

# The Evening Post.

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## CITY ITEMS.

**NOT many vessels in port.**  
The man Charles Ryburg has not as yet been arrested.  
Lots of pic nics, excursions and Queen of May's to-day.  
The Son's of Mount Zion excursioned it to Waccamaw Lake to-day.  
We learn that a new Lodge of Red Men will be organized in this city to-night.  
Mr. W. H. Yopp is authorized to collect and receipt for bills due the Post.  
PRIME cuts for steak or roast of stall fed beef at L. Solomon's, on Second between Market and Dock streets, at prices to suit the times.  
EN ROUTE.—Hon. Wm. A. Richardson, Secretary of the Treasury, and lady, registered at the Purcell House last night. They left this morning for Charleston.  
PARADE.—The several colored fire companies paraded through the streets this morning, headed by a band of music. They will go down to Greenfield, when target shooting will be indulged in.  
A CHANGE.—Rev. W. J. Parkinson has secured Walnut Hall, Brooklyn, where hereafter, until further notice, the services of the First M. E. Church will be held instead of at Temperance Hall, where until now his people have worshipped.  
DOWN.—We learn that there are three or four persons lying prostrate on the floor of the colored Baptist church, on the corner of Fifth and Campbell streets, in which condition they have been for the past four or five days and nights.  
THE Republicans of Abbottsburg, Bladen county, organized a Club on the 29th of April, and the following named gentlemen were elected officers:  
President—James Cashwell.  
Vice President—W. H. Williams.  
Secretary—R. H. Richardson.  
Treasurer—James Brown.  
Executive Committee—J. W. Baie, John Burrett, Stephen Adkinson.  
NEW YACHT.—Mr. Walter Coney has purchased a beautiful yacht called the Benj. F. Sparks. She was built in Philadelphia, and has never been upon the waters, being bran and spanking new. She was brought here on yesterday by the steamship Pioneer, and is destined to engage in our coming regattas, and if she is as fast as she is beautiful, will no doubt be the victor on each and every occasion.  
MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—Before Justice Cassidey to-day—Mary E. Ryburg and Wilson Muzon had a hearing, the former charged with arson and perjury and the latter with being accessory.  
No other statements were produced that have already been published.—Mrs. Ryburg was bound over in the sum of \$600 for her appearance at the next term of the Superior Court to answer to the charges of arson and perjury. Wilson Muzon was remanded to jail in default of giving bail.  
Harbor Master's Report of number of vessels arrived during the month of April, 1874:  
Steamers, 19  
Barques, 13  
Brigs, 7  
Schooners, 23—62  
Aggregate tonnage, 23,652.  
Aggregate Foreign tonnage, 9,861.  
Pilots report of soundings on Bars and Rips:—New Inlet, 6 feet 6 inches, Rip, 11 ft. low water. At Western Bar and Rip the sea was too heavy to get the correct soundings, but there was about the same water as at last report.  
B. G. BATES, Harbor Master.  
THE OPERATTA LAST NIGHT.—Another immense audience assembled at the Opera House last night, to witness the second, and last performance of this most beautiful operetta. If the first entertainment was good, last night's was simply superb, and Mr. James Brown and the ladies deserve much credit for their consummate taste and skill in getting up and presenting to our citizens one of the most magnificent entertainments that has ever been produced in our city. We know that they will be greeted with another, and probably a still larger audience, should they determine to reproduce it.

## U. S. Army—Weather Report.

Barom.	Ther.	Wind.	Weather.
29.95	61	W fresh	Clear
29.86	75	W brisk	do
29.82	79	do	do

## OTTO SCHUTZE, Observer, U. S. A.

## REP. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The members of the Republican Executive Committee are hereby requested to meet at the City Court Room in this city on Saturday, the 10th of May, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the transaction of important business.  
Geo. Z. French, Ch'n.  
H. Gerken, Sec'y.

