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NEW ENTERPRISE.
BROWN & RODDICK,
 Will open on or about
Wednesday, June 18,

The Store on the Southwest corner of Second and Market streets. We purpose devoting this entire store to the sale of articles at

5 and 10 Cents.

We cannot enumerate the different articles at this time but our patrons may rest assured that no effort will be spared to develop this

New Enterprise.

We certainly will offer the greatest inducements that have ever been shown in this section of the country, as no house in the country has better facilities for the purchase of such articles.

BROWN & RODDICK.

We would also take this opportunity of stating that we are offering some Special Bargains at 45 Market Street, in our Dry Goods Department.

Being short of space can only quote a short price list, but can safely say that at no time have we been better prepared or had greater inducements than at this particular moment.

Dress Goods.

We have just received another small lot of those at 15c. Call early.

LAWNS--Linen Finish, 6c.

Worth double.

Celluloid Bows for Gent's wear in Black and White, 5c, worth 25c.
 The above when sold can be cleaned with a damp cloth.

Ladies Linen Collars, 5c.

A decided Bargain.

Summer Shawls.

We are closing out a small lot of the above and can safely state that they are without exception the cheapest goods ever offered by us at any time.

Children's Col'd Hose.

The cheapest lot in this market; 10c a pair, and the quality is good.

LADIES LISLE THREAD GLOVES, 5c.

per pair. Comment unnecessary.

Parasols and Sunshades.

We have just received another lot of the above and can safely state that they are without exception the cheapest goods ever offered by us at any time.

FANS!! FANS!!!

For the millions at all prices.

Gents' White Shirts,

Made of Wamsutta Cotton and the best Linen front. Our price is still 75 cents.

BROWN & RODDICK,
 45 Market Street
 June 14 Robesonian copy.

Notice.

WILL BE SOLD, ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1879, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Auction Rooms of Messrs. Cronly & Morris, on Water St., a LOT OF UNCLAIMED GOODS remaining in the office of the Southern Express Company. Consignees are advised to call promptly or Goods will be sold for charges.
 June 20. law 4w.

New Goods! Low Prices!

WHILE IN NEW YORK recently Mr. SMIRNER bought at very low prices a large stock of

New and Desirable Goods.

They have just been received and consist in part of

Gents' and Boys' Cassimere Suits!

A fine lot at bottom figures.

A large stock of WHITE VESTS, just the thing for the season, and will be sold at astonishingly low rates.

Please call and examine, whether you purchase or not. We delight in showing our goods, and do not compel you to buy.
SHRIER'S TWO STORES,
 July 1 Market st.

Tonsorial.

HAVING AGAIN located in the basement of the Parcell House, I have thoroughly renovated and improved the old stand and am now prepared to shave, shampoo, cut hair for everybody. The best of workmen, clean towels, sharp razors and low prices.
ELVIN ARTIS,
 July 17 Parcell House Barber Shop

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
F. HINSHERSON—Games and Croquet. **MERRILL'S**—Keep Cool.
F. C. MULLER—Open Day and Night. **BOATWRIGHT & MCKOY**—California Wines. **GERHARDT & CO.**—Suggies, Harness, &c. **YATES**—Marvellous Orguette.

City Court.
 Victoria Collins, colored, arraigned for being drunk and disorderly, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 or serve ten days in the City Prison.

Peter J. Holmes, colored for injuring a shade tree on the street was fined \$2 or allowed to serve one day in the C. P. The defendant went below.

In Need of Repairs.
 Complaint is made that the bridge over Smith's Creek, about a mile from the city limits, is out of repair again, also the footway leading to the bridge. The former Board of County Commissioners, awarded the repairing of this bridge some two years ago to Duncan Holmes, who guarantee that the same would last four years and gave bond for carrying out his contract. How about it now? We mean the contract the bondsmen and the bridge.

