the Evening Post. WILMINGTON, N. U. day. September 16th, 1873. Past Office Regulations. WILMINOTON. N. C.,

Hours for opening and closing Wil-Association Reading 9 o'clock a m, to 1 e'clock p m. 3 o'clock p m, to 74 o'clock p m. Saturday nights will be kept open

91 o'clock. GEO. N. HARRIST is authorized to intract for advertisements and to re int for any moneys due the Post. NEIL GERKIN has charge of our city culation, and is authorized to collect

evs due therefor. ROUTE carrier boys are not authored to sell copies of the Post.

CITY ITEMS. nal Service, U. S. Army--Weather

OBSERVER'S OFFICE, WILMINGTON, September 16, 1873, of Ob- Barom Ther | Wind u. A. M. 30.168 .67 deg N gntle Fair M. 39.047 83 " NE fresh Fair OTTO SCHUTZE,

Observer, U. 8 A. WASTED. - A healthy wet nurse. Apto 15 Market street.

he (freat Eastern is expected to arrive or about the 15th of October.

Mayor's Court. is Honor W. P. CANADAY, Mayor presiding.

The only case before this tribunal as that of a person charged with sellng liquor on Sunday. Case submitted nd the offender was required to ante 5 and costs.

NEW YORK, NORFOLK AND CHARLES N RAILROAD. - A surveying party of x is stopping at the National Hote o-day, which has been on the proposed ine of this new road. It will be re embered that the design is to make an air line route in opposition to the Veldon Road, and to ignore Wilmingon entirely. It is to be hoped it never vill be built.

CONJURING AND ITS RESULT. - A fee days ago, in the vicinity of Magnolia, *hite man supposed that a colored man had conjured him by throwing some powders in the path which he traversed laily, and swore dire vengeance against the supposed conjurer. Upon meeting im, he immediately commenced a roary movement of his arm, which had the effect of spilling the conjurer's claret. The conjurer, not liking such play, oured forth his complaints into the ympathizing ears of a dispenser of jusce, who adjudicated the case, and fined he white man \$100 and cost for having o "d-n little sense" as to suppose re could be conjured.

ANOTHER ARTICLE OF COMMON HOUSEHOLD USE SUPPERSEDED .- ASociated with the earlier recollections of great many men and women is the nemory of the Bath brick and emery tone wherewith the knives and forks, and pans and kettles, and other kitchen articles were at stated times "scoured up." That primitive mode prevails today in thousands of families who have never used Sapolio. But once let Sapolio be used for this purpose and that lousewife never wants Bath brick or emery stone any more. Sapolio not only scours off all rust and tarnish, it rightens, bestows a polish as brilliant old everywhere. Housekeepers, try it.

SOUTHERN MUSICAL JOURNAL .eptember number just out, and as right and interesting as ever. The mount of music and reading matter given in this popular monthly is really wonderful, when its low price is considered. Volume No. 2 (finished with this number) contains one hundred and ninety-two pages (sheet music size) of the very best reading matter, and nearly hundred pages of beautiful music; North at retail over \$12, and all for only one dollar. "Summer Stars," song and chorus, by Persley; "Cradle Song," Mendelssohn; "Beautiful Blue Danube Waltz," Strauss: "Sweet and Low." luartette; "Good Night," quartette; published this month, are alone worth the price of a year's subscription. Great Inducements will be offered for subscribers to volume No. 3—the finest premiums ever given with any dollar magazine, Specimen copy sent free., Send our address to Ludden & Bates, pubishers, Savannah, Ga.

THE TOWN CRIER.

- Pleasant. - Gold is 1111.

- Pave the streets.

- Read the new ads.

Cool nights for sleeping.

Patronize home industry. Bro. Terry of the Spirit of the South in the city.

- Advertisements are on the increase. Bring 'em along.

- And the Graphic balloon lies silent unswelled and alone.

- The cool weather will bring back our summer wanderers.

