

MISCELLANY.

FOR THE SOUTHERNER.

Mr. Editor. I send you the following solution to your Enigma of the 31st January, No. 5 of the Southerner.

Your 1st Is a Kite, and will pray upon meat.

Your 2nd The ale which old Boniface eat.

Your 3rd Is a table, if dress'd to our liking.

Your 4th Miss Eliza, at its head 'tis inviting.

Your 5th Is Wake County, where statesmen must go.

Your 6th Says 'tis I, as U will not do.

Your 7th A mate, I suppose you have none.

Your 8th Is a Bee, not like you a drone.

Your 9th Is an Elk pretty hard to obtain.

Your 10th Is the Rye a pretty fair grain.

Your 11th A Lawyer, and quite a learned man.

Your 12th Is a Yawl, now sail if you can.

To sum up the whole I will speak most respectfully,

And ask if I'm right, when I say Miss Kate Wimberly

*The ladies (sometimes) I believe call bachelor's drones.

Fishing Creek, Edgecombe County.

P. S. Just say to Ned Numbskull let "Ditcher" alone.

The love of the "critter" seems bred in the bone. F. C.

MARKETS.

TARBORO' MARKET, FEB. 28.

The steamboat paid our town a visit on Thursday last, but as the river was falling left early next morning.

But little doing in our market.

Turpentine—scarcely any sales, at former prices \$2.10.

Corn—about same, \$2.50 to \$2.75.

Cotton—nominal 7c.

Newbern, Market Feb. 23.

Turpentine.—The arrivals are still light. Dip has sold at \$0.40 to \$2.50.

Sales of Scrap in the first part of last week at \$1.75 and \$1.80. To-day we quote at \$1.60.

Corn.—No receipt since our last by the quantity. Sales from Wagons and Carts at 55 to 5c. per bushel. The market is now quite bare of corn for retailing purposes.

Peas.—A sale of a small lot of Clay Peas at 55c. per bushel. No receipt of other kinds.

Bacon. Sales of Hams from Wagons and Carts at 10c. by the quantity.

Lard.—Sales at 10c. by the bbl.

Wilmington Market, Feb. 25.

Not much doing on the wharves; the river still continues low; the arrivals of produce have been slim and operations necessarily limited.

Bacon.—Continues without change not much activity; coming in freely from the country and going off, hog round at 10 a 10 1/2, Hams 11 and Sides and Shoulders at 10 cts per lb.

Corn.—List sales of cargo of 1900 bush. at 65 cts. Stock full.

Turpentine.—Since our last there have been sales of about 1740 bbls. at \$2.35 for Soft and \$1.40 and \$1.45 for Hard.

Spirits Turpentine.—No transactions to our knowledge.

Rosin.—Dull; we hear, however, of a sale on yesterday of 100 bbls. No. 1, at \$1.40 and a few bbls. No. 2, at 90 cts. per bbl.

Tar.—We hear of sales of 247 bbls. on Saturday at \$1.25 cts. per bbl.

Reported for the South-side Democrat. Petersburg Market, Feb. 20.

Cotton.—Since our last there has been an active demand and some 250 to 300 bales sold at 7 1/2 to 7 3/4—mostly at the latter price.

Corn.—In fair demand at 65c., and but little coming in.

Bacon.—Sales 9 1/2 to 9 1/4; Virginia cured, hog round 10 to 10 1/2.

Lard.—This article has advanced—barrels 10 to 10 1/2 and kegs 11 to 11 1/2.

DIED.

At his residence in this place, on the 27th inst., Mr. WILLIAM CROCKAT, a native of Dumfries, Scotland, in the 76th year of his age.

EDWARD LAWRENCE, Surgeon Dentist.

RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the citizens of Tarboro' and the county. He will visit them frequently during the year, and will hold himself responsible for the durability of all operations performed by him. All orders left for him will be attended to promptly. While in Tarboro' he will be found at Pender's Hotel. February 27, 1852.

H. G. ROBINSON, SURGEON DENTIST.

Will remain Monday and Tuesday of March Court. Tarboro', Feb'y 25, 1852.

JOSIAH WILLS, GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.

NORFOLK, VA.

HAS made an arrangement with Mr. James Gordon, for the purpose of transacting a General Commission Business. In future, that department will be placed under Mr. Gordon's special management, and conducted in the names of Wills & Gordon.

