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NEWS SUMMARY.

Among the passengers in the steam-
ship *Seythia*, which arrived Thursday
from Europe, were Mr. and Mrs. P. T.
Barum. On Monday evening, at the re-
quest of the officers and passengers, Mr.
Barum lectured in the saloon. Judge
Brester presided. A vote of thanks was
passed, and a plentiful collection was made
for the benefit of the Seamen's
Orphanage of Liverpool.
Second Assistant Postmaster-General
Barlow last night, saying that Senator
Morton was somewhat better, that his
physician gave it as his opinion that his
illness came from indigestion, and that a
day's relaxation would bring him out all
right. It is known that his left side is
partly paralyzed, and his friends in
Washington fear that his illness is of a
very serious character. — Secretary
Evarts has rented a prominent large house
owned by H. M. Hutchinson, on the cor-
ner of K and Fifteenth streets. The rent
is said to be \$8,000, the amount of Evarts'
salary as Secretary of State. —
A Republican conspiracy in Spain has
been discovered and frustrated, and many
arrests made in Madrid and the provinces.
In Government circles, however, the
movement is considered unimportant.
Perfect tranquility prevails throughout
the country at present. — A London
dispatch says it is reported that the King
of Holland intends to abdicate.
— William Longman, the well-known Lon-
don publisher, who had been seriously ill
for some time, past, is dead. — A
storm passed over Clifton, Ill., last even-
ing, completely destroying a church
school house, mill, and a number of
dwellings, and doing considerable
damage to the crops. — Hon.
Raleigh T. Daniel, Attorney Gen-
eral of Virginia, died at 4:30 P. M. yester-
day after two days' illness from hemor-
rhage of the bowels age 72. — A special
dispatch to the *Galveston News* reports a
fight in Mexico, recently, between the
Kickapo and Lipan Indians, in which
seventeen Lipans were killed. —
Mexican troops are concentrating at Ca-
marago, opposite Ringgold barracks. —
A special from Fort Clark to the same
paper says that Mexican cattle thieves
dove one hundred and fifty head of cat-
tle across the Rio Grande on the 14th inst.
— Dr. Bliss, senator Morton's Washington
doctor, telegraphs that he is confident of
Morton's recovery. — Secretary Mc-
Cary comes back to Washington Saturday.
— The sitting Bull Commission, of which
Gen. Terry will be Chairman, will report
direct to President Hayes. Secretary
Schurz has not yet found a civilian to send
on the Commission at his own expense.
— E. J. Smith, Surveyor General of
Montana, has been suspended for
misdeemeanors in office. —
"According to private advices from
Lyon's several failures have occurred in the
wilt trade, including one for a million of
dollars." — An Erzeroum dispatch to
the *Times* says the reports that the Rus-
sians advancing from Ardahan Olti are
unfounded. There are only six battalions
and one regiment of cavalry at Ardahan.
Four battalions detached from that direc-
tion are now encamped at Ziam. —
A special edition of the *Evening Standard*
has a dispatch from Poreidin [saying]:
"General Koulykh has gone to St. Peters-
burg to resume command of the guards
who are coming here." —
The ceremonies at Bennington yesterday
were tumultuously successful. There was
a slight delay on Main street, of which
several persons availed themselves to rush
up to the President's carriage and shake
hands. One of these, a prominent local
politician, remarked, "I like you person-
ally, Mr. President, but damn your
policy," to which he good-humoredly re-
plied, "Come, now, no politics to-day." —
Sec. Evarts said: "Mr. President, Ladies
and Gentlemen: It is fair that I should
warn you that, though I am very slow to
begin a speech, I am much slower to end
it, and I know your only safety is in my
retiring before I commence." (Applause.)
Secretary Key responded as follows:
"My dear friends: This call is grateful
to me. I do not accept it as a personal
compliment to me, but as an indication of
fraternal feeling on the part of our North-
ern friends to their erring Southern breth-
ren."

THE TAX ON BANKS.