Col. J. G. Green retured to-day,

looking some better for his trip, - Largest shrimps and prawns of the se ison were brought in vesterday after- has concluded to make another effort, noon, by Mr. A. W. Williamson, of Wrightsville. Some of the latter measured fully seven inches.

appear before Judge Russell, Saturday next, by a writ of habeas corpus, to reduce his bail. He is now held on two charges in the sum of five hundred dollars each.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SMITHVILLE, Bruiswick co. N. C. September 11th, 1873. To the Honorable the Foreign Vice Consuls of Wilmington:

GENTLEMEN: Permit the undersign ed cordially to appeal to your known and appreciated Consular energy in its MR. W. W. DURAND, Agent for the evident bearing upon the commercial reat Eastern Circus, arrived last night | prosperity of Wilmington, and to request your leading co-operation as bu siness men of established reputation, on behalf of the commercial necessity of telegraphic communication between your city and mine. In daily contact with the shipping interest of our port, I have gained the assurance of speaking the literal truth, when pointing to the above want of interchange as the chief impediment in the way of intercourse with foreign markets. Owing to the low, new slowly but surely improving capacity of our bar and river-bed, fully onethird of the cargo of all out-bound vessels, and frequently of those in-bound also, is shipped here from on lighters; but the time and expense of lightering are mainly dependent upon rapid exchange of orders and messages between vessels here and their consignees, brokers and consuls in Wilmington. "We are brought to your port," say intelligent seafaring men, "by your price of freight, but are deterred from coming again by the inconvenience and the time and money it takes to get our full cargo on board. With neither rail nor steam to Wilmington, your semi-weekly mail is simply an outrage as means toward saving-what to us shippers is even more than money-time." It is indeed, evident, that next to good freight and the good hope of an improved bar, there can be no better inducement of W. Purdie was requested to act as Secfered to foreign shipping than the promise of quick clearance, dispatch in lightering, ready towage, and handy pilotage to and fro, all of which, under the circumstances, are attainable only through telegraphic interchange. Safety, too, lifts its voice in favor of the measure, as the warning finger of "Old Probabilities" will virtually remain invisible to our shippers as long as the weather bureau of Wilmington is not removed to Smithville, a vicinity of natural fitness for a signal station and storm observations.

In respectfully advocating the idea and urging the establishment of a telegraph line or submarine cable between Wilmington and our community of pilots-Smithville-I have no suggestions to obtrude to your practical business talent and experience, in regard to eias new, and does it in one tenth the ther the modus operandi or the means time required by any other substance. to be employed in establishing this great need. Allow me, however, to request your attention to the fact, that as the shipper's year South opens next month. whatever is done in the matter ought to be done now.

I have the honor to be, Very respectfully,

E. M. ROSAFY, Inspector,

THE SWORD AND THE PEN. The word of the warrior was taken down for the purpose of being polished. It had not been long out of use. The rust was rubbed off, but there were spots that would not go-they were of blood. The sword was placed on the table, near the pen of the warrior's secretary. The pen took advantage of the first breath of air to move a little further off. "Thou art right," said the sword, "I am a bad neighbor." "I fear thee not," reolied the pen, "I am more powerful than thou art; but I love not thy society." "I exterminate," said the sword.
"And I perpetuate," answered the pen; where are thy victories if I recorded them not? Even where thou thyself

The Universities of Gottigen and J. W. Holden, Esq., is temporarily in | Heidelberg, like those of St. Andrew's charge of the editorial columns of the and Edinburgh, have resolved not to tent military circles, render any future admit female students.

shalt one day be in the lake of ob-

STATE ITEMS.

The Raleigh News says: Two hundred and fifty hands, and sixty mules and wagons are now employed on the fair grounds and buildings.

The Raleigh Sentinel is informed by the Internal Revenue Collector for that district, that the collection receipts for the week just ended amount to \$10, 464 60.

Statesville has a little \$200 organ in a church there, and the Intelligences says it is a grand piece of workmanship its tone, make-up and finish being all that the most ardent lover of music could desire.

Statesville has a peach tree which, having been disappointed last summer, in not being able to "bring forth abundant fruit," because of the late frost and is now in full bloom.

