cent.* off from regular prices on all instruments; his permanent arrangement with the manufacturers enables him sell all instruments at greatly reduced prices. He refers to Hon. G. E. Badger, Gov. Morehead, A. M. Gorman and others.
Address JAMES M. EDNEY,
56 John St., N.
New York, Aug. 15, 1855. 51—

N. C. Mutual Insurance Company.

AT the Annual meeting of the North Carolina Mutual Insurance Company, held on the 19th ult., the following persons were elected Directors and Officers for the ensuing year:
DIRECTORS: Jos. G. B. Roulhac, H. D. Turner, Jno. R. Williams, T. H. Selby, C. W. D. Hutchings, James F. Jordan, James M. Towles, Raleigh; James E Hoyt, Washington; Alexander Mitchell, Newbern; Joshua G. Wright, Wilmington; John M. Jones, Edenton; W. W. Griffin, Elizabeth City; F. F. Fagan, Plymouth; W. N. H. Smith, Murfreesboro'; H. B. Williams, Charlotte; George A. Smith, Milton; O. F. Long, Hillsboro'; Joseph White, Anson county; Joshua Boner, Salem; A. T. Summy, Asheville.
OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY:
Hon. Chas. Manly, President.
Henry D. Turner, Vice President,
J. C. Partridge, Secretary,
John H. Bryan, Attorney,
J. Hersman, General Agent.
Jno. R. Williams, T. H. Selby, C. W. D. Hutchings, } Executive Committee.
This Company has been in successful operation over nine years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State, (except steam mills and turpentine distilleries,) upon favorable terms. Its Policies now cover property amounting to $4,500,000, a large portion of which is in country risks; and its present capital is Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds properly secured.
The average cost of Insurance upon the plan of this Company has been less than one third of one per cent per annum, on all grades of property embraced in its operations.
All communications in reference to insurance should be addressed to the Secretary, post paid
J. C. PARTRIDGE, Sec'y.
Raleigh June 13, 1855. 29—

JAMES M. EDNEY
56 JOHN ST.
COMMISSION MERCHANT
Buys and Forwards on the Best Terms,
Dry Goods, Groceries, Farming Implements, Books
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
CARRIAGES, FRUIT TREES,
OR ANYTHING ELSE THAT CAN BE HAD IN THE
CITY OF NEW YORK,
AT 2½ PER CENT. COMMISSION.
Refers to Hon. W. A. Graham, G. E. Badger, D. L. Swain, J. M. Morehead, C. P. Mendenhall, J. W. Osborn, N. W. Woodfin, and others. New York, 1854

READ THIS.

WE offer for sale privately, and will give possession 1st July, a small Lot in Forestville, N. C., on which is situated an elegant Store and Ware House. The store has 1 room below and 2 above stairs, with chimney and cellar. The Ware House has 2 rooms. Everything in complete order to conduct the mercantile business, or by small alterations a comfortable residence can be made. A bargain can be had, and credit given the purchaser. JONES & CRENSHAW.
Forestville, N. C., May 1st, 1856. 36—6w.
Biblical Recorder and Standard copy 6 weeks.

GROCERIES and Crockery, a complete assortment. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
April 8, 1856. —32

THE LATEST SPRING STYLES.—Fine Bl'k French Cloth Dress Frocks. Fine Black French Doeskin Pants. Silk and Mars. Vests, just received. W. H. WILLIAMS, Agt.

Monuments,
TOMBS & HEADSTONES.

THE Subscriber would take this method of reminding the public, that he is still engaged in the manufacture of Grave Ornaments, in all variety and the best style of finish and workmanship. He keeps always on hand a large stock of Marble, both of American and Italian, suitable for Monuments, Obelisks, Tombs, Head Stones, &c.; and having in his employ a first-rate Northern Carver and Letterer, he is prepared to put all kinds of Designs and Inscriptions, to suit the taste and wishes of all.
He would respectfully invite a visit to his Marble Yard, at the south-east corner of the Raleigh Grave Yard, where may always be seen specimens of his workmanship and a variety of styles of Grave Ornaments.
Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received, he respectfully solicits a continuation of the same, pledging himself to use his best endeavors to please all.
Orders from a distance will be faithfully and promptly attended to. Address,
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October 14, 1854.