The following decision in regard to tax
on banks, issued by the State Treasurer,
is important, and explains itself:—
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Treasury Department,
RALEIGH, August 16, 1877.
To Cashiers of Banks in North Carolina:
To secure uniformity of returns from
the banks and banking associations in this
State, of their stock and deposits of non-
residents, the following suggestions and in-
structions are published: Sec. 2, Class 1, of
an Act to raise Revenue provides that the
tax on the shares of stock of the Banks or
Banking Associations, and the deposits of
non-residents shall be paid directly to the
State Treasurer within thirty days after
the 1st day of July in each year. Blanks
for the returns were transmitted to the
Cashiers of the several banks and Bank-
ing Associations in the State, with a
circular letter of instructions. It ap-
pears from the returns received from some
Cashiers that a deduction has been directly
made from the stock on account of real
estate, and in other instances that the
stock has been valued at an amount below
its par value, so as to exclude the amount
of stock represented by the property of
the Bank, viz: lands, buildings, office-
fixtures, &c. It has been decided by this
department, after consultation with the
Attorney-General, that the returns should
embrace the entire money or market value
of the stock, without any deduction on
account of property, leaving the property
to be listed in the counties for taxation for
school and county purposes only. By this
means the stock, with the property will
be returned to this department for State
taxation. I, therefore, instruct cashiers
to make their returns according to this
decision.

MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE STATE FAIR.

The Executive Committee of the North
Carolina Agricultural Society held their
monthly meeting last night at the Yar-
borough House, A. Creech, Esq., Chair-
man, and C. B. Denson, Secretary. The
meeting was well attended, the interest
evidently growing from week to week as
the time for the Fair draws near. Messrs.
McCallum, Lewis, Hoke, Nichols, Bagley,
Clark, Blackall, Hines, Wilson, Duncan,
Cameron, Chief Marshal, and Johnston
Jones, Adjutant-General, were present.
Additional donations were reported for
the premium list of crockery, furniture,
&c. The Secretary presented a drawing
just received, which is now on exhibition,
from Messrs. Tiffany & Co., of the beau-
tiful silver vase, which that renowned firm
presents to the society for the premium
list. It consists of an elongated egg-form
vase of sterling silver, with projecting
edge highly ornamented, and with rich,
boldly curved handles. The vase is deco-
rated with a conventional arrangement of
wheat in high relief, and the whole is
mounted on an ebony base.
On motion it was ordered that all ar-
ticles allowed to compete for premiums be
entered by 9 a. m. Wednesday, and awards
closed 9 a. m. Thursday.
The President and Secretary were ap-
pointed a committee to invite the orator
for the Fair.
Arrangements were made for the better
accommodation of articles in some depart-
ments. Various communications were
read, asking space for exhibits. The com-
mittee separated at a late hour, after
transacting much important work for the
Fair.

THE PEOPLE WANT PROOF.

There is no medicine prescribed by
physicians, or sold by Druggists, that
carries such evidence of its success and
superior virtue of BOSCHER'S GERMAN
SYRUP for severe Coughs, Colds settled on
the breast, Consumption, or any disease
of the Throat and Lungs. A proof of that
fact is that any person afflicted, can get a
Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try its
superior effect before buying the regular
size at 75 cents. It has lately been intro-
duced in this country from Germany,
and its wonderful cures are astonishing
every one that use it. Three doses will
relieve any case. Try it.

N. H. SPRUNT,

Exchange Corner.

EXCHANGE CORNER is the place to get
everything in the FANCY GOODS line.
THE NICEST GOODS kept.
It has always been the place for the Nicest
and most FASHIONABLE MILLINERY
GOODS, and will in future prove to be such
to all who may come or send their orders.
All orders sent from a distance will re-
ceive Prompt and Special Attention.
Remember EXCHANGE CORNER
for your FALL GOODS.
Call now for SUMMER GOODS.
aug 11. N. H. SPRUNT.

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DAILY REVIEW.

THE DAILY REVIEW.

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THE MAILS.