## AT TIMES says Dr. Walpole has lost a beautiful chestnut mare.

She died suddenly in harness, it is supposed from bots or pin worms. If a doctor had used *Stomach's Compound*, he would, no doubt, have had his mare to-day—they breathe on worms.  
Chapped hands are very common with those who have their hands much in water. A few drops of *Johnson's Astringent* rubbed over the hands three times a day, will keep them soft and white. Fishermen, sailors, and others will do well to remember this.  
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## BADLY INJURED.—Mr. James Fleet,

it will be remembered, was so badly injured about twelve months ago in falling down the hold of a vessel, in which he was made almost a cripple for life, met with another accident on yesterday afternoon at the Carolina Central Railway Depot. It seems that his horse became frightened by the yard engine, and endeavored to run away, Mr. Fleet held him in until the shaft broke, which caused him to fall on the hard ground, severely injuring his spine. So badly was he hurt that he was placed in a boat and carried near his home, when a litter was made, upon which he was borne from the boat to his house, where he now lies, suffering very much.  
Mr. Fleet has the sympathy of our noble people, who will be glad to know of an improvement in his condition this morning.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

For the Post.  
Mr. Editor: The names of several gentlemen in the Republican party in the Judicial District are spoken of for solicitor. We think that Judge Russell is the choice of the people for the position which he now so ably fills; that he is the right man in the right place, and we have no doubt of his re-election. The names of Col. Cantwell, the present incumbent, Thomas H. Sutton, Esq., of Bladen, and Capt. Stanley of Columbus, are mentioned for solicitor, and we now propose the name of Col. Nat. McLean of Robeson, whom we will urge before the Convention. It would be gratifying to see either of the gentlemen filling the office, but Colonel McLean is our first choice. He was one of the first of this section to give his adhesion to the principles of the Republican party, and never has asked for an office.  
Let the nominee be whom he may we will do our duty, and no doubt success will crown our labors in August. So let us begin our work and be ready in time.  
VOX POPULI.  
Lumberton, N. C., April 27, 1874.

## Mayor's Court.

His Honor W. P. CANADAY, Mayor, presiding.  
Only one solitary case was disposed of this morning before this tribunal.  
George W. Hill, for disorderly conduct on the streets, was fined \$5 and costs for his frivolous amusement.

## THE following are the names of the persons, together with the charges and terms of sentence, as passed upon them by Judge Russell, to-day, viz:

**PENITENTIARY.**  
Wm. Giles, highway robbery, 2 years.  
Aaron Willis, larceny, 10 years.

## WORK HOUSE.

George Owens, larceny, 2 years.  
Dennis Miller, larceny, 8 months.  
Hardy Williams, larceny, 4 months.  
James Armstrong, larceny, 6 months.  
Elijah Martin, attempt at rape, 3 years.  
Ben Williams, larceny, 12 months.  
Andrew Devane, larceny, 6 months.

## A SWINDLER.—The Milton Chronicle says: "We see from the Wilmington Post that there is a Doctor Ballou stopping there, who professes to be a universal cure-all. The doctor has recently been operating in Canada, South Carolina and Florida. Where will he turn up next?"

It is true that the doctor has been operating in Wilmington, in fact he operated the Post out of some \$15 for advertising, and suddenly took his departure for parts unknown. We have the doctor's cut, which he left behind, a *fac simile* of his weebegone physiognomy, which he can obtain upon application at this office.  
Be on the lookout for the swindler.

## PATRON'S OF HUSBANDRY.—Capt. J. C. McMillan, State Deputy, organized "Rural Grange" at Trimble's Mills, Duplin county, on Wednesday last, with the following officers:

J. C. Trimble—Master.  
S. C. Jones—Overseer.  
Stratton Burton—Lecturer.  
Jeremiah Lanier—Steward.  
Ed. Lanier—Assistant Steward.  
Rafoad Lanier—Chaplain.  
Watson Burton—Treasurer.  
Dr. J. W. McNeill—Secretary.  
James W. Lanier—Gate Keeper.  
Miss Mary Burton—Ceres.  
Miss Lizzie Trimble—Flora.  
Miss Emma Burton—Pomona.  
Miss Allie Trimble—Lady Assistant Steward.

