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Late of Rockingham, N.C., Late of Alamance, N.C.
JNO. A. GILBERT, GEORGE W. GILBERT,
Dillard, Ruffin & Gilmer,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Greensboro, N.C.
PRACTICE in the Courts of Guilford, Alamance, Randolph, Davidson, Stokes, Yadkin, Surry, Rockingham and Caswell Counties.
One of the firm will always attend the regular Probate Court of Rockingham, Alamance and Guilford counties.
Dec. 6th, 1896. 13ly

J. W. HOWETT, D.D.S.,
Graduate of Baltimore Dental College, and member of American Dental Association.
Great Improvement in Dentistry.
Sensitive Teeth filled without PAIN!
By a simple application the Tooth is rendered insensible to pain during the operation of filling, without injury to the nerve or tooth. Every operation warranted to give satisfaction. Charges as low as any dentist who has paid his tax to the Rubber Co. I use Brackets or Indolite Rubber.
Office 1st door up stairs in the Garrett Building.
63ly

DENTAL NOTICE.
DR. J. DAVIS
Would respectfully inform the citizens of Greensboro, N.C., that he has just joined a country that has been fitted up an OFFICE over Dr. Benson's DRY GOODS STORE, where he will be happy to attend to all who may need his services. An experience of the past eight years, ten of which have been spent in the town of Fayetteville, will warrant him in guaranteeing perfect satisfaction.
He is in possession of all the late improvements in the art. Charges moderate and work warranted.
The best of references will be given from citizens of Fayetteville.
774f

Business Cards.

W. B. FARRER,
WATCH MAKER, JEWELER & REPAIRER,
Greensboro, N.C.,
Has constantly on hand a splendid assortment of Fashionable Jewelry, and some splendid Watches and Clocks.
Which will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH!
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Sewing Machines, and Pistols repaired cheap and on short notice.
Call opposite the Old Albright Hotel, East Market Street.
16-ly

D. T. CARRAWAY,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
and dealer in Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Glass & Crockery ware, Wall paper, Window shades, &c.
Prompt attention given to orders, and to the sale of Cotton, Grain, Naval Stores, Tobacco, Dried Fruit, &c., on commission.
COURT HOUSE BUILDING,
Newbern, N.C.
61-ly

HOWARD COLE & CO.,
Importers & Wholesale Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods.
And White Goods & Notions,
351 Baltimore, & 64 German st.,
Geo. H. Howard, Baltimore.
Henry E. Schumann, 57-1
A. P. SPERRY is with this old established House.
SELBY & DULANY,
Booksellers and Dealers in Stationery, Ruled and Plain Papers.
Blank Books.
332 W. Baltimore Street
near Howard.
55-ly.

Wm. S. Fontaine & Son,
Manufacturers of
QUERCITRON and SUMAC,
Dealers in
Lumber, Brick-Makers,
And Contractors for Building.
Office near N.C. Depot. aug16ly

Bank of Greensboro,
Chartered by the State of North Carolina.
Authorized Capital \$500,000.
JESSE H. LINDSAY, President.
Late Cashier Bank of Cape Fear, Greensboro.
JULIAN A. GRAY, Cashier.
Late Cashier Danville Bank, Va.
EUGENE MOREHEAD, Teller.
Negotiate Loans, and discount business paper. Buy and sell Exchange, Gold and Silver Coin and Bullion, and Bank Notes, Government, State and Rail Road Bonds and Stocks.
Receive MONEY on DEPOSIT.
Make collections, and transfer of funds.
April, 1899. Banking Business. 61-ly

IF YOU WANT DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
BOOTS & SHOES,
HATS & CAPS,
and want them cheap,
go to
S. STEELE'S,
East Market St.
100-ly.

Wool Wanted.
Wool either washed or in the fleece, clear of burrs and tags, is wanted for the Rock Island Manufacturing Company.
April, 1899. JAS. SLOAN & SONS.

W. A. HORNEY
Watch Maker
AND
JEWELLER
Has always on hand a fine assortment of
Watches & Jewelry.
REPAIRING done NEATLY and CHEAPLY.
Give him a call at G.W. Ogburn's Book Store.
6117 New Jewelry just received.

Remember the DEAD!
TOMBS and MONUMENTS.
The undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public at large that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of Monuments and Tombstones, of latest designs, with promptness, and at prices to suit the times.
Orders solicited and promptly filled.
All work warranted of Company Shops delivered on the railroad free of charge.
S. C. ROBERTSON,
Charlotte, N. C.
20-ly

N. H. D. WILSON,
General Insurance Agent,
GREENSBORO, N. C.
Represents FIRE Companies with aggregate CAPITAL of Twenty Millions of Dollars.
ALSO THE
ATNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Unsurpassed by any in the CHEAPNESS and Reliability of its Policies.
ASSETS \$12,000,000.
Call and insure your property against loss by fire, and thus secure you a home, and prevent embarrassment in business, in case of accident.
Provide a LIFE POLICY for the support of your wife and children when you are gone. Office—Banking House of Wilson & Shober, South Elm St. 77-ly

W. S. MOORE,
Dealer in general MERCHANDISE, MILLINERY, and COUNTRY PRODUCE.
Has for sale the Singer's Sewing Machines. One of the BEST in the world. The last one he sold, being No. 225,817, shows to what an extent they are used. Price \$60. Also Mason & Hamlin's Organs. These instruments for beauty, and sweetness of tone (Church and Parlor) are surpassed by none. One of them can be seen at his house in Greensboro. Price \$50 to \$1,000. 76-ly

Hough, Clendenen & Co.,
Cotton Factors & Commission Merchants
For the sale of all kinds of
COTTON, YARN, & CLOTHING,
No. 112 South Elm Street,
BALTIMORE, MD.
REFERENCES:—Hopkins, Hadden & Kemp, Canby, Gilpin & Co., Pennington & Bros., Daniel Miller & Co., Howard, Cole & Co., Baltimore; M. Greenwood, New Orleans; C.W. Button, Esq., Lynchburg, Va.; Davis, Roper & Co., Petersburg, Va. Aug. 10-ly

N. H. D. WILSON, CHAS. E. SHOBBER,
BANKERS,
GREENSBORO, N. C.
(South Elm Street, opposite Express Office.)
Buy and sell Gold and Silver, Bank Notes, State and Government Bonds, Rail Road Stocks and Bonds, &c., &c.
Receive Money on deposit subject to SIGHT CHECK, and allow interest on kind upon time deposits of CURRENCY or SPECIE.
Discount Business Paper!
Collections Made at all Accessible Points.
Sept. 16th, 1y

