

Carolina Watchman,

SALISBURY, FRIDAY, OCT. 20, 1871.

LOCAL AND STATE ITEMS.

Having purchased the printing stock and subscription list of the Old North State, in accordance with the terms of the sale those who had paid in advance for that paper, will look to us to fill out their term.

"SAM BROWN."—We re-publish on our fourth page the original legend of SAM BROWN, which was accidentally omitted, last week, in making up the form, by the omission of only a word, but that word a very material one.

We publish on the outside of this paper some of the details of the awful fires in the Northern States. These fires were stupendous in their proportions and most terribly destructive.

John H. Cannon is now in the midst of the second week of his Superior Court term for Rowan. We had not heard his name mentioned by any one in any way until yesterday evening.

The hundreds, if not thousands, of visitors to Robinson's show last Wednesday were caught in a dreaching rain returning to their homes.

Meckler Sausage.—We are indebted to T. B. LONG'S new Boarding House for a mass of this celebrated Sausage.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. S. Rothrock will preach a sermon with reference to the reformation, next Sunday, it being the 354 anniversary of the reformation.

The Fair of the Carolinas, at Charlotte, this week, is announced a complete success, as indeed, we expected it would be; for the people of that spirited little city do nothing by halves.

Lutheran Grace Yard.—A neat and substantial brick wall has been erected around the sacred dust of our departed friends and kindred resting in this Seminary.

FAIR OF THE WEST. N. C. AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL ASSOCIATION. During last week we had the pleasure of spending two days at this most successful exhibition of Mechanical and Agricultural products.

The Agricultural exhibition was not such as it might have been, but we trust that a sufficient amount has been offered to the farmers of Rowan and other counties to compete with each other hereafter, and at the next meeting make a more creditable display.

The stock on exhibition was good, though not large, several washing trotters and pacers, with a number of heavy and light draught horses.—The winners were especially good, there being quite a number.

Friday, the closing day, drew an immense assembly, the larger portion of whom were ladies, attended to witness the contest of the Tournament. At the grand horse race, a squadron of Knights, decked in all the splendor of ancient heraldry, drew up in front of the stand to receive the charge, which was admirably delivered, and met with frequent applause.

The Coronation Ball at the Boyden House, in the evening, closed the festivities of the occasion, and was one of the most agreeable and well gotten up that the town has ever witnessed. Bounding feet kept time to the music until a late hour, when recourse was had to a magnificent supper, prepared by that "prince of cooks" Col. Brown, to re-invigorate the weary and afford fresh merriment among the happy and gallant. The "drowsy god" gradually overcoming us, we retired, thinking if there were not "bright smiles haunting still."

A dispatch from Odessa tells of the burning of eight hundred buildings in the town of Bogorodnia, Russia. The town was principally inhabited by Jews, and the fire was believed to be the work of their fanatical oppressors.

Details have reached London of great storms which have occurred in China, involving immense loss of life and property. At least three thousand persons are said to have perished.

It is represented that the daring and wily Bismarck holds at present the mercantile existence of England in his hands, the result of having humbled France in the dust. No less a sum than twenty-five millions sterling is now in his possession in the shape of bills drawn by French on English capitalists, and should he think of presenting them and converting them into gold, all the specie in the Bank of England would not suffice, as it possesses little more than twenty-one millions in all. The directors of that institution have endeavored to avert the crisis by raising the rate of discount to five per cent, but this will not prevent the calamity if he chooses to insist on payment of his bills, for they are bound to give gold for their notes on presentation, and he could thus render the establishment bankrupt in a day, or reduce to a similar condition all whose paper he holds.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The President by proclamation suspends the writ of habeas corpus in the following South Carolina districts: Spartanburg, York, Marion, Chester, Laurens, Newberry, Fairfield, Lancaster and Newberry. The suspension extends to arrests by the U. S. Marshal, his deputies or any Federal officer, soldier or citizen or citizen acting under orders of said Marshal, his deputies or a military officer.

There are assurances that there are no injurious appearances in General Balloch's accounts. The announcement that there was a run on the Freedman's Savings Bank is incorrect.

There has been a ninety-four mile fire in Santa Cruz county, California, causing great destruction to rangeland property. A half million dollars' deficit has been discovered in the Philadelphia city treasury, a portion of which it is thought was used to carry the recent election.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 19.—The Republicans carried the school and judicial elections throughout the State. The tax payers carried the city by 1,200 to 5,000 majority. The Democrats are contesting the election of Tolona county, because by interference of Federal officials they were prevented from free ballot.