In a small town in this State called Charlotte an enterprising merchant has - Hon. R. S. French, attorney for fitted up a dummy man, dressed up in a D. S. Massey, charged with forgery, will neatly fitting suit of clothes, and the Observer says the children gaze upon it afar off with awe, or approach it with fear and trembling.

> Charlotte has a magnetizer, and the Observer tells of some of his remarkable doings and the influence he has over many people, but 'it don't seem that he makes them buy any more of the sewing machines of which he is the agent. The Goldsboro Standard says Edward Hadley, John Hadley, Edward Wilson and Edmund Furman were arrested on Friday morning for breaking open a car at the W. & W. R. R. warehouse, and stealing therefrom a box containing shoes.

its Greene county correspondent that lief of the sufferers. a few days ago, while Mr. Long, a carpenter, was engaged in taking out some ceiling in a house owned by Mr. W. C. Hadley, he found a bag containing \$27 in specie and a four dollar bill in old continental money, bearing date of 1776. The house is supposed to have been occupied about that time by a Mr. Lemuel Hardy, and the money was probably placed between the ceilings to hide it

from the British. to \$1,000 by the removal of furniture, against the express orders of the Chief Engineer for them not to do so. The matter is to be investigated.

Meeting in Bladen County.

At a meeting of the timber makers in Bladen county, held at Elizabeth town on Monday, September 8th: On motion of Duncan Cromartie, Esq., J W. Russ was called to the chair and J

The object of the meeting having been explained by the Chairman to be to devise some means by which the gross abuses in the measurement of timber in the port of Wilmington could be remedied, the following resolutions were offered by W. J. Sutton, Esq., for the consideration of the meeting and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the citizens of Sampson, Cumberland, Harnett, Richmond, Robeson, Columbus, Brunswick and Moore, interested in making timber for the Wilmington market be requested to hold primary meetings in each county and appoint delegates to a meeting to be held in Fayetteville on Wednesday, 19th of November, 1873, for the purpose of consulting and devising some remedy for the correction of the abuses in the measurement of timber in the port of Wilmington.

Resolved, That the Chairman appoint twenty delegates to said meeting:

The following gentlemen were appointed under the second resolution Col. J. A. McDowell, W. J. Sutton; Gilmor Edwards, J. McKay Robeson, Joseph Russ, Daniel Leonard, John M. Freeman, Jas. Lesesne, John McDowell, jr., W. H. Porter, John M. Edwards, John H. Tatom, John Munroe, C. P. Mallett, Jr., C. W. Lyon, D. M. Sutton, McI. Tatom, John S. Melvin, H. R.

Francis and J. W. Clark. On motion of Col. McDowell, the names of the Chairman and Secretary were added to the list of delegates.

On motion-Resolved, That the proceedings be published in Fayetteville Eagle, with the request that the Wilmington Journal, Morning Star, Wilmington Post and Robesonian be requested to copy.

J. W. Russ. Chm'n. J. W. PURDIE, Sec'y. Elizabethtown, Sept. 8, 1873.

According to the French journals the works for the construction of the new forts around Paris are to commence on the fifteenth of September, and it is expected that they will be completed in ten months. These forts, twenty-seven in number, will, it is stated in compesiege of Paris impossible.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

TICHIGAN.

GRAND HAVEN, September 16. The propeller Iron Sides, of the Englemann line, connecting with the Detroit and Milwaukee railway, and one of the largest steamers on the Lakes. foundered and sunk seven miles off this port at noon to-day. Her signal of distress was hoisted at 9 a. m., but so terrible was the sea and heavy the wind no assistance could reach her. She labored in the trough of the sea from about 8:30 a. m., until the time she sunk. The passengers had prepared the boats to leave her at 10:30 o'clock and the last boat left at 11:50. When the last boat had got about a quarter of a mile from her she went down. There were five boats filled with the crew and passengers and one boat containing five men and four women capsized and only one man of the party reached the shore. Four boats have reached shore up to this time. One boat containing Capt. Sweetman and wife, and four passengers has not yet been heard from. It is feared they, are among the lost. Thirty-two passengers are known to have been saved, and fourteen bodies recovered .-No Southerners.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 15-Midnight The express train going east on the Detroit and Milwaukie Railroad, which left Grand Rapids at 6:30 o'clock p. m. consisting of thirteen coaches and one baggage car, ran off the track between Lowell and Ada. It is rumored that the entire train went into a ditch, killing twenty persons and wounding many others. Physicians are now leaving for the scene of the disaster, and prepara-The Goldsboro Messenger learns from I tions are being hastily made for the re-