W. L. FOWLER, MERCHANT TAILOR,
(West Market Street, opposite Southern Hotel.)
Greensboro, N. C.
Keeps constantly on hand a fine assortment of the most fashionable Clothing, Cassimeres, and Millinery Goods.
MRS. FOWLER will be pleased to wait on the LADIES at all times. Oct. 7th—57-ly

JORDAN & SON, WHOLESALE & RETAIL
Confectioners, Manufacturers of Steam-refined Candy Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Fruits,
Nuts,
Preserves,
Jellies,
Sicars,
Toys,
Fancy Goods,
Fire Works, &c.,
and Proprietors of Jordan's Vegetable Cough Candy, Store No. 77 East Main Street.
Factory No. 52 Church street, Norfolk, Va.
Nov. 4-3m

PRICE & HUNTER, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Nos. 25 & 27 Commerce Streets,
NORFOLK, VA.
Solicit consignments of all kind of Country Produce, and assure quick sales and prompt returns. Cash orders (or produce in hand) for Provision, Grain, Fruits, or General Merchandise, Selected with care and shipped with dispatch.
Oyster Shed Lime, \$7.50 per ton.
Fresh Ground Plaster, \$14.00
Feb 25-ly

BOWLING ALLEY!
I would inform the public that I have two TEN PIN ALLEYS
In the rear of my hotel, (the Planter's) where persons fond of innocent sport and recreation can "PUT THE BALL IN MOTION."
RATES LOW!
JOHN T. REES, Proprietor.
not. 24-ly

H. C. WILLIS, CONFECTIONER and
Dealer in FRUITS, TOYS, TOILET
AND FANCY ARTICLES.
Keeps constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of Candies, Nuts, Figs, Dates, Prunes, Raisins, Citron, Currants, Cocoanuts, Oranges, Lemons, Spice, Flavoring Extracts, Preserves, Jellies, Pickles, Sauces, and everything usually found in a first class Confectionery.
Price Boxes just received. North Elm Street, opposite Court House.
Sep. 9-ly

TUTT'S Vegetable Liver Pills
Cures diseases of the liver and Stomach.
TUTT'S EXPECTORANT,
A pleasant cure for Coughs, Colds, &c.
TUTT'S SARSAPARILLA & QUEEN'S DELIGHT.
The great Alternative and Blood Purifier.
TUTT'S Improved Hair Dye,
Warranted the best dye in use.
These valuable preparations are for sale by
PORTER & ECKEL,
Greensboro, N. C.
Dec. 23—6m

SODA BISCUIT.
A fresh supply of Soda Biscuit.
Ginger Jumbles, Superior Green Tea.
Superior Black Tea, just received at
Jan. 10, 1870. SLOANS.

The Farmer.
In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread.
From the Sentinel.
THE HONEY BEE.
When a colony contemplates swarming, or the queen be removed, the bees construct from one to fifteen or twenty queen cells, and when the first one is matured she liberates herself by cutting around the base of the cap with her mandibles and then emerges through the circular orifice thus formed at the apex of the cell. If we are anxious of preserving the supernumerary royal cells from destruction, they must be removed on or before the 10th day, or we may find them on the 11th, torn open on their sides and the embryo queens ejected.
If a colony contemplates swarming, the bees will protect the queen cells; but if it does not, then the first queen that emerges will open them and destroy the chrysalides. This is the only circumstance under which a queen has been known to use her weapon of defence.
After a young queen has been successfully reared, it is still very uncertain whether she will become perfectly fertile. To become so, it is indispensably necessary that she mate with a drone, and for this purpose, she usually leaves the hive about the third day after she emerges from the cell, if the weather be fair; if not, then on the first fair day, she will take her hymeneal excursion between the hours of twelve and three o'clock,—at which time the drones are more numerous than at any other time during the day.
After a queen becomes fertile, she never leaves her hive again, unless when accompanying a swarm. To ascertain this fact, it is only necessary to clip one of her wings after she has commenced laying. She will continue fertile as long as she lives, which is an average of three years.
An Italian queen fecundated by a common drone, produces during her life hybrid workers, but pure Italian drones, showing, conclusively, that the male eggs are not impregnated. The same is the case with a black queen; if she mates with an Italian drone, her workers will be hybrids, and the drones pure blacks.
If a queen (which is often the case) should have defective wings, which would prevent her from making her hymeneal excursions, then she would become a drone laying queen, and the stock would soon go to nothing, because the drones cannot gather honey nor build comb. There is a great difference in the degree of fertility exhibited by queens, some being much more prolific than others. A healthy queen has the ability to lay as high as three thousand eggs per day. This may seem incredible to some; yet, when we know, that from the time the egg is laid, that there will be fully matured bee in twenty-one days; it is not unreasonable to suppose but what this is correct.
Let us examine a colony of bees in May or June,—in the swarming seasons,—when they are raising brood more rapidly than at any other time, and we will find nearly all the combs filled with eggs and brood; then let us divide them into twenty-one equal parts, and we will find an average of what the queen lays each day.
HUNTER & SHULTZ,
Salem, N. C.

TOBACCO PLANTERS SAVE YOUR HOGS HAIR.—I speak from five years' experience in the use of hogs hair in plant beds, that it is decidedly the best manure for tobacco plants I have ever seen used; far, very far superior to hen house manure, or Peruvian guano, or any of the phosphates or tobacco fertilizers in use. I have never failed when using it to raise early, strong, vigorous plants in abundance, even on land which could hardly be called plant land. My plan is, after moderate burning to kill the seeds and roots of the weeds and grass, to prepare the bed in the ordinary way, and when ready for the seed, to sprinkle the hogs hair thickly, if you have enough, all over the bed, then chop it in lightly with hoes, smooth the bed with the back of a rake, then sow the seed and trample the bed closely and smoothly. I believe that almost any land with a proper degree of moisture will bring good plants with hogs hair. The hair acts mechanically by capillary attraction to preserve moisture at the roots of the plants, and by its gradual decay affords ammonia and other substances for the nourishment and vigorous growth of the plants.
W. A. GILLESPIE
Lunenburg county, December, 1869.

Every family should provide a barrel or box for receiving chicken bones, fish bones, and bits of beef bones which accumulate in the kitchen. A hundred pounds may be saved in a few weeks. Such bones are more valuable for grass-lands, and for burying around all kinds of fruit trees and grape-vines, than Peruvian guano, which is worth from three to five cents per pound.