Mr. Gordon returns his sincere acknowledgments to his friends, for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him while doing business under the firm of James Gordon & Co., and would earnestly solicit a continuance of their favors for the new firm.

All consignments of produce to Wills & Gordon, will meet with prompt attention. Feb 28th 1852

NOTICE.

AN instalment of Two Dollars per share on the Capital Stock of the GREENVILLE AND RALEIGH

Plank Road Company, will be required on or before the first Monday of April next. Payment must be made to the Clerk of the Company at Greenville.

By order of the Board of Directors. R. L. MYERS, Pres't. John A. Selby, Clerk. Greenville, 19 Feb'y, 1852.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF WILMINGTON.

FEBRUARY 10, 1852.

A DIVIDEND of four (4) per cent. on the Capital Stock of this Bank, has been declared by the Board of Directors, out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the Stockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after Wednesday, the 18th inst.

By order of the Board, Feb. 12. T. Savage, Cash'r.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the Post Office in Tarboro', on the 15th Feb. 1852, which if not taken out before the 1st of April next will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters.

- Andrews Gray Johnson James
Allen William Jenkins J D
Armstrong W J Jenkins Henry
Barfield M A Miss Jenks Jas F
Branch L O B Jenkins Louisa
Barling J W Knight C C
Billow A Little I & W
Bryan Fanny Miss Lane Susan Miss
Bullock Mary Mrs Lehwald George 2
Bullock K Lawrence James
Blount George 2 Moore C E Miss
Brow M A Miss Moore Elijah
Brady I H Mabry Charles
Braswell A Nelson Jonas
Baker Moses 2 Petway A S Miss
Cordon S O Miss Petway W L
Cuehin W T Partin B Miss
Cuehin Josiah Pitt Warren
Carter Allen Porter John
Carson Nancy Mrs Parker John
Coker John Pender W A Miss
Cobb Ashley Pender L C 2
Daniel J H Rev Pender Lucinda Miss
Danfs William Rhow J L
Eason I T 2 Reffin William
Fly Thomas Smith L H
Gardner Agnes Miss Smith & Forbes
Griffin Lawrence Staton W D
Harris D H Staton W J
Hines L Dr Staton T C
Hines P E Stancill Jesse
Hyman Susan Miss Smith W R
Hyman M F Miss Seight M Rev
Hyman E B Mrs Wiggins Wright 2
Howell B D Watson Joshua
Johnson W C
77 S. E. MOORE, P. M.

DRS. MACNAIR & BAKER.

TAKE this method of announcing their association in the

Practice of Medicine.

And respectfully tender their professional services to the citizens of Tarboro' and the adjacent country.

They can be found at all times, when not professionally engaged, at their Drug Store, next door to Mr. Bond's "Furniture ware-room," where they keep constantly on hand and are constantly receiving, a general assortment of

MEDICINES & DRUGS,

INSTRUMENTS OF ALL KINDS.

Perfumery, Paints, Oils, Dye stuffs; tooth, nail, hair, paint, and white-wash brushes; best cigars, chewing and smoking tobacco, pot ash, sal soda, and a great variety of other articles, which they will sell, in large or small quantities, on as favorable terms as they can be bought in any similar establishment in the State. Orders from Physicians will be promptly attended to and filled at a small advance on cost. Jan. 1852.

CALL IN.

ALL who wish to procure clothes of the best materials and most elaborate and fashionable workmanship, can be accommodated at the well known establishment of

JAMES MEEGAN,

who is continually receiving the latest styles of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS.

And always employs the best of workmen. Also, on hand, a GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF READY-MADE CLOTHING, and all such articles as are usually kept by Merchant Tailors. February, 1852

SOUTHERN INDUSTRY.

Messrs. Nelson & Pender

WOULD announce to the Public, that they have established a

Carriage and Buggy

Factory.

IN THE TOWN OF TARBORO',

That they are now prepared to execute any orders in this branch of business, as neat, durable, and on as reasonable terms as in any portion of the North or South. We respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Nelson & Pender.

Tarboro' Jan'y 10th '52

L. D. PENDER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

TARBORO', N. C.

DR. WILLIAM MCQUINN,

HAVING permanently located in

TARBORO',

offers his professional services, to the citizens of the town and county generally. Office, just below Pender's Hotel. Tarboro' Jan. 8, 1852.

