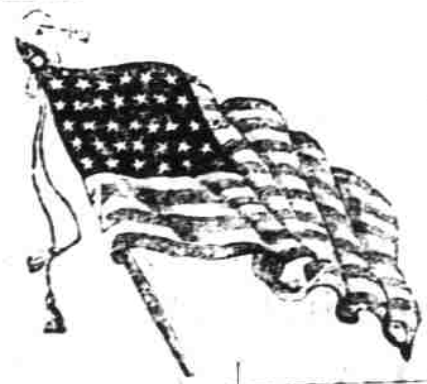


# The Evening Post.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday, October 18th, 1873.



## A PROCLAMATION, By the President of the United States of America.

The approaching close of another year brings with it the occasion for renewed thanksgiving and acknowledgment to the Almighty Ruler of the Universe for the unnumbered mercies which He has bestowed upon us.

Abundant harvests have been among the rewards of industry. With local exceptions health has been among the many blessings enjoyed. Tranquility at home and peace with other nations have prevailed. Frugal industry is regaining its merited recognition and its merited rewards.

Gradually, but, under the providence of God, surely, as we trust, the nation is recovering from the lingering results of a dreadful civil strife.

For these and all the other mercies vouchsafed, it becomes us as a people to return heartfelt and grateful acknowledgments, and with our thanksgiving for blessings we may unite prayers for the cessation of local and temporary sufferings.

I, therefore, recommend that on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of November next, the people meet in their respective places of worship, to make their acknowledgments to Almighty God for His bounties and His protection, and to offer to Him prayers for their continuance.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this 14th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-seventh.

U. S. GRANT.

By the President:  
HAMILTON FISH,  
Secretary of State.

### Popular Education.

The plan of devoting the proceeds of the sales of the public lands to educational purposes, can be objected to only by those who cherish the phantom of State sovereignty. Those who really fear consolidation of power in the Federal Government are few; those who use this bugbear are many. It would be unjust to leave the application of the sums raised by the sale of our unappropriated territory, to the unrestricted power of State Legislatures; while it would be very impracticable to take from the States the authority of providing for education. If the money was distributed in proportion to the illiteracy it is intended to annihilate, it would be an appropriate function of Congress to provide laws for carrying out this object. The details of a general system could be settled by the States; and as most of them have at least provisions on paper for education, little or no change would be required.

The object is of such transcendent importance that differences of detail should be no obstacle to securing it.—The want of the times is educational facilities for our youth. The scheme must strike every Southern partisan as the only one which can give his section a high standing in the Republic. The predominating influence of New England ideas in the politics of the country, is due to the fact that New England has, to a greater extent than any other section, provided for the education of her youth. Although the sceptre is departing from her, it is passing into hands which have adopted her educational systems. To the South it can never come until the gross ignorance which we daily witness is driven out. The appropriation of the proceeds of the public lands, in proportion to illiteracy, will secure to the South a greater share than it could obtain under any other division.

### EDITORIAL BUDGET.

—In the Superior Court to-day Charlotte Gilbert, (colored), who brought suit against the New York and Charleston Steamship Company to recover \$10,000 for being excluded from a state-room on one of their steamers on account of color, was awarded \$75.

—By cable from Paris of the 16th. The rumor of difficulties between France and Italy is false. Chevalier Nigra merely returns to Italy on leave of absence. Delegates to the Assembly are beginning to arrive. Numberless contradictory rumors are in circulation about the action to be taken by the different parties at the re-opening of the Assembly. The deputation which met Count de Chambord at Salzburg on the 12th instant is expected to return to Paris to-day. The details of the conference are unknown, but it is believed the negotiations have failed.

—A Wheeling W. Va. telegram of the 16th says: J. J. Sweeney, a candidate for the Legislature, assaulted and beat O. S. Long, editor of the Register, for an abusive article published in yesterday morning's paper. This morning's issue contained further reflections on Sweeney's character. About 11 o'clock Sweeney met Lewis Baker, proprietor, and J. S. Clarkson, local editor of the Register, and, after some words, all three drew their revolvers and commenced firing. Baker was slightly wounded and Clarkson had his arm broken.

—The New York Times has the following special from Chicago: It is said that Senator Carl Schurz, of Missouri, intends to remove to Chicago after the expiration of his term of office. He is looking for a new field in which to operate, and Chicago appears promising. Horace White, managing editor of the Tribune, worships Schurz, and, therefore, the Senator will have an organ. The Senator has still another agency in the person of a brother-in-law named Jussen, at one time connected with the customs. These two men—White and Jussen—are working to have Schurz adopted as the leader of the Germans in Illinois. It is up-hill work, for the cynical Senator has recently been repudiated by them. The main idea is to create a revolt against Mr. A. C. Hessing, the Chicago leader of the Germans, and it is hoped to bring this about before Carl's term shall expire, and if the scheme succeeds he will immediately appear a claimant for the successorship.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### OPERA HOUSE.