NO NAME CAKE.—The yolks of five eggs, and one cup of sugar mixed a little, add one and a half cups of sugar, one cup of butter or lard, one cup of milk, two teaspoonsful of yeast powder. Beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and put in last, flavor with lemon; flour as thick as pound cake.

GROUND RICE PUDDING.—One quart of milk, four tablespoons of ground rice. Put in the milk when cold; set on the fire, and stir until it boils.—When cool, add seven eggs, one-fourth pound of butter. Sugar to your taste. Season with either mace, nutmeg, or lemon, as you like best.

TAPIoca PUDDING.—Soak a cupful of tapioca over night, or for an hour in the morning, make a pudding same as rice, with milk, eggs, etc., or pour the soaked tapioca (using more water, and and soaking longer,) into a pudding dish, buttered, and filled with peeled apples. Bake an hour or less, eat hard sauce.

THE DYING GIRL TO HER LOVER.
How bright the summer day has been!
Look how the golden sun
Sinks down upon the old oak tree, his work
of glory done.
The bat wheels on his drowsy course, the
birds their warbling cease.
The flowers fold up their silken bells, and all
things breathe of peace.
How silently and languidly the long bright
hours have past—
Yet seem they all too short for me: I feel they
are my last!
To-morrow is my birth-day, love: how darkly
now appears
The record of departed time, the mass of
wasted years!
Too late I've learned to prize the worth of
hours forever lost,
When I repined if but one cloud my sunny
pathway crossed.
Oh, could I live my life again, methinks 'twere
boundless wealth
Only to tread the green, green earth with the
free step of health!
This very hour, this sunset hour, a year ago
to-night,
We sat together side by side and watched
the fading light:
That birth-day eve, with trembling hearts,
We first dared speak of love,
And drew—oh! that years of blissful life our
constant faith might prove.
I'm now, with hectic on my cheek, and fever
in my eye,
With your dear hand thus clasped in mine,
methinks I cannot die!
Wheel near my stand of flowers, love: once
more I fain would view
The rose-bush planted for your sake—the one
I named for you.
Amid how many doubts and fears I watched
its leaves unfold,
And look how it repays my care—how strong
and full it grows!
Yet one slight touch has shaken down the
blossoms from the tree—
To-morrow it may bloom afresh—where will
its mistress be?
And now, while I have strength to speak,
let these pale lips express
The love and gratitude I feel for all your ten-
derness.
You've been to me a talisman, with every bless-
ing fraught;
And I—would my bankrupt heart could
thank you as it ought!
You vowed to love me unto death: well have
you kept your vow,
And I, so full of many faults—but you'll for-
give them now.
Look at my wasted finger, love, to which the
plain gold ring
You placed there one short year ago, is now
too large to cling.
To-night it slipped from off my hand, and as
it struck the ground
That little noise struck on my heart with
deep and solemn sound.
It seemed as if some cherished friend had bid
the last good-bye,
And left me sad and desolate, all, all alone
to die.
Oh lay me not, when I am gone, within the
vaulted tomb
Where the glad day-light enters not, and
death has more of gloom;
But where the summer sun shines bright, and
the cool breezes pass,
Murmuring, like whispered words of love,
amid the rustling grass.
And plant that white rose by my side, that
when its leaves are shed,
They may fall soft upon my grave, like bless-
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VENIAM, VIAM ANT FACIAM.
For the Patriot.
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ed upon the sea of inexperience—let us contrast, we say, their sufferings with ours, with all their written experience in our favor, with facilities in every department of business multiplied, and see if we do justice to our native abilities. We cannot fail to see that we do not. Various reasons may be assigned for this—One of these is intemperance in dieting; but as the writer has discussed upon this in a previous article, he will not enlarge upon it here. Suffice it to say that the American people are literally eating themselves to death. Excessive dieting superinduces corporeal sluggishness, followed by mental torpor, which wholly incapacitates the mind for grappling with those great subjects so successfully handled by our Fathers. And while we believe gormandizing to be the bane of the age, it is by no means our only weakness. The mental languor which it superinduces instigates another most reprehensible crime, that of purloining—by which the plagiarist hopes in some measure to cover up his imbecility and ignorance, and to entitle himself to equal rank and respectability with those who originate their own thoughts. If any are guilty of this most culpable fault, let them, for their own dear sakes—for the sake of those dear to them—for society and humanity's sake, let them stop it. For the sake of the manhood of this generation and its posterity, let them desist from this miserable, puerile, effeminate habit of cringing to others for what they can accomplish as well themselves. We would not encourage bigotry and self-importance, but what we would decry is, an obsequious reliance upon others for what we can know and do as well ourselves. Let us accustom ourselves to habits of thinking. Let us give ourselves to hard, deep reading—Let us learn to originate our own thoughts, not dismissing meanwhile the opinions of others—Let us succumb to nothing, but resolve to accomplish every object of our pursuit, making opportunities when they are not spontaneously offered.—Thus may we become a great and a renowned people, compelling the respect and admiration of all the world.
G. D. H.

ANIMAL SAGACITY IN THE NORTH.
—According to the Esquimaux, the seal constructs its habitation beneath the surface of the ice in such a manner that it can enter it from the water below; here the young seal passes its infancy, and when the returning heat of Summer has destroyed its igloo or dwelling, the young seal is old enough to take care of itself; but this mode of lodging its young beneath the ice is well known to the bear, who with its keen sense soon detects the whereabouts of the seal's nursery, and in order to gain an entrance, the bear, retiring a short distance, makes a spring, and comes down with all his weight on the roof of the igloo, crushes it in, and immediately seizes the young seal with its paw. Here it might be supposed the hungry bear at once devours his prey; but no, it is far too wary to do so; it knows full well that where a babe is there must be a mother, and that she will be in search of her darling, therefore the bear scrapes away the snow from the seal hole, and holding the young seal by the flippers, allows it to flounder about, and when the mother approaches, the bear slyly draws the young seal towards it until the old one is within reach, when he seizes her with the other paw, and thus captures both. The mode in which the bear captures the seal on the ice is very similar to that followed by the Esquimaux. When at a distance from the seal, the bear throws itself down and stealthily crawls or hitches along towards the seal and if the seal looks up it lies perfectly still and makes at the same time a noise which lulls the seal; the bear repeats the operation until it approaches its victim so near that escape is impossible, when it falls a prey to Bruin's appetite. Another mode of obtaining food by the bear is to watch from a cliff the movements of the walrus, who are found of sunning themselves on the rocks, and when one of these has taken up a convenient position for the bear's purpose, the latter lifts a large piece of rock, and, with astonishing accuracy, throws it down on the animal's head. If the walrus is only stunned, the bear runs down, and with the rock-hammers its victim on the head until it is dead. When attempting to capture a seal in water, the bear sinks his body beneath the surface of the sea, leaving only the head above the water, which resembles a piece of floating ice; when the seal raises its head above the surface, Bruin quietly sinks it, and swimming under the seal seizes it.