GEO. HOWARD JR.,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

TARBORO', N. C.

FREEMAN & HOUSTON,

HAVING made arrangements to locate in Wilmington, N. C., (and to which place they intend removing without delay,) offer or sale.

At Reduced Prices,

THEIR STOCK OF GOODS

NOW ON HAND.

Comprising all such staple articles as are wanted for retail trade, family and plantation use. Dealers and consumers are invited to call and make selections. Every article will be offered, for CASH, at a very small advance on the original cost; and as they were all bought for Cash, purchasers will be enabled to obtain supplies on unusually favorable terms. S. & H. request all persons indebted to them to make immediate payment, and all those having claims to present them for settlement.

FOR SALE.

All the property in the Town of Washington, owned and occupied by Freeman & Houston and Geo. Houston. Persons wishing to purchase are invited to examine the premises. They are desirable and will be sold low.

Washington, N. C. Jan. 14, 1852.

MAYHER'S

Ploughs and Castings.

200 Ploughs, No. 60, 100 " 11 1/2, 50 " 25, 5000 lbs Castings, for sale by W. H. Willard.

Jan. 2, '52.

Sugar.

41 bbls clarified Sugar, 5 hds P. R. do for sale by W. H. Willard.

Washington, N. C. Jan. 2, '52.

Ground Salt.

300 bags, 15 lbs each, table Salt, 125 sacks Liverpool do for sale by W. H. Willard.

Jan. 2, '52.

Cotton Wanted,

FOR which the highest market price will be paid. Apply to W. H. Willard.

Washington, N. C. Jan. 2, '52.

Salt.

2500 bushel St. Martin's Salt, cargo of schr Rough & Ready, for sale by W. H. Willard.

Jan. 2, '52.

Molasses.

25 hds French Island, very superior, 15 " Cuba, 25 " Sugar house, 12 bbls N. Orleans, for sale very low by W. H. Willard.

Jan. 2, '52.

Littell's Living Age.

PROSPECTUS.

THIS work is completed in the spirit of the public for twenty years.) but as it is twice as large, and appears so often, we not only give spirit and freshness to it by many things which were excluded by a month's delay, but while thus extending our scope and gathering a greater and more attractive variety, are able so to increase the solid and substantial part of our literary, historical and political harvest, as fully to satisfy the wants of the American reader.

The elaborate and stately Essays of the Edinburgh Quarterly, and other Reviews; and Blackwood's noble criticisms on Poetry, his keen political Commentaries highly wrought Tales, and vivid descriptions of rural and mountain scenery; and the contributions to Literature, History, and Common Life, by the sagacious Spectator, the sparkling Examiner, the judicious Athenaeum, the busy and industrious Literary Gazette, the sensible and comprehensive Britannia, the sober and respectable Christian Observer; these are intermixed with the Military and Naval reminiscences of the United Service, and with the best articles of the Dublin University, New Monthly, Fraser's, Tatler's, Finlay's, Hood's, and Sporting Magazines, and of Chambers' admirable Journal. We do not consider it beneath our dignity to borrow wit and wisdom from Punch; and when we think it good enough to make use of the thunder of The Times, we shall increase our variety by importations from the continent of Europe, and from the new growth of the British colonies.

The steamship has brought Europe, Asia, and Africa, into our neighborhood, and will greatly multiply our connections, as Merchants, Travellers, and Politicians, with all parts of the world, so that much more than ever it now becomes every intelligent American to be informed of the condition and changes of foreign countries. And this not only because of their nearer connection with ourselves, but because the nations seem to be hastening, through a rapid process of change, to some new state of things, which the merely political prophet cannot compute or foresee.

Geographical discoveries, the progress of Colonization (which is extending over the whole world,) and Voyages and Travels, will be favorite matter for our selections; and, in general, we shall systematically and fully acquaint our readers with the great department of Foreign affairs, without entirely neglecting our own.

While we aspire to make the Living Age desirable to all who wish to keep themselves informed of the rapid progress of the movement—to Statesmen, Divines, Lawyers, and Physicians—to men of business and men of leisure—it is still a stronger object to make it attractive and useful to their wives and children. We believe that we can thus do some good in our day and generation, and hope to make the work indispensable in every well-informed family. We say indispensable, because in this day of cheap literature it is not possible to guard against the influx of what is bad in taste and vicious in morals, in any other way than by furnishing a sufficient supply of a healthy character. The mental and moral appetite must be gratified.