The Mails close and arrive at the City
Postoffice as follows:
Northern through mails - - - 4:45 P M
Northern through and way mails, 6:15 A M
Mails for the N. C. and A. & N. C.
Railroads, and routes supplied
therefrom - - - 4:45 P M
Southern mails for all points South,
daily - - - 5:00 P M
Western mails (C. C. R. W.) daily
(except Sundays) - - - 5:00 P M
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape
Fear River, Tuesdays and Fri-
days - - - 1:00 P M
Mails for points along line of Che-
raw & Darlington R. R. - - 11:30 A M
Fayetteville by C. C. R. W. daily,
(except Sundays) - - - 6:00 A M
Mails for points between Florence
and Charleston - - - 11:30 A M
Onslow C. H. and intermediate of-
fices every Friday - - - 6:00 A M
Smithville mails, by steamboat,
daily, (except Sundays) - - - 8:00 A M
Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek,
every Friday at - - - 3:30 P M
ARRIVE.
Northern through mails - - - 12:15 P M
Northern through and way mails, 5:50 P M
Southern mails - - - 7:30 A M
Carolina Central Railway at - - 6:30 A M
Mails delivered from 6:00 A. M. to 7:00 P
M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M.
Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M.,
and from 2 to 6 P. M. Money order and
Register Departments open same as stamp
office.
Stamps for sale at general delivery when
stamp office is closed.
Key Boxes accessible at all hours, day and
night.
Mails collected from street boxes every day
3:45 P. M.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
A. DAVID—Pearls for \$1.
S. L. FREMONT—For Rent.
GEO. MYERS—Low Prices Will Tell.
C. P. REMSEN—Clothing and Hats Ren-
ovated.
New sweet potatoes are offered for sale
in our market.
After the propounding of conventional
questions the theme of general conversation
is house renting. Property owners who
have houses to rent would do well to ad-
vertise them in the REVIEW.
There were eighteen hundred water-
melons brought to this city yesterday and
last night in flats. Our venerable friend
Mr. James Orrell, has three hundred of
the finest we have ever seen, in his office
at the foot of Market street.
Just Established.
A new Postoffice has been established
in Brunswick county, about half way
between Easy Hill and Town Creek. It
is to be known as El Paso, and Mr. W.
W. Drew has received the appointment of
Postmaster.
Nothing from the Race.
Up to the time of our going to press we
could learn nothing from the yacht race.
The wind has been very light from the
Northwest, and unless the breezes have
been stronger on the Sound than they
have been here we would not be surprised
to hear that some of the yachts had
drifted out of the Inlet, inasmuch as
they have to run down almost in the
"chops" to cross it.
Since the above was in type we learned
there was a good breeze from the south-
west and that the yachts started in good
style. Our informant left before any idea
could be formed as to the result of the
race.
FULL WEIGHT IN THE CANS; ab-
solutely pure material; careful chemical
combination—these are the secrets which
have made DOUGLEY'S YEAST POWDER the
acknowledged nonpareil of this class of
preparations. Now a-days people have
learned to study the question of health,
and they have solved it in one direction
by the use of this article.

FISHING SEASON HAS OPENED.

A haul was made from the Masonboro
beach yesterday with the Hewlett seine
when 423 bunches of mullets, averaging
about five and a half fish to the bunch,
were caught. These fish were offered in
this market at ten cents per bunch or three
bunches for twenty-five cents. At an
average of nine cents per bunch, it will
be seen that the boats crew of ten men
made tolerable good wages for these times.
The haul was by no means a large one;
but so early in the season it is con-
sidered good. Fishermen think we will
have an unusually fine run of fish this
fall.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

Fourth round of appointments as made
by Rev. William S. Black, Presiding
Elder, for the Wilmington District, Meth-
odist E. Church, South.
Magnolia, at Providence.....Sept. 1 2
Wilmington, Fifth Street.....Sept. 8 9
Cokesbury and Cobarie Mis-
sion at Cokesbury.....Sept. 15 16
Whiteville and Waccamaw
Mission at Shiloh.....Sept. 22 23
Clinton.....Sept. 29 30
Wilmington, Front Street.....Oct. 6 7
Smithville, at Concord.....Oct. 13 14
Onslow, at Queen's Creek.....Oct. 20 21
Elizabeth, at Elizabethtown.....Oct. 27 28
Bladen, at Windsor.....Nov. 3 4
Topsham, at Wesleyan Chapel.....Nov. 10 11
Kenansville, Wesley Chapel.....Nov. 17 18

Now for It.

The stand has been erected on the green
sward of the City Hall Park for the Cor-
net Concert Club, and to-night they ex-
pect to regale the ears of all lovers of
sweet music with some of their delightful
strains. Those who are deeply interested
in the future of the C. C. Club can man-
ifest their interest in a tangible way by
paying ten cents admission at the gate.
The fund realized in this way is, "we un-
derstand, to be devoted to the purchase of
new instruments. Success to the tooters.

A DESCENDANT OF A PILGRIM DEACON.