"Woodhull, Claflin and Co." is firm of New York (Wall street) speculators, composed of Mrs. Victoria C. Woodhull and Mrs. Jennie C. Claflin. They claim to have made \$700,000 by lucky speculations, and are still at it, spending their leisure time interviewing reporters.
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J. E. LOGAN, M.D., Medical Examiner. nov. 15/17

The Legislature.

Wednesday, Jan. 26.—At an evening session, the Senate passed, on its third reading, a bill to amend the several laws of the State in relation to the University.
Thursday, 27.—Nothing of general interest in the Senate. In the House a bill to allow compensation to witnesses attending justice courts passed third reading; also, a bill to amend sec. 28, sec. 564, chap. 379 of the public laws of 1868-9; also, a bill to establish the county of Dare; also, a bill to amend section 1 of the general incorporation act of 1868-9; the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to investigate the matter and report at the earliest day practicable.
Resolved, That Messrs. Ames, T. M. Argo and J. M. Justice be appointed said committee, and that they have power to send for persons and papers, take testimony, administer oaths and examine witnesses.

Friday, 28.—In the Senate, Mr. Welker introduced a bill to charter the city of Greensboro. The following House resolution was adopted:

House resolution requesting our Representatives in Congress to urge the payment of such claims as may be due the local citizens of the United States government founded upon the taking of property for the use of the National army and for that purpose a committee be appointed by Congress to hold its sessions in this State to take testimony and allow such claims as aforesaid.
Resolved, That no payment be requested for any property in man held by local citizens prior to the emancipation proclamation, or at any time afterwards.

On third reading a bill to repeal an act to protect sheriffs in the sale of land for taxes, passed.

In the House, the following passed third reading:

The Senate bill to amend the 18th section of the act relative to special procedure in cases of mills.

The Senate bill to make land owners in certain cases consolidate their tracts.
Bill to incorporate the Mechanics' Building and Loan Association of Raleigh, N. C.

Saturday, 29.—In the Senate, on third reading, the following passed: a bill to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors in the vicinity of the Davidson Copper mines; also,

A bill to authorize the Commissioners of Orange county to issue bonds.
A bill to incorporate the Young Men's Intelligent and Enterprising Association.

A bill to incorporate the Anne Holden and Murfreesboro Land Building Association.
A bill to incorporate the New York and North Carolina.

A bill to incorporate the Continental Copper Mining Company.
A bill to incorporate the Chatham Copper Mining Company.

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A bill to authorize Walker Smith to collect arrears of taxes.

A bill to amend an act entitled an act in relation to taking and herring in the waters of Neuse river and Contentas creek ratified the 12th day of April, 1869.

A bill to incorporate the Fortes Gold Mine and Sandy Creek Water Company in Franklin county.

In the House a resolution was adopted, requiring the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole (Mr. Poir) to notify by telegraph M. S. Littlefield and Geo. W. Swenson to appear before the committee of the whole and testify as witnesses, and instruct said chairman to inform the House at the earliest moment of the whereabouts of Messrs. Littlefield and Swenson, and their reasons for not attending (in case of failure to attend).

On third reading was passed a bill to incorporate a society for the relief of preachers of M. E. Church, south.

Monday, 31.—In the Senate the following passed third reading:

A bill to aid in the investigation ordered by the Senate into the affairs of certain Railroads, ratified the 24th day of January, 1870, with the following amendment: That said investigation committee shall have all the powers of the Superior Court in compelling the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers.

In the House, the following passed third reading:

Bill declaratory of the cases to which act concerning the settlement of the estates of deceased persons is applicable.

Bill to amend section 8, chapter 237, of public laws of 1868-9.
Bill to allow witnesses attending justice courts the same compensation, excepting mileage, as those attending on Superior Courts was reading. Amended so as to allow such witnesses 75 cents per day and no mileage.

Bill to require defendants in civil actions for recovery of real estate to file a bond for costs was amended as recommended by the Judiciary committee.

Bill to exempt from State, County and City taxation all free public libraries.
Bill to amend sec. 4, of the Mechanics and Laborers' lien law (so as to require notice of lien to be filed within 60 days instead of 30).

Tuesday, Feb. 1.—In the Senate nothing on third reading. In the House the bill to restore the credit of the State, passed third reading; also a bill to allow Justice of Peace to take depositions without a commission.

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They are purely American, having been calved on Mr. Ayrault's farm, and they are indeed wonderful to look upon. They were brought here from Mr. Ayrault's on huge barlike sleds, being drawn into town one by one, the first two by six horses and the last two by twelve oxen. As they passed through the city to the stables of the Northern Hotel vast crowds followed them, and windows were thrust open, and people moved were filled with men and women peering down upon the monstrous masses of flesh. They are to remain here on exhibition till Friday, when they will be shipped to New York and there butchered, after which their hides are to be stuffed and placed in Central Park.

During the past year these animals have gained 1,400 pounds, or 350 pounds each. Their feed has been mostly meal and beans. A beautiful chromo lithograph of them has already been issued, and it is soon to be followed by a chart from Mr. Ayrault, giving particulars relative to their "bringing up." The heaviest pair weighs 300 pounds heavier than any on record in this country or Europe.

—N. Y. Telegram.

THE CODE COMMISSION.

We have not often alluded to the individual members of this body, as Code Commissioners, though we may have occasionally alluded to them in some of their other official connections. The Senate, however, seems to have indulged a little curiosity in regard to the Code Commission, and sent them a polite request, in the shape of resolutions, to report proceedings, &c., "respectively." The report came in, on Saturday, not exactly "respectively," but conjointly, and we have a copy of it before us.

In this report are, as St. Peter said of some of saint Paul's writings, "some things hard to be understood." We cannot, now, go into a critical dissection of the production, but may do so hereafter.

The Commissioners say to the Senate, that "they have been actually engaged in the performance of their duties as Commissioners of the Code, from the adoption of the Constitution in 1868, until the present moment." How they have been "actually engaged" in it all this time, and Rodman sitting on the Supreme Court Bench, and Tourge holding Superior Courts a good deal of the time, is one of the things hard to be understood.