The Rocky Point Homicide.
 No little public interest seems to be taken in this unfortunate affair between Buck Walker (alias W. J. Walker) white and Frank Bell, colored, and which resulted in the death at Rocky Point on last Wednesday night of the latter. The Coroner, Dr. George F. Lucas, held an inquest over the dead body on the Thursday following and made a full and fair investigation. The jury was composed of an equal number of whites and blacks. A correspondent there sends us the cream of the evidence, and the report of the jury as follows: The main witnesses were Walter Yeates, T. B. Cowan and John D. Walker, whites, and Burrell Batts and Washington Pickett, colored. All testify that they, with said Walker and Bell, were together on the main road, and going to Dr. Porter's, from the latter's field, where they had all been at work. A dispute arose between the deceased and Buck Walker about some trifling matter. Hot words ensued, and passion was high on the part of each. It was sworn to by Yeates, Cowan and John D. Walker, that Bell commenced to advance and was advancing, with knife open and drawn, upon Buck Walker, and that Walker then seized a hoe that was at hand and proceeded to meet Bell, both advancing in a striking attitude, and that the fatal blow with the hoe upon the skull of Bell was made by Walker when the disputants were thus advancing, and were face to face. It was sworn to by Batts and Pickett that said parties, in said attitude and with said weapons, were advancing upon one another as aforesaid, but that Bell had turned his back and was walking off from Walker, when the latter gave the fatal blow.

Dr. W. T. Ennett, County Superintendent of Public Health, who was present and made a post mortem examination of the skull and brain of the deceased, in accordance with the wishes of the jury, testified as follows: That upon removing the scalp he found a fracture about four inches long extending from the coronal suture across the parietal bone to near the temporal boss. In removing the skull, the membranes were found ruptured and the brain substance wounded. The wound and its effects would, in the opinion of Dr. Ennett, necessarily cause death. Dr. E. Porter, who was the attending surgeon upon the deceased, testified that he saw the deceased in a very few hours after the fatal blow, and found him in a comatose condition, with tetanic spasms. He found no abrasion of the scalp, but a fracture of the skull. He gave it as his opinion that the wound was not necessarily a fatal one if the patient could have been successfully operated upon. The knife I gave to the Coroner was the one placed in my hands by Burrell Batts, and which he (Batts) said he had taken from the hands of the deceased, after he was knocked down by Walker.

The parties were proved to be on good terms up to the time of the killing. The jury returned a verdict that Frank Bell came to his death by a blow on the head with a hoe in the hands of Buck Walker, (alias W. J. Walker) Walker is still at large, though officers are still in pursuit of him. All parties and colors agree and are in unison in desiring that he should be brought to trial, and that the law should take its course, fairly and fully, irrespective of color.

A DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Murder and Suicide—The First Victim a Well Known Colored Woman—The Author of all a Defunct Radical Politician.

One of the most shocking tragedies that ever occurred within the limits of this city was enacted here on Saturday night last, about 11 o'clock, by James Heaton, a native of Ohio, and a notorious disreputable character who was at one time a very prominent politician in the Republican party in this State. The victim of this diabolical murder was a bright mulatto woman known as Mary Radcliffe, with whom the author of this terrible deed had for some time past been on terms of intimacy. The occurrence took place near the corner of Market and Second streets, in front of Messrs Behrens & Munroe's furniture store. Heaton, it is said, had quarrelled with and beaten his paramour very badly on Thursday night and to avoid any further intercourse with him she had left town on Friday, but returned either that night or next day. In the meantime she had most of her things moved from the house where she had been living, on Third, between Brunswick and Bladen streets, to some other locality in the neighborhood of Seventh or Eighth streets, near Chestnut, where it is reported she slept on Friday night, intending at an early day to leave the city entirely and go to one of the summer resorts in this State where she had already procured a situation as chambermaid. But Heaton seems to have tracked the woman and on Saturday night visited Mr. Henry Haar's store, on the corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets, there making inquiries for his intended victim. It is further rumored that the murderer had gone to the house where the woman had removed her things and in her absence had a trunk of clothes carried off and also a sewing machine. Failing to discover the object of his malice he came down street and encountered the unfortunate woman at the place above stated. One of the witnesses before the Coroner's Jury testified that Heaton came up to where his victim was engaged in conversation with several other colored women, and asked of her where she had been for the last two or three days and then proffered to shake hands with her, which the woman refused to do, this the witness, Jas. Edward Walker, a colored man who was with Mary Radcliffe at the time says was proffered four different times, and each time refused by the woman, who told Heaton she wanted nothing more to do with him. Heaton then replied, damn you I'll make you have something to do with me, and advanced a step nearer towards her, at the same time drawing his pistol and aiming at the woman's breast. The next instant he fired, the woman uttered a piercing scream saying, you have killed me, and fell to the pavement insensible. The excitement then became so great and general that it is exceedingly difficult to get a correct account of what transpired after the first shot. The man Walker, who was accompanying the woman Mary Radcliffe home at her request, as she said he told him she was afraid to go by herself, stated to the jury that he ran and Heaton fired at him and then turned and fired at a colored woman in the crowd by the name of Louisa Fleming. Other accounts, which we are inclined to think are more reliable, state that Heaton fired at the woman twice after she fell, but missed her each time. However this may be certain it is that a pistol ball of the same calibre was found on the pavement flattened, very near the scene of the terrible deed. The fatal ball entered a little to the right of the right breast, passing through the lungs and causing almost instant death.