> Detroit, September 16. The Rondout Lutheran Church, several stores and stables, have been burn ed. Loss \$50,000.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, September 16. The Times says that Father O'Farrell paster of St. Peter's Roman Catholic The Raleigh News tell of a fire that | Church, informed his parishioners on occurred at Camp Russell, near that Sunday last that he wished to retract eity, on Saturday night at ten o'clock, anything dictatorial he may have said by which the officers' quarters were de- to them during his canvass of the parish stroyed. Lt. DeRussy lost from \$800 for pupils for his new parochial school, and adds: This action on the part of &c. We regret to learn that there was the Rev. O'Farrell is said to have been great insubordination and disorderly the result of an intimation from the au conduct on the part of some of the fire | thorities of the Catholic Church that companies, two of which left the scene | the extreme measures resorted to by him were not approved.

The Commissioners of Education have taken an intense interest in the affairs of the first ward public school, the existence of which had been threatened by the clergy of St. Peter's Church, and have expressed their firm intention to uphold in that ward, at all hazards, the system of public instruction which has been so persistently assailed.

Havana letters giving the particulars of the late conflagration there says:-"The Tacon market, or plaza del Vapor as it was popularly known, was an extensive bnilding of masonry, forming a square of about 600 feet front on the east side, two stories high and was built for the general purposes of the market. The quadrangle or immense court of this vast face was filled with numbers of booths, wooden sheds and other buildings were occupied by hucksters and butchers, while the lower floors of State bonds steady. four sides of the building comprised a variety of shows and stores of all descriptions, and in the upper stories lived the families of those who had their business and callings in the shops and stands of the plaza. Here were to be found goods of every kind of manufacture. The actual loss of life is not known. Thus far it is variously estimated at from twenty to fifty. The loss of property has been variously estimated, the lowest putting it at \$3,000,-000 and the highest at \$8,000,000.

First frost this morning.

The veterans of the Mexican war have esolved to form a permanent organiza-

MISSOURI.

Sr. Louis, September 16. Fifteen thousand negroes, formerly slaves in the Indian territory, are moving for a territorial government. They

propose holding a convention in the Choctaw territor ...

ARKANSAS.

LITTLE ROCK, September 16. S. H. Tucker, the oldest banker in the State, has suspended. He has abundant property to meet his obligations.

CANADA.

ST. CATHARINES, Sept. 16. The yacht Sphynx was picked up with a man clinging to her sides, who reports three lost.

DACOTAH.

YANKTON, September 16. General McCook's alleged assassi waived an examination, and was com mitted for trial.

LOUISIANA.

SHREVEPORT, September 16. There were twenty-two deaths vester day, and many deaths last night.

MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16. The next session of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows convenes at Atlanta, Georgia.

CABLE DISPATCHES. ENGLAND.

LONDON, September 16. Fifty-eight buildings have been burned in Aukland, New Zealand. Loss

It is intended to erect on a suitable place in the centre of London statues to the memory of Wycliffe and Tyndall, in connection with their efforts to secure a free and open Bible" for the people.

COMMERCIAL WILMINGTON MARKET.

duce Exchange.	
A Black G B.Common Strained H C Strained I D Good Strained K E No. 2 M F Extra No. 2 N	Extra No. 1 Low Pale Pale Extra Pale

ginning with I and running to N.