They speak of "our national redundancy," another thing hard to be understood.

The Treasurer answered some resolutions of the Senate in regard to the pay of the Commissioners, from which it appears that each one of them drew \$200 for the month of June 1868—making \$600,—which was one month before the new regime went into operation. This is another thing hard to be understood.

From this same report of the Treasurer, it appears that the Commission have already been paid \$9,800, and there is yet due Barringer \$400; Tourge, \$400, and Rodman, \$1,400, making in all the sum of \$12,000 which the three Code Commissioners have cost the State, up to this day, as Code Commissioners. Besides this Tourge, has received, as Judge of the Superior Court, \$3,938, and Judge Rodman \$3,937, as Judge of the Supreme Court, making the entire sum of nineteen thousand, nine hundred and sixteen dollars, that these three individuals have received out of the treasury since the first of June 1868, if the Judges' salaries commenced when the Commissioners' did. This is another thing hard to be understood, or rather, hard to pay by tax-payers of the State.—Sentinel.

Boston, January 29.—Thirteen hundred men have been discharged from the navy.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Revenue \$643,000.

Coin in the Treasury \$54,000,000; coin certificates \$50,000,000; currency \$5,000,000; the debt statement will show but slight decrease.

"Only give us our bread and occasionally forgive us our debts," says a New Orleans editor, "and we are satisfied."

The Kentucky Senate passed a bill on Thursday to establish a new county in that State, to be called the county of Lee, in honor of Robert E. Lee.

The Sentinel says: A letter from a heavy taxed county, came in recently to make his returns. He said he had sold some men out of house and home to satisfy the government's demand for taxes, and he knew women and children were suffering for bread, and the money he paid into the Treasury for taxes should have gone to supply their wants.

One great excuse of rheumatism and neuralgia affections in this country is said to be the evaporation from stoves and cooking utensils.

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A young lady of St. Louis has just been awarded a \$12,000 contract for laying a pavement. She is evidently paying her way to fortune.

Arrangements are being made for a grand excursion around the world, which will only cost about \$700 in gold.

The merchants of the Northern States have thirty-two thousand "drummers" selling goods in the Southern States.

Several new forged notes, of denominations of fifties and hundreds, on the First National Bank of New Jersey, have been put in circulation during the past week.

One hundred and fifty babies have been found in the little basket crib at the door of the New York Foundling Asylum since the 20th of last November.

A beggar in Stamford was recently offered some warm doughnuts by a benevolent lady, but the ungrateful wretch threw them in her face. He would have pie or nothing.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 2nd, 1870.

A W Atkinson, Allen & Ingersoll, J. E Brown, Florence Brown, Sarah A. Bozeman, Wm W Barnes, D B Brown, Henry Barton, col'd, Tarpley Boling, C Thomas E Cook, Wm C Causey, James Chatham, Wm C Crawford, Bettie Causey, Robt Dunford, W E Dixon, Robert Dix, Agnes Evans, Lucy Ann Fuller, Nancy Foster, W B Fowler, S C Fox & Co., Bettie H Faulkner, Jane Glenn, Charles Hoskins, Mrs M E Hodgins, Miss Mary E Hoffman, Hiram Horton, Mrs Sarah Handerson, W H Hill, N S Hughes, James Hutton, 2, Miss Mary T Jordan, Mrs Nancy Randall, Henry G Kellogg, Geo Kelly, Hannah Keene & Hannah, A J Kendall, Emma Kirkman, Lettie Lash, Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they are advertised and give date of list. J. D. WHITE, P. M.

GROCERIES, PRODUCE, &c., Carefully corrected each week.

BY W. S. MOORE, General Dealer.

Bacon, 20, Beans, 20, Butter, 25c, Beef, 50c, Caudles-Adamsville, 25, Tailors,

MR. NOBODY.
I know a funny little man,
As quiet as a mouse,
Who does the mischief that is done
In everybody's house.
There's no one ever sees his face.
And yet we all agree,
That every plate we break was cracked
By Mr. No-body-ee.
Tis he who tears our books,
Who leaves our doors ajar;
He pulls the buttons from our shirts,
And scatters pins afar.
That squeaking door will always squeak,
For prithce, don't you see,
We leave the oiling to be done
By Mr. No-body-ee.
The finger-nails upon the doors,
By none of us are made;
We never have the blinds unclosed
To let the curtains fade;
The ink we never spill; the boots
That lying round you see,
Are not your boots! They belong
To Mr. No-body-ee.

A Tennessee paper reports the following which is among the best of the season:
Mr. Avery said he had a case in court the other day in Memphis. A little fellow was introduced as a witness. The counsel on the other side desired that the witness be interrogated touching his knowledge of the responsibility of an oath. The Judge (Radical) pronounced the usual questions:
"My little man, what are you about to do?"
"Be sworn as a witness in the case."
"Are you acquainted with the nature, obligations and responsibilities of an oath?"
"Yes, sir, I think I am."
"Well then, what do you think would be done with you if you were to swear to a lie?"
"I don't know sir, without the Radicals would nominate me for Congress."
Forty-one hundred tons of wild smac have been gathered in Virginia last year. It sold for \$62,000.

KOSKOO!
The Great Blood and Liver Medicine!

MISCELLANEOUS.

SCHEDULE NOTICE.
SHEPARD & ROANOK RAILROAD CO.
January 1st, 1870.
Trains leave WELDON daily, except Sundays, as follows:
Mail Train at 3 P.M.
Through Freight at 3 A.M.
Way at 5:30 A.M.
Arrive at Portsmouth.
Mail Train at 7:10 P.M.
Through Freight Train at 11:15 A.M.
Way at 2:30 P.M.
The Mail Train connects at Portsmouth with the BAY LINE STEAMERS for Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and all places North, East & West.
The Freight-Trains connect with Steamers daily for Baltimore; five times each week for New York; four times each week for Philadelphia and twice each week for Boston.
E. H. GHIO, Supt., Transportation.

MILLS FOR SALE.
I have for sale the Donnell Mills, now in good order and doing a first rate business.
The property consists of 50 acres of lands on which is a good dwelling house with all necessary out buildings, three pairs of stables and saw mill. Title good and unincumbered. If not sold before the 1st day of March next, will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Greensboro, on the 8th of March, being Tuesday of our Superior Court. Terms made known on day of sale. Property shown and information given by application to me.
JED. H. LINDSAY, SR., Trustee.