## EXONERATED.—The boy William

who was charged with having extracted about \$30 in currency, from the pocket-book of the Rev. Mr. W. A. Linn, while engaged in shaving him, at a barber shop on Market street, about 7 1/2 o'clock, a. m. Wednesday, was tried before Justice Cassidey this morning, and as no proof as to his guilt was established, he was discharged and exonerated from all suspicions.  
It seems that the Rev. Mr. Linn, who is in attendance at the Lutheran Synod, now in session in this city, and who is stopping at the residence of L. A. Hart, Esq., had his pocket-book, containing \$30 in currency, upon retiring for the night, and not having any need for money, he did not examine the book until he arose from the chair in the barber shop, when, feeling for it, he found it not in the usual pocket, but in another one, when opening it, he discovered that some person had abstracted every cent.  
Consequently, through the urgent solicitation of many friends, who suspected the boy as having perpetrated the theft, he was arrested and taken before Justice Cassidey this morning, and as it was proven that it was an utter impossibility to rob any person's pocket while sitting in one of the barbers' chairs, and as no proof could be produced regarding the guilt of the boy, he was discharged, as has already been mentioned.  
Mr. Linn, we understand, accounts for the robbery of his money, by some scoundrel, who endeavored to force an entrance into the residence of L. A. Hart, Esq., the night previous, during the prevalence of the thunder storm, a fact which was spoken of in the papers, but it now seems that the thief must have, in reality, entered the house and purloined the contents of the reverend gentleman's pocket-book.  
The *Saturday Review* tells of a Scotch clergyman who quoted a text of Scripture in his prayer, and added: "For that, O Lord, is the correct translation of the passage."

## LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

### NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 1.  
Francis Ubassy has challenged Albert Garnier to play a match game of billiards of one thousand points, up for \$500 a side, according to the championship rule.  
Officer Michael J. Lane was shot and dangerously wounded last night while attempting to arrest a thief.

### CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.  
Two boys attacked another one who drew a pistol. The mother of the two boys seized the pistol, and in the struggle the pistol exploded, shooting off one of her fingers and instantly killing the assailed boy.

### ARKANSAS.

LITTLE ROCK, May 1.  
A regular battle is reported in Jefferson county. The Brookites had nine killed and twenty wounded. The remainder were disarmed and sent home. Seven Baxterites were wounded, and six horses killed. Federal action is hoped for by all.

### WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 1.  
The Senate has passed the House bill appropriating ninety thousand (\$90,000) dollars for the relief of persons suffering by the overflow of the Mississippi river.  
The House is in committee of the whole, on the Indian appropriation bill.

### OHIO.

SHAWNEE, May 1.  
A lady died from eighty grains bromide of chloral, administered by a dentist, who has fled.

### CANADA.

QUEBEC, May 1.  
There is six inches of snow here.

### A Sorrow of the Sanctuary.

All the pews in our church were painted and varnished during the past month, and while fixing Dr. Clamm's pew the workmen accidentally left a large splotch of varnish on the back of it. Last Sunday Dr. Clamm's son, Johnny, had his hair pulled once or twice during service by Bullet's boy in the next pew in the rear.  
After a while young Clamm became quiet and placed his head right against this one mass of undried varnish, while he amused himself reading the Ten Commandments upon the wall just back of the pulpit. Presently he attempted to move, but the varnish had got into his hair and held him tight.—After making one or two desperate, but ineffectual efforts to release himself, he became very angry and supposing that Bullet's boy was holding him, he shouted out, "Let go o' my hair! Let go o' my hair, I tell you!"  
The minister paused just as he had entered upon the consideration of "thirdly," and the congregation looked around in amazement, just to see young Clamm with his head in *statu quo*, aiming deadly blows with his fist at some unseen person behind him. And every time he struck out in this manner he screamed, "I'll put a head on you after church. I'll go for you, Bill Bullet, when I ketch you alone! Let go o' my hair, I tell you, or I'll mash your nose, etc., etc."  
The deacon, who came running up, thought the boy had the nightmare and was talking in his sleep, and old Mrs. Jones, in the pew in front screamed for the doctor, under the impression that Clamm, junior, was involved in a series of frightful convulsions, while Bullet's dog sat up at the end of the pew, looking as solemn as if the sermon had made a deep impression on him. Finally, the sexton took out his jack knife and saved enough of Mr. Clamm's hair to release him, and then dragged him out into the vestibule, while the victim kept glancing around at Bullet's boy, and striking his fist at that urchin as if to indicate that he cherished deadly designs upon young Bullet. The contest, however, has been averted by an explanation, and we were glad to see, on Thursday, young Clamm playing hopscotch with Bullet's boy, in apparent forgetfulness of the sorrows of the sanctuary.—*Danbury News.*