As soon as the pistol shots were heard, Officer O'Brien, who was on the opposite side of the street, rushed over, and saw Heaton as he turned and fled. This officer then pursued him up Market street to Third, and saw him turn up Third to Princess, and further pursued him up Princess to Fourth street, where he lost sight of him.

A large crowd at once collected around the body of the woman, Drs. Lane, King, Burbank and Walker among them, all but the latter of these medical gentlemen arriving before death occurred. On the arrival of the Coroner, the body was taken in an ambulance and conveyed to the house of the deceased woman, on

Third, between Brunswick and Bladen streets.

In the mean time the police, under the direction of Chief of Police Brock were scouring the streets in every direction in search of Heaton. The route he had taken as followed by Officer O'Brien, was further confirmed by the testimony of two gentlemen who met Heaton at the corner of Third and Princess streets, running with a pistol in his hand. He was interrogated by one of the gentlemen as to the cause of the shooting down the street, and he replied that a man had shot a woman down there and that he (Heaton) was trying to head him off.

Capt. Goodman of the night force with one or two policemen hurried to the house on Third street, mentioned above, and made a thorough search for the escaped murderer, but returned to the City Hall without having discovered any clue to him. About this time it was reported at the City Hall that a pistol shot had been heard on Fourth street, in a vacant lot known as the Morris lot.

On receipt of this intelligence Capt. Goodman and Officers Everett and Walker were ordered to take a lantern and search every part of the lot. Subsequent developments confirmed the fact that the fugitive must have gone in the course followed by the officers in their search. On Fourth street, leading in to the back yard of Mrs. Fulton's premises, a large gate, being partly ajar, opens up a narrow alley way into which the fleeing criminal must have hurried to escape his pursuers, and then following on in the different ramifications of the enclosure until he came to a high fence, on the other side of which was a savage bulldog, baffled in the attempt to escape, and being unable to scale the fence, it is thought that in an act of desperation Heaton committed the last act of this fearful tragedy by taking his own life. He was found by Captain Goodman and the other officers lying upon his back with his feet near the fence; the pistol which was the instrument of rushing two souls unprepared into the presence of their Maker was found a few inches from his right hand; his umbrella was on his left side, and his head thrown back, while he breathed heavily and with difficulty; a small hole, blue around the edge, in the right temple, scarcely the size of a silver dime, told the story where the fatal ball had entered.

Dr. King was summoned and examined the wound, from which the brain was slightly oozing. The ball, which Dr. King says would have passed entirely through the head, but for the weapon having been held so close, had lodged in the brain.

Dr. King at once pronounced the wound a fatal one. After the arrival of the Coroner the same ambulance which an hour before had carried the murdered woman to her house was again brought into requisition and the body of Mary Radcliffe's murderer was carried to the dead woman's house, and the corpses of the murdered and the suicide and murderer laid side by side.