REIDSVILLE
Classical & Mathematical School.
The next session begins on Monday, Jan. 17th, 1870. For particulars apply to circular.
F. F. HOBGOOD, A. B. Principal.
Reidsville, Rockingham Co., N. C.

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For elegance, economy and safety unequalled, call and see them at Jan. 10, 1870
SLOANS.

Insure in the
AMERICAN
LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
Of Philadelphia.

Because the "American" is an old Company, chartered in 1850. The "American" has all the tables of rates for Life, Endowment, Income Producing, Return Premium, Return Reducing, Children's Endowment Policies, and grants Annuities on most favorable terms. Its rates are low. It has both the mutual and stock plans. The "American" allows a loan of 40 per cent premium if desired. All Policies are non-forfeitable. All Policies payable at the age of eighty years. It pays its Policies promptly when they fall due, and has paid over \$500 in its history. It has declared for many years, a dividend of 30 per cent. to mutual policy holders. The record of the past is a guide to the FUTURE. Insure at once in the "American."
JOHN S. WILSON, Sec. & Treas. ALEX. WHILLIDIN, President.
Address all communications to
Caldwell & Brenizer,
General Agents for North & South Carolina,
OFFICE: 1st National Bank Building,
Charlotte, N.C.
P. H. Adams, Local Agent, Dr. Jas. K. Hall, Medical Examiner, Greensboro, N. C.

Apply to above for Prospectus containing full and valuable information. Don't insure your life before doing so. It will save you money. It will pay!
Good Agents Wanted.
The superior standing, advantages and popularity of this Company sufficiently indicate the unequalled inducements it offers to Life Insurance Agents and Brokers.
A. J. Bodenhauer, Before
Ad. of J. C. Bodenhauer, H. CLAPP, J. P.
Rachel Welch.
In this case it appearing to the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace of the county of Guilford and State of N. C., that the defendant is not a resident of this State, and it appearing by the complaint of said plaintiff filed in my office, that the defendant above named is justly indebted to said plaintiff in the sum of sixty-five dollars, with interest thereon, which debt was due by Note of hand in 1864; and it further appearing that the warrant of attachment in the above entitled case, is returnable before me on Tuesday, Feb. 23rd, 1870.
It is therefore ordered that publication be made once a week for four successive weeks in the Greensboro Patriot, for the defendant to appear at High Point, N. C., on the 8th day of Feb. next, then and there to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in this case.
HENRY CLAPP, J. P.
Jan. 6th, 1870. 99-4w-pd

BRICK FOR SALE.
The very best article furnished at reasonable rates. Laid on the kiln, 14 miles North of town, or delivered. D. N. KIRKPATRICK, 69th.

NOTE THIS.
Iron, Tyre, Band, Hoop, Round, Oval, Sweeds, Shovel, Moulds, Seal and Country Iron, Assorted, Nails, Horse Shoes, Grind Stones, Locks & Hinges and a good assortment of Hardware & Cutlery can be found for sale at reasonable prices, at 69-ly YATES.

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Are fac simile reproductions of exquisite oil paintings, so admirably executed as to render it impossible for any one but expert to detect the difference between them. Ask for them at the Art Stores.
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German Land Company, GREENSBORO, N. C.
Chartered by the Legislature of North Carolina.

Authorized Capital, \$500,000.
This Company is formed for the purpose of introducing immigration, on a large scale, into North Carolina; at the same time bringing our spare lands more prominently before the people of the Northern States, of Canada, and of Europe, with a view to inducing settlement here.

There are daily inquiries for land from parties North, and those having Farming Land, Mineral property, water power and sites suitable for Machinery, to dispose of, would consult their own interest by placing them in the hands of this Company for sale.
We will send to parties blank forms of descriptions, with questions printed, which they can fill out and send to the Secretary of this Company.
Five per cent. commission is charged, where a sale is effected through the agency of the Company.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY:
President, LOUIS ZIMMER.
Treasurer, CHARLES E. SLOVER.
General Agent, DAVID JACKSON.
Late of Canada West, now of Greensboro.
For further information address the Secretary, L. SWAIN, Esq., 66-ly President.
May 7th, 1869.

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THE COFFEE POT that exceeds all others No boiling. 25 per cent of Coffee saved. A Yankee invention, but no humbug. An additional cup of various sizes, just received at Sept. 1869. SLOANS.

A Word to the Public.
In presenting you a fresh and complete lot of Cook Stoves of various patterns, from common light, to medium and the very best heavy ones, I also include (for what it is worth) an experience of more than 16 years, gained by constant dealing in and handling of Cook and Parlor Stoves, and will sell as low as any one as to quality, and guarantee them to work well. Don't be deceived.
Yours truly, C. G. YATES.

Clean Your Wheat.
Sieves for taking Cockle from Wheat. For sale at SLOANS.

MILLWRIGHT WORK AND MACHINERY.
The subscriber would inform the public, that he is agent of the house of George Talbot, New York, for the sale of Remond Improved Turbine Water Wheels, French Burr Millstones, Esopus Millstones, Smut Parlor Stoves, and Mill gearing of all kinds—all of the best manufacture. He is ready to examine
MILL SITES.
Furnish plans and estimates, and do all kinds of Mill-work, either new building or repairing. He is prepared to furnish and put in the Improved Turbine Water Wheels, either in old or new mills, which have been thoroughly tried and found to be a great improvement on the old fashioned wheels, in many situations.
Best of references given.
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Examine for Yourself.
Groceries, Sugars, assorted, Coffee, and Rice, Salt, Soda, Pepper, Spice, Dry Stuffs, Oil, Paints, Glass & Putty, Fish, &c., &c., 60-ly YATES.