TUESDAY, Sept. 16-3:30 P. M. SPIRITS TURPENTINE—No transactions reported. Rosin-Sales of 316 bbls of H. or

No. 1 at \$2 75, and 105 do of N. or extra Pale at \$4 62½ per bbl. CRUDE TURPENTINE—Sales of 200 bbls at \$2 for Hard and \$3 50 for Yel-

low Dip and Virgin. TAR—Sales of 76 bbls at \$2 50 and 73 do at \$2 60 7 bbl, an advance of 10

COTTON—Sales of 2 bales at 15 cts, 2 at 17, 3 at 17, 39 at 18, 5 at 19, 2 a 17½ cents per th.

Receipts per railroad of naval stores is appears on the bulletin board of the Produce Exchange Sept. 16: Cotton, (bales)

Spirits Turpentine, (bbls.,) Rosin, (bbls.,) 1,662 Crude Turpentine, (bbls,) Tar, (bbls,)

BY TELEGRAPH. NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, September 16. Cotton weak. Sales of 520 bales .-Uplands 20]; Orleans 20% cents. New cotton offered lower. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet and steady. Corn scarce and firmer—steam western mixed 65(a68 cents. Pork quiet and firm at \$18. Lard—old steam, 85@8 11-16 cents: Turpentine steady at 43(a) 431 cents. Rosin steady at \$3 10 for

strained. Freights firm. FINANCIAL.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, September 16. Stocks irregular. Money firm at 6 g cent. Gold 1111. Exchange—long 108; short 109%. Governments dull and steady

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Sept. 16. Weather wet and unfavorable. New Fives 911.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 16. Cotton quiet and unchanged. Sales of 10,000 bales; speculation and export 2,000. Breadstuffs firm. Corn 31s. 6d

MARINE.

Port of Wilmington, Sept 16, 1873

ARRIVED.

Steamer R E Lee, Robinson, Faytteville, Williams & Murchison. Steamer A P Hurt, Worth, Fayetteille, Worth & Worth. Br brig Tarpeian, Young, Liverpool 50 days, Vick & Mebrane, 400 tons salt. Else Eschricht, Eschricht, London, 52 days, in ballast, E Beschau. Schr Nellie Star, Poland, Bath, Me, 9 days, J H Chadbourn & Co, with ice for J E Lippitt & Co.

CLEARED.

Steamship Pioneer, Wakeley, Philadelphia, Worth & Worth. Steamship Metropolis, Nickerson, New York, Barry Bros. Steamer R E Lee, Robinson, Fayetteville. Williams & Murchison. Steamer A P Hurt, Worth, Fayette-ville, Worth & Worth. Schr Idabella. Fischer, New York, Williams & Murchison.

RECEIPTS.

PER RIVER STEAMERS, &c.

Steamer Hurt-119 bbls spirits, 250 do rosin, 12 bales sheeting. Steamer Lee 397 bbls rosin, 51 do spirits, 13 do tar, 4 do turpentine.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

New York-Steamship Metropolis+ 1,374 bbls rosin, 364 do spirits, 150 do tar, 550 do turpentine, 28 bales cotton, 422 bushels peanuts, 80 bbls flour. Schr Idabella—2.246 bbls rosin, 100 do spirits, 7 bales cotton.

Philadelphia-Steamship Pieneer-112 bales cotton, 17 do sheeting, 11 do vari, 191 casks spits turpentine, 185 bbls tar, 868 do rosin, 228 bushels peanuts, 182 bbls crude turpentine, 8 bags wool, 8 pkgs mdse, 23 empty ale bbls, 125 tons iron, 12,000 feet lumber.

List of Vessels Sailed for this

Port. ANTWERP.

Ger Elise & Anna, Wendt, cld Aug 23 GRIMSBY. eld Aug 22 4bt Juno, Lindt,

Br Abby, Eastman, sld Aug 9 Ger Malvin A Schutte, Krogen cld July 17784 50

DUNKIRK. cld Aug 25 Eintracht, Schuekert, GEETEMUNDE. Bosse, cld Aug 22

BOSTON. Swed Sophie Amelia, Bingston, cld Sept 6 LONDON Sophia Gorbitz, Gorbitz, cld Aug 20 G N Gredlohen, Dethloss, cld Aug 6

Von-der Rohistorf, Plageman, cld Aug 8 Douglass, Wilson, sld June 2 Gr Barque Victoria, Schutz, cld July 28 AMSTERDAM.