The coroner held an inquest yesterday morning, and the verdict was in accordance with the above statement of facts. All day long yesterday crowds of people thronged the room to get a last look at the faces of the dead. At 6 o'clock the funeral of Heaton took place from the Undertaker's shop of J. W. Woolvin to Oakdale cemetery, where it was interred in the public burying ground. Rev. Dr. Patterson, of St. John's Episcopal Church, was asked to officiate and accompanied the remains to their last resting place, and read a few prayers at the grave, it being positively against a rubric of the church, made and provided for such cases, to use the beautiful service of the church on this occasion. A couple of hymns were also sung by the few persons present, and then all that was earthly of the poor wretched being, who had first killed and then suicided, was lowered into the grave and hid from view forever. What the thoughts of those few were who stood around that open grave can be better imagined we suppose than described. Horrible, horrible, most horrible, must have been the thoughts of all we suppose as they dwelt upon the horror of the crime and the suddenness of the last deed.

Heaton has a mother living in Ohio who has been informed by telegraph, we learn, of the awful fate of her only remaining child.

James Heaton was about 32 or 33 years old, we believe, and a likely young fellow,

who prided himself very much upon his fine physique and muscular powers.

The woman, Mary Radcliffe, was some 25 or 30 years of age, and had lived in this city nearly all her life.

And thus ends the most terrible chapter of crime in this city that it has ever been our duty to record. God grant that we may never have another like duty to perform, and that our community may never be so horrified and shocked again by a similar occurrence, as long as the spires of our churches rise heavenward and our inhabitants are classed among the civilized beings of the earth.

OFF for Washington

The new postal car recently turned out by the W. & W. Railroad Company, mention of which we made a few days since, has been completed so far as the company is concerned, and leaves with the freight train this afternoon, to go to Washington, D. C., to receive a few touches to be put on by the post office department. It was expected that a man would be sent from Washington for the purpose, but he did not come. We learn that all the new postal cars have to be sent to Washington before they are accepted for service.

A large quantity of spoiled fish and beef was sent out of market Saturday.

For other locals see fourth page.

"It is better to laugh than to be crying"—decidedly; and to enjoy your baby's laughing society use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup which relieves the chief discomforts of babyhood without stupefying the children. Price 25 cents a bottle.

Indications.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Office of the Chief Signal Officer,
 Washington, D. C., July 14, 1879.
 For the South Atlantic States rising barometer, North and East winds, cooler, cloudy and rainy weather.

Thermometrical.

From the United States Signal Office in this place we obtain the following report of the thermometer, as taken this morning at 7:31 o'clock:

Augusta, Ga.....	77	Mobile, Ala.....	82
Atlanta, Ga.....	72	Montgomery Ala.....	78
Cairo, Ill.....	76	Nashville.....	73
Charleston, S. C.....	77	New Orleans.....	84
Cincinnati.....	79	New York.....	69
Corsicana, Tex.....	80	Punta Rasa, Fla.....	82
Fort Gibson, C. N.....	89	Savannah, Ga.....	77
Galveston.....	84	Shreveport.....	80
Indianola.....	86	St. Louis Mo.....	82
Jacksonville, Fla.....	80	St. Marks, Fla.....	78
Knoxville.....	74	Vicksburg, Miss.....	82
Lynchburg.....	80	Washington.....	74
Memphis, Tenn.....	80	Wilmington.....	75

A CARD TO THE AFFLICTED.

Dr. Robertson, 19 South Eutaw street Baltimore, Md.

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American Wines.

But few persons are aware of the great amount of grapes raised in New Jersey Alfred Speer is known to be the largest wine grower east of the Rocky Mountains His Port Grape Wine is the best, and is considered by physicians and chemists as the best wine to be procured. It is ordered to London and Paris, where it is becoming very popular among wealthy families. For sale by J. C. Munds, P. L. Bridgers & Co and Green & Planner
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A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

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STILL THE ATTRACTION. THEY BUY them at sight. There is no limit to either kind or quantity of music. It plays any tune.

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 July 14 AND PHOTO ROOMS.

PLEASE NOTICE.

We will be glad to receive communications from our friends on any and all subjects of general interest but:
 The name of the writer must always be furnished to the Editor.
 Communications must be written on only one side of the paper.
 Personalities must be avoided.
 And it is especially and particularly understood that the Editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents, unless so stated in the editorial columns.

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Harness & Saddles,
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July 14

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July 12 **WM. GENAUST, Agent,**
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