Benjamin Blossom, aged 88, who for
fifty years was a dealer in cotton and
naval stores in this city, died at the re-
sidence of his son, Josiah B. Blossom, 440
Henry street, Brooklyn, on Monday. He
was born in Fairhaven, Mass., a lineal de-
scendant of Thomas Blossom, the first
Deacon in the Pilgrim Society of Plym-
outh, about 1627.

The above we copy from the New
York *Sun* of yesterday's date. The de-
ceased, we think, is the father of our for-
mer townsman, Mr. Jos. B. Blossom who
now resides in Brooklyn, but who for
many years before the war was a resident
of this city, and a leading merchant in the
commission business here, and is now one
of the firm of J. R. Blossom and Evans,
Commission Merchants on North Water
street.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

The colored woman Mary Eliza Nixon,
who made such a terrible assault upon
the person of Margaret Clarity, an account
of which has been published in the Re-
view, had a preliminary trial before Jus-
tice Harris yesterday afternoon at 5
o'clock, together with those who were ar-
rested as her accomplices, viz: York
Watters and Isham Brown. There being
no evidence to implicate Brown, and the
evidence furnished in regard to Watters
tending rather to prove that he was a
peace-maker instead of an accomplice in
the crime, Justice Harris discharged both
Watters and Brown and committed the
woman to jail in default of \$200 bail, for
her appearance at the next term of the
Criminal Court.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of
County Commissioners, was held yesterday
afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Commis-
sioner's room at the Court House; present,
J. G. Wagner, Chairman, and Commis-
sioners Worth, Grainger, Sanders and
Holmes.
The Board upon being called to order
disposed of the following unfinished busi-
ness. The selection of school commit-
tees was postponed until the next meet-
ing of the Board. The Chairman in the
meantime is authorized to appoint two
committees of the Board—one for Wil-
mington and one for other townships, to
recommend how the school districts ought
to be laid off under the school law.

PEARLS FOR \$1.00.

AT
A. DAVID'S.
BALANCE OF SUMMER STOCK OF
CLOTHING AT
Great Bargains!
Call and see the PEARL at
27 Market Street.
aug 17
Clothing and Hats
Renovated.
HAYING COMMENCED the business of
dyeing, cleansing and pressing all kinds
of Clothing and Hats, I would solicit the
patronage of the public in general.
Charges moderate and satisfaction guaran-
teed.
Also, Old Clothing and Hats exchanged
for work.
C. P. REMSEN,
Practical Hatter and Dyer,
aug 17 Currie Row, Second St.

SHAMPOO AND BATHS.

SHAVE, 10 cents. Hair Cut, 25 cents.
Shampoo, 25 cents. Hot and cool baths at
all hours. Clean towels and sharp razors in
abundance. All work done in silence and
with dispatch.
I. FURMANSKI,
aug 16 Cor. Front and Princess.

Remarkable Sagacity of a Horse.

Some two weeks ago a very fine, spir-
ited and valuable bay horse, the property
of Mr. Jas. T. Petteway, of this city, met
with an accident by sticking a ten-penny
nail into his foot. The nail was imme-
diately extracted and the proper remedies
applied at once, but notwithstanding this
fact the animal seemed to grow worse and
continued lame. The frog in the foot be-
came diseased, so much so that the poor
animal apparently could get no relief
from his suffering. This morning, how-
ever, the gate to the horse lot, on Mr.
Petteway's premises, having been left
open, the sagacious animal seized the op-
portunity of walking out of the lot and
went immediately to the blacksmith shop
of Alfred Hargrave, on the corner of
Seventh and Princess streets, where Mr.
Petteway had been in the habit of send-
ing his horse to be shod. Without stop-
ping for the sparks that were being ham-
mered out of the red hot iron and flying
in every direction, the aforesaid horse
walked right in and directly up to the
place where the horses feet are examined,
and raising his lame foot placed it in the
position required by the blacksmith who
goes to examine a hoof, and thus remained
until the smith came and examined his
foot, when it was discovered that it was
in quite a diseased state. The blacksmith
thereupon applied the knife, cut the frog
out and allowed the accumulated matter
which had gathered there to discharge and
then dressed the foot up when the sensible
animal quietly turned about and walked
back to his owner's premises.

A DEADLY ENCOUNTER.