We hope that, by "winnowing the wheat from the chaff," by providing abundantly for the imagination, and by a large collection of Biography, Voyages, Travels, History, and more solid matter, we may produce a work which shall be popular while at the same time it will aspire to raise the standard of public taste.

THE LIVING AGE is published every Saturday, by E. LITTELL & Co., corner of Tremont and Bromfield streets, Boston, (price 12 1/2 cents a number, or six dollars a year in advance. Remittances for any period will be thankfully received and promptly attended to.

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We hope for such future change in the law, or the interpretation thereof, as will enable us to make this offer to subscribers at any distance. Complete sets of the First series, in thirty volumes, to the end of September, 1851, handsomely bound, packed in neat boxes and delivered in all the principal cities, free of expense of freight, are for sale at sixty dollars.

E. LITTELL & CO., Boston.

W. L. POMEROY,

BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER

No. 16, Fayetteville Street,

RALEIGH,

OFFERS for sale a very general assortment of standard Theological, Law, Medical, School and Miscellaneous Books. The new publications of the day are received. These and in short almost any Book can be furnished on reasonable terms, either by application to him or Joseph H. Boudich, Tarboro'. Raleigh, Dec. 20th, 1851.

A. & H. Harris,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Norfolk, Va.

WILL make Cash advances on consignments, if desired. Nov 1851.

NOTICE.

To all Persons wishing to Build.

THE subscribers would hereby inform them, that we are prepared to contract for the building of any thing in the carpenter's line.

From a Church to a Stable.

And in any style that may be desired, feeling assured from our experience in the art, during the last ten or twelve years, that we can compete with any builders in North Carolina.

We would also return our thanks to the people of Edgecombe, for the very liberal patronage we have received during the last two years, and most respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

Thomas Oberry,

Jno. W. Saunders.

Tarboro', Jan 8, 1852

PROSPECTUS OF

THE SOUTHERNER.

The undersigned purposes to publish in the Town of Tarboro', from the 1st of January, 1852, "The Southerner"—a Democratic, Agricultural and Miscellaneous newspaper.

From the small number of Democratic papers in the State, we confidently ask the support of the party. Few political fields offer to the ready and willing workman in our cause, promise of a more abundant harvest, than North Carolina. Our party are becoming, day by day, more unanimous on the subject of slavery and its incidental doctrines, which our opponents so confidently thought would destroy our organization, while many of their own party are fast becoming dissatisfied with the cringing position, they would have us occupy in our National Union. To encourage and perfect this unanimity of our own party, and to show to the dissatisfied of our opponents, that such dissatisfaction springs from a true appreciation of Liberty, and a correct view of patriotism, is the peculiar and proper work of the Press. Support then, Democrats, as you ought and can, your party papers throughout the State.

"The Southerner" will be the exponent of Edgecombe—it will advocate her principles, cherish the progressive spirit of her people, and defend her reputation and good name. As such, we hope to embody in it, by the talents of our farmers and citizens generally, the practical rules and successful experience, which have increased so much her productive industry; and thereby make it, to the citizens of other counties, a neighborly and instructive messenger.

As a village paper, we hope to make "The Southerner," by the variety of its matter, interesting to all. Its columns will be open to a free and liberal discussion of all subjects—instructive or amusing.

TERMS.

In advance 2 00

Otherwise 2 50

GEORGE HOWARD, JR.

Papers throughout the State will confer a favor by copying the above.

THE STAGE

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Passengers are allowed to carry one trunk of ordinary size—extra trunks of large size, half the above prices; packages, &c. in proportion.

For seats, &c. apply to H. Wiswell, Washington—W. Worthington, Greenville, or GEO. HOWARD, Tarboro'.

FOREIGN.

ARRIVAL OF THE

Steamer Cambria.

The steamer Cambria has arrived at Halifax, with Liverpool dates to the 7th inst. The political news is unimportant.

Liverpool, Feb. 7th—Cotton—The market is without animation. The circulars vary as to the actual decline in Cotton—some quote it at 1-16d, and others at 1/4 decline.

FRANCE.

"Le Pays" announces that 2,000 additional political convicts will shortly be shipped to Algeria.