#### BENEFIT CONCERT.

#### THE CHOIR OF ST. JOHN'S LODGE,

—ASSISTED BY—

MRS. D. KAHNWEILER,

MISS GREENWALD AND

PROF. TAMBURELLO,

Will give a first class

#### MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

For the benefit of the Oxford Orphan

Asylum on

Wednesday Evening, Oct. 22d, 1873.

The importance of this work is well known, and the appeal of the destitute should not go unheeded.

LET ALL CHARITABLY DISPOSED BE

PRESENT.

ADMISSION SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS.

Doors open at 7:30. Concert to commence

precisely at 8 o'clock.

Reserved seats can be procured on and

after Monday the 20th, without extra charge,

at P. HEINSBERGER'S LIVERY BOOK STORE.

The Piano and Organ to be used upon the

occasion have been kindly loaned by Mr. P.

Heinsberger, free of charge.

The use of the Opera House has been

kindly given by the lessee.

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#### REDINGATES!

WE ARE NOW MAKING THESE STYL-

ISH ARTICLES for our customers.

#### LADIES

Will do well to call at Mrs. STROCK'S and

examine samples.

#### Dress-Making

IN ALL ITS LATEST STYLES.

#### Mrs. STROCK'S

Millinery and Dress-Making Rooms,

1814 Princess Street, Evans' Block.

#### Knights of Pythias—Attention!

YOUR PRESENCE, WITH ALL OTHERS,

who love to do charitable deeds, is re-

quested at the Opera House, WEDNESDAY

NIGHT, Bring your sweethearts to hear

the music, to make them happy, and aid the

orphans.

#### Harris' News Star.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE

public that my son, Mr. R. L. Harris, has

turned over the NEWS STAR to myself,

and that it will hereafter be conducted in

my name for the benefit of myself and fam-

ily. I would, therefore, respectfully solicit

a continuance of the very liberal patronage

heretofore extended to it. For the present

Mr. John Craig is alone authorized to act for

me.

Papers and other publications not on hand

will be ordered promptly. Papers and Peri-

odicals delivered at places of business and

residences without extra charge.

Oct 18. Mrs. M. C. HARRIS.

#### A CARD.

HAVING PURCHASED THE DRUG

STORE of Messrs. Green & King, on

Third street, opposite City Hall, I will keep

constantly on hand a full assortment of

Drugs, Medicines,

#### AND FANCY ARTICLES,

Which will be sold at low prices for CASH,

and every effort made to merit a share of

public patronage. Satisfaction guaranteed

and all Medicines warranted to be the best

that can be purchased. Competent Druggists

will have charge of the business.

#### PRESCRIPTIONS

Carefully and correctly compounded at all

hours, DAY OR NIGHT.

Oct 18. JAMES C. MUNDY.

#### A Premium for Cash!

WILL BE PAID IN

#### CLOTHING

AT MUNSON & CO'S.

For those in want no better time could be

found than the present to replenish your

wardrobes.

#### CLOTHING CHEAPER THAN EVER

At MUNSON & CO'S,

City Clothiers.

## WHICH IS THE BEST!

Which is the best Sewing Machine, is a point on which different Companies differ, each, of course, thinks its own the best, but if the point were to be decided by popularity the Howe Machine would surpass all others. It is a noticeable fact that the Howe Company has

## SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND

of their Machines in use although having existed but six years, while the Company which claims to have most in use, has only about twice that number, though having existed for twenty years. Until the year 1866, ELIAS HOWE, JR., the

## ORIGINAL INVENTOR OF SEW-

## ING MACHINES,

did not manufacture, but was content with receiving the royalty which all Sewing Machine Manufacturers had to pay him for the use of his Patents. A sample of each Machine was sent to Mr. Howe before a license could be obtained. Constant study upon them enabled him to avoid the defects of each and improve upon the excellences of all. This fact explains the

## WONDERFUL DEGREE OF PERFECTION

to which Mr. Howe brought his latest pattern of Machine, without which advantages such a result could not have been achieved. These facts should be borne in mind by all who intend to purchase a Sewing Machine. As the purchase of a Machine may be the act of a lifetime with some, care should be taken to

## PURCHASE ONLY THE LATEST AND BEST.

## W. D. Goodrich,

On Market Street Near Third,

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

offers the Howe Machine on such easy terms that no one need longer have an excuse for doing without a Sewing Machine. No pains or expense spared to give thorough satisfaction to every customer.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by Burrill E. Dixon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

Dated at Wilmington, N. C., this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1873.

WM. LARKINS, Clerk.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by Alex. Johnson, Jr., in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by John C. Rowell, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by John T. Newton, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by Dougald A. Lamont, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by Joseph Stannard, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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WM. LARKINS, Agent.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by William Lander, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, by Leander Moore, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the U. S. Court Room, in Wilmington, N. C., before Wm. A. Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

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