A gentleman strolling in the neigh-
borhood of Hilton last Sunday was attract-
ed by what he thought to be rather peculiar
behavior on the part of a frog, and kneel-
ing down to ascertain the cause of the
sudden charges and retreats of the frog,
found that a young war was going on be-
tween a large, black, venomous looking
spider and the frog. Immediately after
each attack the frog would nip the leaves
of a bush of green plantain, which, if a
slight digression will be pardonable, we
will state was formerly supposed to have
been an antidote to rattlesnake bites and
which, by reason of the plant following
in the foot-prints of civilization, was called
and known by the Indians as "White
man's step." It soon became evident to
the gentleman that the frog used the green
plantain as an antidote for spider poison,
and pulled it up to see what effect it
would have on the frog. Being unable
to get the plantain the frog almost im-
mediately keeled over, swelled up and
died. We do not pretend to say that the
plantain is an antidote to spider poisoning
or what was the cause of the frog's death
after his last attack when he was unable
to get a nip of the plant, but the gentle-
man alluded to vouches for the facts as
stated above.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For Rent.

FROM OCTOBER 1, two nice
and very desirable dwellings on
Third near Red Cross under the
Oaks, and one on large lot on Front
street near R. R. office, in good or-
der and rent moderate, good water on
the lots, 6 rooms each. Apply to the undersigned
or to Capt. R. F. Langdon, W. & W. R. R.
office or T. D. Meares, Esq., Central R. R.
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THE THERMOMETER.

From the United States Signal Office at
this place we obtain the following report
of the thermometer, as taken this morn-
ing at 7:31 o'clock:
Augusta, 73; Cairo, 72; Charleston, 76;
Cincinnati, 62; Corsicana, 75; Galveston,
82; Indianapolis, 81; Jacksonville, 77;
Key West, 85; Knoxville, 61; Lynchburg,
72; Memphis, 70; Mobile, 74; Mont-
gomery, 69; Nashville, 67; New Orleans,
78; New York, 70; Norfolk, 74; Pitts-
burgh, 64; Punta Rasa, 82; Savannah,
78; Shreveport, 72; St. Louis, 69; St.
Marks, 74; Vicksburg, 72; Washington,
69; Wilmington, 74.

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 only on
one side of the paper.
Personalities must be avoided.
And it is especially and particularly under-
stood that the editor does not always endorse
the views of correspondents, unless so stated
in the editorial columns.

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WILL TELL!

Good Flour \$8.50
per Barrel.

TRY OUR CREME DE LA
CREME AT \$9.75.

One Ton of those Elegant
Hams, 13 Cents

Daily Expected!

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11 & 13 SOUTH FRONT ST.

aug 17

Call and Examine

OUR NEW LOT OF

CHOICE TEAS,

BOTH BLACK & GREEN.

A Choice Shipment just received.

Only 50 Cents Per Pound.

JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT,

5 & 7 North Front St.

aug 14 Family Grocer.

Choice Pig Hams

A SELECTED LOT OF CHOICE

Pig Hams,

Especially for the Warm Season.

VERY FINE.

Once you try them you will purchase no
other.

JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT,

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aug 14 Family Grocer.

Trommer's Ext. Malt.

SEVEN SPRINGS MASS, and Tola An-
dyne. A supply of each just received and
with a full and complete stock of Drugs,
Medicines and Chemicals, Fancy and Toilet
Articles, for sale low by
JAMES C. MUNDY,
Druggist,
aug 16 Third St., opposite City Hall.

Left With Us With Instructions to Sell.

SEVERAL GRADES MOLASSES, Liver-
pool Ground and Fine Sals, Glue, Flour,
and Tobacco.
Straight Goods, Handsome Packages, at
prices to meet the views of all.
Parties in want are advised to send in their
orders to secure low prices! We don't hold
Goods for a profit.
Constantly receiving Up-Country Produce,
Poultry, Eggs, Meats, Fruits, Oysters, Feath-
ers, &c., which we close out daily.
For our services we receive a Brokerage of
Commission only, consequently prefer Cash
Orders.
PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN,
Brokers & Com. Merchants,
Next North Princess and Water Streets.
aug 16

In Buying or Selling

WE CHALLENGE square competition.
Orders executed for all descriptions of mer-
chandise.
We keep up with fluctuations in the prices
in all markets.
We look to quality, weight and condition
of Packages. Samples sent to any point and
wires used when requested.
Consignments of Produce, most prompt
attention. Prompt and profitable returns.
Years of experience and a determination to
work should be a guarantee that the inter-
ests of our patrons will be conscientiously
guarded.
PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN,
Brokers & Com. Merchants,
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