### Experiments made upon a healthy soldier in London go to show that alcohol is useless in a greater quantity than two ounces daily.

The same experiments, however, indicated an advantage in its use if employed in rousing a feeble appetite or exciting a feeble circulation of blood.  
Can an edifice that weighs several hundred tons be properly called a light house.

## STATE ITEMS.

Salem wants a good merchant tailor.  
Salisbury is an excellent hay market.  
Deer are said to be plentiful in the Enfield section.  
A steamboat is running between Danville and Leakville.  
State and county taxes are 50 cents on the \$100 in Catawba.  
Newbern decides next Monday on the prohibition question.  
Gov. Caldwell lives in Morganton in the same house he was born in.  
G. M. Yoder, of Newton, Catawba county, has a dish made in 1796.  
The dairy farms near Raleigh have done a good business the past year.  
The State Council, Friends of Temperance meets in Winston, June 19th.  
A dead colored child was found secreted near a graveyard in Greensboro. Four were suspected of a homicide, arrested and sent to jail.  
The lightning rod men of Raleigh deny that they entered into the combination of insurance and sewing machine agents to elect a Mayor.  
From all that we hear, we infer most of the North Carolina members in Congress are much greater beaux or gay lotharios than statesmen.—*Milton Chronicle.*

## Table Etiquette.

1. See that those about you are helped before you commence eating yourself.
2. Do not eat soup from the tip, but the side of the spoon.
3. On passing your plate to be replenished, retain the knife and fork.
4. Wipe the mouth before drinking.
5. Remove the teaspoon from the cup before drinking tea or coffee.
6. Use the knife only in cutting the food; do not raise it to the mouth.
7. Eat slowly; rapid eating is unhealthy.
8. If you find anything unpleasant in your food, avoid calling the attention of others to it.
9. Close the lips when chewing.
10. Keep your elbows off the table.
11. Do not speak with food in your mouth.
12. When asked to help your neighbor do not shove but hand the plate to him.
13. Do not turn your head and stare about the room.
14. If any one at the table makes a mistake, take the least possible notice of it.

## New Names for an Old Infirmary.

When Macready, the actor, visited this country he found many things to puzzle and perplex him, for he was as precise and angular as Mr. Grewgious. The idioms and eccentricities of the Yankees were beyond his comprehension. At one of our theatres, where he was performing an engagement, he had occasion to find much fault with the supporting actors, who were a particularly free and easy set. Going to the manager one day, he said:  
"Mr. Manager, you have deceived me, sir, you have told me that which is not true, sir!"  
"Bless me!" cried the manager, in surprise, "how so?"  
"About your actors, sir. Did you not tell me that Mr. A— was on high?"  
"Yes."  
"And that Mr. S— had a touch of the tangle foot?"  
"Ay, that was what I said."  
"And in explanation Mr. B—, you told me that he had a snake in his boot?"  
"Certainly—did."  
"Well, sir," announced the great tragedian, in most stern and indignant manner, "I find upon critical examination, that these men are all drunk!—All drunk!"

## A Dubuque paper says that Victoria Woodhull is rich in wit, logic and pathos, strong in argument and pointed in applications, but she doesn't pay her printing bills when she can help it.

A St. Paul locomotive threw a man one hundred and eighty feet through a trestle-work bridge and didn't hurt him, which is another recommendation for Western climate.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### TICKET FOR ALDERMEN.