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Raleigh, July 9, 1855. 45—

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HAIR
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IS no doubt, the most wonderful discovery of this age of progress, for it will restore permanently, gray hair to its original color, cover the head of the bald with a most luxuriant growth, remove at once all dandruff and itching, cure all scrofula and other cutaneous eruptions, such as scald head, etc. It will cure, as if by magic, nervous or periodical headache; make the hair soft, glossy, and wavy, and preserve the color perfectly, and the hair from falling to extreme old age.
We could give the testimony of more than one hundred to the truth of every word we have written. See circular and the following:
The following is from a distinguished member of the medical profession:
ST. PAUL, January 1, 1855.
Prof. O. J. Wood—Dear Sir: Unsolicited, I send you this certificate. After being nearly bald for a long time, and having tried all the hair restoratives extant, and having no faith in any, I was induced, on hearing of yours, to give it a trial.—I placed myself in the hands of a barber, and had my head rubbed with a good stiff brush, and the Restorative then applied, and well rubbed in, till the scalp was a glow. This I repeated every morning, and in three weeks the young hair appeared and grew rapidly from August last till the present time, and is now thick, black, and strong—soft and pleasant to the touch; whereas, before, it was harsh and wiry, what little there was of it, and that little was disappearing very rapidly. I still use your restorative about twice a week, and shall soon have a good and perfect crop of hair. Now, I had read of these things—and who has not? but have not seen hitherto any case where any person's hair was really benefited by any of the hair tonics, etc., of the day; and it really gives me pleasure to record the result of my experience. I have recommended your preparation to others, and it already has a large and general sale throughout the Territory. The people here know its effects, and have confidence in it. The supply you sent us, as wholesale agents for the Territory, is nearly exhausted, and daily inquiries are made for it. You deserve credit for your discovery; and I, for one, return you my thanks for the benefit it has done me, for I certainly had despaired long ago of ever effecting any such result. Yours, hastily, J. W. BOND.
Firm of Bond & Kellog, Druggists, St. Paul.

The undersigned, Rev. J. E. Bragg, is a minister in regular standing, and pastor of the Orthodox church, at Brookfield, Mass. He is a gentleman of considerable influence, and universally beloved.
WM. DYER.
BROOKFIBD, January 12, 1855.
Prof. Wood—Dear Sir: Having made trial of your Hair Restorative, it gives me pleasure to say, that its effect has been excellent in removing inflamation, dandruff, and a constant tendency to itching, with which I have been troubled from my childhood; and has also restored my hair, which was becoming gray, to its original color. I have used no other article, with anything like the same pleasure or profit. Yours, truly,
J. K. BRAGG.

114 MARKET ST., ST. LOUIS, March 5, 1855.
Dear Sir: I am doing an extensive travel in the West and South-western States, as general agent for Adams American Liniment, and would be glad if you would favor me with a consignment of Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative, as I feel assured that I can introduce it in many places where it is not known, as my head is a living testimony of its valuable property, in restoring the hair to its natural color. I am forty years old, and my hair, was almost white; but after using three half pint bottles, my hair is as beautiful auburn as it was at sixteen, and much improved in appearance, and I would not be without a bottle on hand for the price of ten. I should be very glad to attend to any matter connected with the Hair Restorative. I have been for fifteen years engaged in the same business, and will be glad to hear from you soon. Very respectfully,
WM. B. BROOME.
Sold at 114 Market street, St. Louis, Missouri, 316 Broadway, New York, and by all Druggists everywhere. All kinds of family patent medicines for sale, on the best possible terms, at Prof. Wood's establishment, 114 Market street, St. Louis.
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Feb. 8, 1856. 24—tf

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THE founder of this Celebrated Institution offers the most Certain, Speedy, and only effectual remedy in the world for Gleets Strictures, Seminal Weakness, Pains in the Loins, Constitutional Debility, Impotency, Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Affections of the Kidneys, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose, or Skin; and all those serious and melancholy Disorders arising from the Destructive habits of Youth, which destroy both body and mind. THESE SECRET and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the song of the Syrens to the mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes of anticipations, rendering Marriage, &c., impossible.

Young Men.

especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit, which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousand of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with all confidence.

Marriage.

Married Persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, being aware of Physical Weakness, Organic Debility, Deformities, &c., should immediately consult Dr. J., and be restored to perfect health.
He who places himself under care of Dr. Johnson may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a physician.

Organic Weakness

immediately cured, and full vigor restored.
This disease is the penalty most frequently paid by those who have become the victims of improper indulgences. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of Procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits by the prudent. Besides being deprived the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and dest uctive 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, ect.

Nervous Debility.

Weakness of the system, Nervous Debility and premature decay generally arise from the Destructive habit of youth, that solitary practice so fatal to the healthful existence of man, and it is the young who are most apt to become its Victims from an ignorance of the dangers to which they subject themselves. Parents and Guardians are often mislead with respect to the cause or source of disease in their sons and wards. Alas! how often do they ascribe to other causes, the wasting of the frame, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsy, indigestion, derangement of the Nervous System, Cough, and Symptoms of Consumption, also, those serious Mental effects, such as loss of memory, depression of spirits or peculiar fits of Melancholy, when the truth is they have been caused by indulging in Pernicious but alluring practices, destructive to both Body and Mind. Thus are swept from existence, thousands who might have been of use to their Country, a pleasure to their friends and ornaments to Society,
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left hand side going from Baltimore street, 7 doors from the corner.
Be particular in observing the name and number, or you will mistake the place.
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A Cure Warranted, or no Charge Made, in from One to Two Days.
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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 first 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 head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.

A Certain Disease.

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face, and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings by sending them to "that bourne from whence no traveler returns." To such therefore Dr. Johnston pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable secrecy, and from his extensive practice in the first hospitals in Europe and America, he can confidently recommend a safe and speedy cure to the unfortunate victim of this horrid disease.
It is a melancholy fact, that thousands fall victims to this dreadful disease, owing to the unskilfulness of ignorant pretenders, who, by the use of that dreadful poison, mercury, ruin the constitution, and either send the unfortunate sufferer to an untimely grave, or else make the residue of his life miserable.

Take Particular Notice.

Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by private and