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The Graham Mineral Paint Co. are now manufacturing the Best, Cheapest and most Durable Paint in use: two coats well put on, mixed with pure Linseed Oil, will last 10 or 15 years; it is of a light brown or beautiful chocolate color, and can be changed to green, lead, stone, drab, olive or cream to suit the taste of the consumer. It is valuable for Houses, Barns, Fences, Carriage and Car-Makers, Pails and Wooden Ware, Agricultural Implements, Canal Boats, Vessels and Ships' Bows, Canvas, Metal and Shingle Roofs, (it being Fire and Water proof) Floor Oil Cloth, (one Manufacturer having used 5,000 lbs. the past year, and as a paint for any purpose is unsurpassed for body, durability, elasticity and adhesiveness. Price \$6 per bbl. of 300 lbs., which will supply a farmer for years to come. Warranted in all cases as above. For circulars and full particulars, send for them. None genuine unless branded in a Trade Mark, Graham Mineral Paint. Persons can order the Paint and remit the money on receipt of goods.
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Has always on hand Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c., all of which will be sold at the cheapest CASH rates.
BARTER of all kinds taken in exchange for GOODS.
J. B. BALSLEY & SON.
Also, a large assortment of Ladies' SHOES, DRESS GOODS, &c., 73-ly

BRICK! BRICK!!
WE HAVE ON HAND a kiln of 160,000 well-burnt Brick for sale at low figures for CASH. These brick were moulded by the Franklin Brick Machine, and are very solid and smooth. We are putting up another kiln of 200,000, which will be burnt in a short time. We can supply all builders in Greensboro with brick and lumber.
WM. S. FONTAINE & SON.
Sept. 22, 1869. 85-ly

SALT!
150 Sacks Liverpool Gr'd Alum.
75 Sacks Fine Liverpool Gr'd Alum.
Received and for sale at
Dec. 22d. JAS. SLOAN & SONS.

LIME.
50 Bbls Lime,
3 Tons Plaster,
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For sale at
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For the Christmas Holidays
Cottage Bedsteads and Chairs, Manufactured at Thomsville. For sale at
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Room, 75 cents per day; or Regular Rate, \$2 per day.
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THIS well known Hotel, since changing hands, has been re-fitted, and can now successfully compete with any in the State, or South. It is situated in the midst of the business portion of the City, consequently has advantages over every other House. E. B. ALLEY, of Va., SUPREINTENDENT.
42-ly

Planter's Hotel.
This House is pleasantly located on East Street near the Court House, and is ready for the reception of Boarders and Travelers.

The Table
Is always supplied with the best of the market affords.

THE STABLES
Are in charge of careful and attentive hostlers and no pains are spared in any respect to render guests comfortable.

THE BAR
Attached to the Planter's is always supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Segars. Prices as low, if not lower than any other hotel in town. JOHN T. REESE, Proprietor.
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Corner Main and 15th Streets, RICHMOND, VA.
BOARD TWO DOLLARS PER DAY
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Attached to the house is a first-class
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Assets, \$2,500,000.
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The American—Is now one of the Oldest Companies in the United States.
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Where can you find greater advantages? Insure at once and share in the next dividend.
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IMPORTANT.
LOT INTOWN, AND LAND NEAR TOWN, FOR SALE.
As Administrator of George Albright, deceased, I shall offer at public sale, at the Court House door, in Greensboro, on Saturday, the 12th of February next, the following real property, (a real estate having been ordered by court,) to-wit:
The House and Lot on West Market street now occupied as the office of the Greensboro Patriot.
Also the tract of land lying about one mile east of Greensboro, between the McConnell road and the railroad, and containing about 80 acres. This place is well improved; but is naturally one of the most beautiful sites anywhere near the town.
The above property will be sold for cash. Title withheld until the cash be paid.
LYNDON SWAIN, Adm'r.
Jan. 3, 1870. 99-5w

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Wines, Liquors & Cigars.
Of the very best quality always on hand.
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Me and Lager Beer always on hand.

COMFORTABLE ROOMS FOR RENT.
Apply at this Office. 98-4w.

NOTICE.
I wish to inform the public that I have in store a very handsome stock of Confectioneries and TOYS, Selected with an eye to the Christmas TRADE. Thankful for past favors, I will try to merit and hope to receive, a liberal share of the public patronage.
J. E. THOM.
Greensboro, Jan. 30th, 1870. 101-4w.

HOW THE DOCTOR GOT LOST IN A SNOWDRIFT.
We think the following story "too good to keep," and, as we promise not to betray the hero's name and place of residence, we hope he will give us no telling how he got lost in a snow storm.
It was a pleasant place—the home of the Doctor—just in the edge of the woods. The house was one of those neat little cottages where one always expects to find comfort, peace and happiness.
It was almost hidden among the trees, with which the ground had been so lavishly adorned. Some were so large that you would think they must be centuries old.
The Doctor and his wife lived here alone, with the exception of a boy whom the Doctor had taken to do chores for him, and to be company for his patients; for although, as I said, he was getting old, the people of the little village near could not have been persuaded to give up their faithful physician.

One day it had been snowing—such a snow storm as you Western people seldom see. The beautiful white flakes seemed to vie with each other to see which should reach its destination soonest, and the sky above seemed one endless sheet of snow.
"Well," said the Doctor to his wife, as he returned from his round of calls, "I am glad there are not many sick just now for an old man like me," and he shook the snow from his great coat and handed it to Bruce to hang up, saying that he should not need it any more that night.
Just as he had seated himself at the tea table and his wife was pouring out his tea, a loud rap was heard at the door.
"It is some blasted traveler," decided the Doctor as he arose to open the door.
"I want you to go and see my wife, Doctor," said the visitor as he seated himself by the fire.
"What! go ten miles such a night as this! It is impossible," retorted the Doctor.
"I fear she will die," said the man, "unless you do. I have a man here with me, and we have shovels we will see you safe through, if you will go."
The amount of it was, the Doctor went.

It is not my purpose to dwell on his ride there; for it was made comparatively easy by the aid of strong arms and shovels; nor of sick woman, but of his journey home. The snow was still whirling thick and fast as the Doctor tucked himself snugly in his light enter for the homeward trip, and started off briskly; for Nellie was anxious to get home to her warm stable.
The Doctor was not very well acquainted with the roundabout way he came, and with the darkness and blindness snow he soon became bewildered. So after a while, thinking he had ridden farther than the distance to his home, he thought he would trust his horse to get him out of the difficulty, and gave Nellie full liberty to choose her own road; so, after he had gone on for some time longer, Nellie stopped and whinnied. The Doctor unmounted a little, and peered around in the darkness and snow.
"Why, Nellie, where are we?" he said. "This looks like Chestnut Ridge; yes, there's the opening in the trees, at the turn of the road on the brow of the hill—this must be Chestnut Ridge—eight miles from home. Well, Nellie, we may as well camp for the night, for we can't get home."

"How lucky that Bruce supplied us with blankets," soliloquized the Doctor as he unfitted Nellie from the cutter, and fastened one of the blankets on her, and turned her loose to look out for herself. Then spreading a buffalo robe on the snow and turning the cutter up, he wrapped himself in his blankets, and crawled into his novel bed and was soon sound sleep.
His faithful dog was very uneasy all night at his master's absence, and bounded out at the first opportunity to look for him. Finding the cutter in such a novel condition, he began to bark furiously around it.
You can judge of the Doctor's astonishment, when he came out of his bed room, to find himself in his own door yard, and Nellie standing at the stable door, wondering no doubt, why she was treated so coolly.—Western Rural.