NOMINATED BY THE  
First Ward,  
J. F. GARRELL,  
WM. H. HOWE.  
Second Ward,  
O. S. YARBORO,  
SOL NASH.  
Third Ward,  
PHILIP NEWMAN,  
HAYWOOD TURNER.  
Fourth Ward,  
JAMES WILSON,  
WM BUCHANAN.  
Fifth Ward,  
DANIEL BENDER,  
HIRAM HANKINS.  
may 1—14

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EVERY ONE THAT TRIES THE DRIED SUGAR CORN once, gets more—another Fresh Invoice Just Received.  
ALSO, small lot, POTOMAC ROE HERBINGS, very nice for breakfast or tea. NEW MACKEREL and COD FISH. Always on hand, a general line of GROCERIES, CANNED GOODS, WINES and LIQUORS. Our PRIDE OF THE MARKET and SEEK NO FURTHER  
Flowers give general satisfaction. Our Mr. Donahoe being north, and will remain some time at the North, and buying goods exclusively for cash, we are prepared to put our goods to CASH CUSTOMERS at NORTHERN PRICES.  
J. H. MCGARITY & CO.,  
April 30—14 Under Seaman's Home.

## TO THE PUBLIC.

THE COUNTY CANVASS having been opened in New Hanover county, I respectfully take this method of announcing to the people, that I have yielded to the desire of many friends, and now present myself as a candidate for the nomination of COUNTY TREASURER, to be made in the next Republican County Convention.  
My faithful services to the Republican party and the people generally, are well known, and if I am nominated and elected to the above position, I will qualify and serve as only an honest man can.  
Very respectfully,  
ELIJAH HEWLETT.  
April 29—14

## FOR SOLICITOR.

WE ARE requested to announce that EDWARD CANTWELL, the present incumbent, is a candidate for Solicitor of this Judicial District, subject to the action of the Republican Judicial Nominating Convention when called.  
April 15—14

## General Collection Agency.

SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO COLLECTING rents and claims of all kinds, by ordinary collection, or by process of law when necessary.  
Ejectments under Landlord and Tenant Act, filing Liens on Real and Personal Property under the Mechanic's Lien Law and collecting debts in the county will have prompt and careful attention.  
G. O. VANAMRINGE,  
J. J. CASSIDY,  
Justice of the Peace, &c.,  
Office on Princess street, near the Court House.  
April 27—14

## We Offer

TO THE PUBLIC  
Handsome Cass. Suits at \$11 50.  
Nice Melton Suits, \$10 50.  
Boys suits cheap.  
TRY US.  
MUNSON & CO.,  
CITY CLOTHIERS,  
apr 29 21 North Front Street.

## MAYOR'S OFFICE.

CITY OF WILMINGTON,  
APRIL 18th, 1874.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Mayor's Office until  
12 O'CLOCK, MAY 1st, 1874,  
for the PAVING SIDEWALKS on Front street, between Dock and Sun streets, of bricks, known as Eastern Clinkers.  
Bonds required for completion of contract.  
W. P. CANADAY, Mayor.  
apr 18-td. Star and Journal copy td.

## "REMEMBER!"

THE  
"THE BEST BUTTER IN THE WORLD."  
WE are now prepared to furnish this "Choice" Butter to the family trade.  
EVERY PACKAGE STAMPED.  
Received fresh every week, direct from our Orange county dairy.  
"BUY ONLY THE BEST."  
For sale only by  
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GOODS EVERY WEEK  
IMPORTED CANNED GOODS  
Try the  
SALAD DRESSING,  
At  
april 21 GEO. MYERS.  
READING FOR ALL.

"BRODDEN DOWNS," B. C. Newby;  
"The Hidden Sin," "Nine-Three," by Outida;  
"Colonel Laere," "No Intentions," "Phineas Redux," "The Blue Ribbon," "Lottie Darling," "Young Brown," "Victor's Triumph," "Down the River," a tale of the Cape Fear; "The Pentateuch," "Hints and Hints in Pastoral Theology," by Wm. S. Plummer, D. D., LL. D.  
HEINSDORFER'S  
Live Book and Music Store  
apr 11-14