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BROWN & RODDICK
45 MARKET ST.

OFFER THE FOLLOWING INDUCEMENTS! For the Next Two Weeks.

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PRICES WILL SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES!

Gents Braces, 25c a pair; former price 50 cents.

Gents 3-Ply Linen Collars, \$1.50 per dozen, in all the latest styles.

Gents Wamsutta Shirts, with 2100 Linen Bosoms, 75c; just the same as sold all over the country for \$1.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE **A REINE CORSET!** One Dollar a Pair!

They are made with Adjustable Double Clasps of flexible steel plates, which prevent the clasps from breaking, and are so arranged that they may be removed at the option of the wearer whenever the Corset is to be laundered, simply by unlacing the short Silk Lacers, NO CUTTING OR RIPPING OF SEAMS being required.

Closing out 100 pair Corsets at 75c; former prices \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Balance of Ladies' Cloaks closing out without any regard to cost. A lot of Dress Goods, formerly sold at 30c, 40c and 50c; now 20c. 2-Button Kid Gloves 75c, same goods as sold for \$1.

3-4 Brown Cotton 4 1/2c per yard. 4-4 Rockingham A, 7 1/2c per yard. 4-4 Lake George, 7 1/2c per yard. Good Calicoes 5c per yard. Best Quality 7c per yard.

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They are Without an Equal! ONLY \$1.00 A PIECE!

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DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF HEAVY GROCERIES.

We invite attention to our large stock of SALT, MOLASSES, FLOUR, COFFEE, BACON, SUGAR, &c.

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Wholesale Grocers.

Found.

ON CHRISTMAS EVE NIGHT, a note drawn by W. C. Haralson, in favor of Mrs. Lucy C. Henlon or bearer, which the owner can obtain on identification and paying for this advertisement.

JAS. W. LIPPITT,
North Front St.

THE DAILY REVIEW.

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LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
A. SMILER—Going Fast.
S. JEWETT—Frames and Mouldings.
MUNSON & Co—None Better Anywhere.
I. FURMANSKI—Why Suffer?
JAMES VICK—Flower and Vegetable Garden.

Time to plant Irish potatoes now.
What is the worst kind of fare in the world? Warfare.

Some of the handsomest toilets are trimmed with Persian embroidery.
The Cape Fear is still discolored by the water from the recent high freshet.

The regular meeting of the Board Aldermen, adjourned from Monday evening, will be held to-night.

Mr. I. Furmanski, the popular and fashionable barber in basement of National Bank building, asks a simple question. See advertisement.

Miss Louise Pomeroy, now in Charlotte, will not come to Wilmington. Sothern plays here on the 19th and 20th and this is the only engagement ahead for the Opera House.

The ordinance in regard to the storing of guano should be enforced. The odor from it yesterday afternoon and last night, in the business portion of the city, was perfectly sickening.

Just as the youth of the land has learned how to spite squarely and cleanly between this standing collar and helmet hat brim, the rumor comes that fashion is about to abolish these articles.

There was a perfect rush this morning for seats to the Concert to be given on Friday evening, but there are a few seats still left and those who have not yet supplied themselves should be in a hurry about it.

Moody says he doesn't approve of pretty girls at fairs allowing themselves to be kissed for twenty-five cents. That's right. It's far better to go home with the pretty girls after the fair is over, and kiss them at the door for nothing.

Happiness at Home.
No household is a happy one unless there is method in the kitchen, and no kitchen is complete without DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER, which always proves reliable in making biscuits, cakes, rolls and bread elegantly light, wholesome, and nutritious.

It is stated that the postage stamps which some people so indefatigably collect are sold by thousands to decorate the whitewashed walls of Japanese houses in fanciful devices.

The N. C. Argus.
We have received the first and second issues of the *N. C. Argus*, published at Wadesboro, which has been revived under the management of Mr. G. D. Smith. It presents a neat and attractive appearance and under the able control of Mr. Smith, who is an old hand at the bellows, it bids fair to rival its ancient self in popularity and influence.