Elizabeth Cath, Anderson, cld Aug 8 S. PIERRE. Schr A Rickards, sld June 25 GRAVESEND. Ard, Jackson, sld Suly 28

LIVERPOOL. Geo Adolph, ent. out aug 29. cld Aug 12 Carl August, Petteson, Leda, Muller, entered out Aug 12 Br Barquentine Elizabeth Taylor,

sld Aug 1 Exampler, Roberts, Nor Brig Alker, Sarsen, sld July 17 Vitruvius, Drummond, sld May 22 BELFAST, ME. Schr S J Gilmore, Dutch, sld June 8 Nor Barque Ulrika, Petterson,

sld July 29 GLOUCESTER. Barque Landho, Olsen, sld July 12 NEW YORK. Schr Mott Bedell, VanReynegoni, eld Aug 12

Schr Sunny South, Derrickson cld Aug 12 Schr John Kelso, Kelso, Schr John Mossere, Adams, cld Aug 8 BANGOR.

Schr. Addie L. Cutler, Smith, eld Aug. 28 PLYMOUTH. Oceana, Aslacksen, cld April 10 HAMBURG. Dutch Kobe. Karasler, cld June 10

Br Zion Hill, Davis cld May 10 sld July 23 Maria Heyn, Beck, Flosta, Anderson, sld July 23 St Olaf, Hascel,

sld July 15 C Neuman Gædebehn. cld Aug 14 NORWAY. Maria Rose, Schultz, sld Aug 12

List of Vessels in this Port. BARQUES,

Ger barque Mynheer, Tesnow, Barque Bertha, Schwartz, dis., Norwegian Osterlide, Olsen, dis

Heide Bros Ger Rudolph, Paske, dis, E Peschau BRIGS Alice Lea, Foster, dis, Harriss & Ger Dorotha, Reetzke, dis, E Peschau.

Else Eschricht, Eschricht, E Peschau Tarpeian, Young. Vick & Mebane Schr Ella Hobson, Nickerson, dis., F. W. Kerchner Schr Henrietta, Langley, dis., Northrop & Cumming

David Miller, Fletcher, dis. Schr John A Griffin, Foster, dis., Harriss & Howell Nellie Star, Poland, dis.

J H Chadbourn & Co. **MISCELLANEO**US.

STATE FAIR

73. 1 8 Thirteenth Grand Annual Fair

OF THE North Carolina Agricultural Society RALEIGH, N. C.

October 13th to 18th, 1873 Ten Thousand Dollars in Premiums.

New and attractive Grounds. Magnificent Buildings. Accommodation for seating 8,000 people.
Railroad arrangements the most liberal ever made with any Agricultural or Mechanical Society in the State. Articles for exhibition transported FREE, and delivered from the cars within the

Fare for passengers on railroads in North Carolina 114c per mile. Excursion trains from every direction daily. Special trains for the passengers will run to the Grounds from the city every fifteen minutes. Fare only TEN CENTS. Hon. Daniel Voorbees, of Indiana, will deliver the Annual Address. Essay on the cultivation of cotton by David Dickson, Esq., of Georgia, Grand Prize distribution of BLOODED

STOCK. WESTON, the great pedestrian, in his wonderful feats of endurance, TWO BANDS OF MUSIC. Single admission to the Grounds,; Single admission for children under 12

years of ago.
Send for Premium List.
T. M. HOLT, President.
R. T. FULGHUM, Secy. aug 16—td SUGAR, COFFEE AND MOLAS-

250 BARRELS Sugar-all grades. 387 sacks Coffee-Laguayra, Rio and 250 hhds and bbls. Cuba Molasses,

325 hhds, and bbls, S. H. Molasses. For sale by