MEMPHIS, October 19.—The United States Marshal brought four alleged Ku Klux from North Mississippi to-day. Advances from Constantinople state that the cholera has again made its appearance, and in two days sixty persons have died of the epidemic, ten of whom were Englishmen.

The Vicksburg Times and Republican of the 7th says: "During the last week in this county and city, have occurred two murders, one suicide, three fires, twenty-one arrests besides four persons have been bitten by mad dogs, one of which proved fatal."

An eye witness notes, as a remarkable feature of the Chicago fire, and as evidence of the intensity of the flames, that as if wood, so that for the most part the rubbish does not present a formidable appearance, there being but here and there a projection of wall. Hundreds of acres are almost as clean as nicely cleared fields. Stone work, both sand and limestone, melted down for the most part into one indistinguishable mass.

QUEEN VICTORIA.—At an immense meeting in London, Mr. Bradlaw pronounced the Queen insane and demanded a regency. She is said to believe in spiritualism and to converse especially with the spirit of her deceased husband. Mr. Bradlaw came out openly for a Republic.

SALISBURY MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various goods including Bacon, Pork, Corn, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, and other commodities.

BINCHAM & CO. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS.

Are receiving a very large stock of Sugar, Molasses, Lard, Bacon, Rice, Soap, Powder, Shot, Whiskey, Brandy, Tobacco, Wooden Ware, Crockery and Glass Ware, and all articles usually in the Grocery line, which we are selling at wholesale and retail on the most favorable terms.

The very best Kerosene Oil, Pure Clarified Olive Oil, Pure Castles, Raisins, Nuts, Cheese, Crackers, Corn Starch, Hecker's Farina, Cox's Gelatine, Disiccated Cocoanut, Royal Baking Powders. Just received at BINCHAM & CO'S.

Land Deeds, Trustee Deeds, Commissioner's Deeds, Sheriff's Deeds, Chattel Mortgages, &c. For Sale at this office.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Trust What Time has Sanctioned. The maxim that the voice of the people is the voice of the deity may in some cases be open to doubt, but the testimony of honest and enlightened witnesses, extending through a series of years, and all to the same purpose, is worthy of credence, admits of no question.

Watch Work. He is also prepared to repair Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, in a workman-like manner. All work in this line warranted for twelve months. Give him a call.

MERONEY & BROTHER DEALERS IN DOMESTIC & FANCY GOODS, Hosiery, Dress Trimmings, White Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, GROCERIES, CONFECTIONERIES, &c.

McNEELY & WALTON (SUCCESSORS TO ROBERTS' NEELEY & CO.) Are now selling their SECOND STOCK OF Spring and Summer Goods.

PHILIPS & BROS., Main Street, two doors above Court-House. ON SALE Fresh and salted FISH of all kinds, a full supply of FAMILY GROCERIES, LIQUORS, and Yankee Notions.

Wm. Overman & Son. GREAT REDUCTION IN Boots and Shoes. Having purchased our stock after the great decline in gold, we are able to offer Boots, Shoes, Leather and Findings, at greatly reduced prices.

V. WALLACE Asks particular attention to his large & select Stock of Goods, comprising everything in the Mercantile line, and offered as cheap as the market.

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McLEAN'S GALLERY. To get good pictures taken cheap. He is now taking 12 Photographs for \$4.00; 6 for \$2.50; 4 Ferrotypes for \$1.00.

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Notes Lost.

THE Following notes, made payable to me as administrator of Richard W. Griffith deceased, have been lost or mislaid so that they cannot be found, viz: One note on Dr. D. W. Kridler and Julius Wood, for \$110.00, dated Sept. 4th, 1867, bearing interest from date; one on H. C. Owens, J. P. Owens and E. M. J. Barber, for \$127, dated Sept. 4th, 1867, bearing interest from date, with a credit of \$100, in April, 1869; one on Dr. D. W. Kridler, C. C. Kridler, and A. Hart, for \$125, dated Dec. 17th, 1867, bearing interest from date; one on C. B. Dixon, R. J. M. Barber and G. M. Myers, for \$37.75, dated Sept. 14th, 1867, bearing interest from date.

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VALUABLE PRESENT. THE thanks of the citizens of the Town are due and tendered to Messrs H. M. Smith & Co., of Richmond Va., for one of their excellent Patent West Euxine Presses.

NOTICE. WHEREAS, at the regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the W. N. C. R. R. on the 12th day of October 1871, there was no present or representative sufficient amount of stock to organize said meeting, &c.

Tax Notice. I WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for the year 1871.

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