Dr. Lawrence's Woman's Friend
Cures Diseases peculiar to Females.
Why is a married man like a candle? Because he sometimes goes out at night when he oughtn't to.
A rheumatic San Franciscoan bathed his aching joints in coal oil and then tried to light his pipe. A friend put him out with a carpet.
A gentleman met a half-witted lad on the road, and placing in one of his hands a sixpence and a penny, asked him which of the two he would choose. The lad replied he would not be greedy, he would take the smallest.
A Friend at a pinch—One who shares his snuff with you.

REVOLUTION
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Your Choice of 1000 articles at ONE DOLLAR each. We have of Shaving, Silk and Merino Dress Patterns, &c., included in large orders. Cheapest sent.
73 Lake Street, Chicago, Ill.
Jan. 27-1 m.

NOTICE.
Having heretofore qualified as the Executor of the late John A. Gilmer, my father, I do hereby notify all persons having claims against his Estate, to exhibit the same to me, at or before the 30th day of January, 1871.
JOHN A. GILMER, Ex'r.
Greensboro, Jan. 30th, 1870. 101-4w.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.
On and after Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1869, the Passenger Trains on the Road will run as follows:
GOING SOUTH.—Lynchburg and Danville passengers leave Richmond daily (except Sundays) at 9:15 A. M.; leave Burkeville daily (except Sundays) at 12:45 P. M.; arrive at Danville daily (except Sundays) at 5:30 P. M. THROUGH MAIL AND EXPRESS leave Richmond daily at 5:30 P. M.; leave Danville daily at 8:15 A. M.; arrive at Greensboro daily at 4:15 A. M.
GOING NORTH.—Lynchburg and Danville passengers leave Danville daily (except Sundays) at 7:40 A. M.; leave Burkeville daily (except Sundays) at 12:45 P. M.; arrive at Richmond daily at 9:15 A. M. THROUGH MAIL AND EXPRESS leave Greensboro daily at 9:25 P. M.; leave Danville daily at 1:37 P. M.; arrive at Richmond daily at 7:30 A. M.
The Lynchburg and Danville Passenger Train connects at Burkeville with the trains on the Southside road for Petersburg, Norfolk, Lynchburg, and all stations on the Southside and Virginia and Tennessee railroads, Bristol, Knoxville, Dalton, Chattanooga, Nashville, Memphis, and all important points South and Southwest.
The Through Mail and Express connects at Greensboro with the trains on the North Carolina road for Charlotte, Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Macon, Mobile, Montgomery, &c., &c.; and at Richmond with the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac, Chesapeake and Ohio, and Richmond and York River railroads.
SLEEPING CARS and CHILDREN'S PATENT RECLINING CHAIRS on the through express train, leave Danville daily (except Sundays) at 7:40 A. M. THOMAS DODAMEAD, de 28

PROSPECTUS—1870.
The Aldine Press,
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While it is intended that the appearance shall be unexceptionable, no pains will be spared to keep the literary matter, original and selected, equal to the best.
The unequalled excellence of the Woodcut Illustrations published during the past year in the pages of The Aldine Press, have elicited the commendations of the European as well as the American Press, and have been hailed as the commencement of a new era in the history of Illustrated Journalism.
Believing that there are many persons in this city and throughout the country, whose cultivated taste in matters literary and artistic will lead them to a peculiar appreciation of their enterprise, the publishers appeal to this class for that active sympathy and financial support so necessary to success and to a full realization of the proposed enterprise. The success of The Aldine Press. Let each well-wisher send in at least one subscription and influence others to do likewise.

SUPERIOR COURT, GUILFORD COUNTY.
Elias S. Thornton and Shubal C. Thornton vs. Bartlett Y. Thornton.
Summons.
To the Sheriff of Guilford County: Greeting, you are hereby commanded to summon Bartlett Y. Thornton, the defendant above-named, if to be found within your county, to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court, to be held for the county of Guilford at the court house in Greensboro, on the first Monday of March, 1870, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county within the first three days of the next term thereof, and let said defendant take notice that if he fail to answer the complaint within the time prescribed by law, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of two hundred dollars on the same.
Hereof fail not, and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and seal of said court this 6th day of January, 1870.
ABRAM CLAPP, Clerk of the Superior Court, Guilford County.
Bartlett Y. Thornton will take notice an action has been begun against him returnable to next term of the Superior Court to be held for Guilford county, on the first Monday of March, 1870, of which the above summons is a true copy, and which time you will appear and demur or answer, or judgment will be taken against you according to the prayer of the plaintiff.
Witness Abram Clapp, Clerk of the Superior Court of Guilford county, January 19th, 1870. 101-5w
ABRAM CLAPP, C. S. C.

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GOING NORTH.—Lynchburg and Danville passengers leave Danville daily (except Sundays) at 7:40 A. M.; leave Burkeville daily (except Sundays) at 12:45 P. M.; arrive at Richmond daily at 9:15 A. M. THROUGH MAIL AND EXPRESS leave Greensboro daily at 9:25 P. M.; leave Danville daily at 1:37 P. M.; arrive at Richmond daily at 7:30 A. M.
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SUPERIOR COURT, GUILFORD COUNTY.
Elias S. Thornton and Shubal C. Thornton vs. Bartlett Y. Thornton.
Summons.
To the Sheriff of Guilford County: Greeting, you are hereby commanded to summon Bartlett Y. Thornton, the defendant above-named, if to be found within your county, to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court, to be held for the county of Guilford at the court house in Greensboro, on the first Monday of March, 1870, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county within the first three days of the next term thereof, and let said defendant take notice that if he fail to answer the complaint within the time prescribed by law, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of two hundred dollars on the same.
Hereof fail not, and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and seal of said court this 6th day of January, 1870.
ABRAM CLAPP, Clerk of the Superior Court, Guilford County.
Bartlett Y. Thornton will take notice an action has been begun against him returnable to next term of the Superior Court to be held for Guilford county, on the first Monday of March, 1870, of which the above summons is a true copy, and which time you will appear and demur or answer, or judgment will be taken against you according to the prayer of the plaintiff.
Witness Abram Clapp, Clerk of the Superior Court of Guilford county, January 19th, 1870. 101-5w
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