Optical.
Robert Brown, a colored boy of about seventeen years of age, met with a very painful accident this noon, while cutting wood. A piece of wood flew up and cut the upper and lower lids of the right eye and made a slight gash in the ball of the eye. The wound is very painful but it is thought the eye is not so badly injured as to destroy the sight.

Supreme Court.
We fined the following decision and digest among those reported in yesterday's *Raleigh Observer*:

By Faircloth, J.:—Lilly & Bro. vs. Pursell, from New Hanover. Judgment affirmed. Justice of Peace—Jurisdiction.

The plaintiff, a citizen of New Hanover county, brought this action before a Justice of the Peace in said county, against the defendant, citizen of Robeson, by sending process to the latter county as provided by statute in certain cases. The question is did the Justice have jurisdiction? Held, That the act of 1876-77, chap. 287, sec. 1, divests the Justice of the Peace of Jurisdiction in such cases.

St. Paul's Concert.
The Concert for the benefit of St. Paul's Church on Friday evening promises to be a grand affair, i. e. if we may judge from the musical talent that is enlisted and is to appear on the occasion, comprising as it does the finest vocalists from churches of every creed in the city, including members from the Synagogue also. The rush this morning for reserved seats as soon as the sale commenced was about equal to the Davenport and Januscheck occasions.

Howard Relief Fire Engine Co. No. 1.

The officers elect of this Company, the list of whom was published by us last month, were duly installed at the regular meeting of the Company held night before last. The occasion was a very interesting one, short addresses having been made by Mr. A. Adrian, the Foreman, Mr. W. F. Lessman, Assistant Engineer, and Mr. John Haar, the President. At this meeting steps were taken, we understand, looking to a grand parade on the anniversary of the Company, on the 20th inst., with a ball at night.

Dr. Warren B. Short.
The *Raleigh Observer* pays the following feeling tribute to the memory of the lamented Dr. Warren Short, a notice of whose untimely death appeared in Monday's issue of this paper:

We were inexpressible, shocked to night to receive a telegram announcing the death of this estimable young man, for within the whole range of our acquaintance there was no one whose life gave better promise of honor to himself and usefulness to his fellow-man than did that of Dr. Short. Of fine natural abilities, of studious habits, improved by all the culture that the best institutions of learning in the country could bestow, of most exemplary morals, devoted to his profession and thoroughly conscientious in the discharge of its slightest duty, we looked forward to his career as one about which there could be no doubt as to the fulfillment of its flattering promise. Indeed, it so happened that in private conversation not twenty-four hours before getting the dispatch containing the sad intelligence of his death we spoke of him as we had done at other times before as one of whom his friends did indeed have a right to be proud. But man proposes and God disposes, and true it is that in the midst of life we are in death. Dr. Short was the second son of Col. H. B. Short, of Columbus county, in this State, and had only recently begun the practice of medicine. For years he had been a most consistent member of the Episcopal church.

Death of an Engineer.
Benny Baxter, an engineer well and favorably known on the W. C. & A. R. R. where he has been employed for some time past, died day before yesterday at his home near Charleston, S. C. Mr. Baxter had been suffering some time with that terrible disease, consumption, but it was not until a few weeks since that he gave up to it, and it was then only because of a severe hemorrhage of his lungs which attacked him while out on the road and so completely prostrated him that he was unable to stand on his engine any longer. Capt. Divine, the General Superintendent, happening to be out on the road at the time discovered his engineer's condition and had him conveyed at once to his home. Mr. Baxter was a kind-hearted, good and genial person, and was liked by all who knew him; he was beloved by his companions in the shops and on the road, and was held in high esteem by the officers of the road. As a mark of respect to his memory and as a proof of their esteem, all the engineers leaving Wilmington to-day on the W. C. & A. R. R. draped their engines in mourning.

Dress Parade.
The cadets of the Cape Fear Military Academy, under command of Maj. Burgess, were out yesterday on the streets for a dress parade, for the first time since their organization as a battalion. As usual, they made a splendid appearance, and their drill was correct and precise and would have done credit to veterans. The Adjutant of the new organization, Cadet Frank B. Lippitt, has been complimented by many on the manner in which he formed and presented the battalion.

Sale of Bonds and Stocks.
Messrs Cronly & Morris sold the following bonds and stocks at public auction this morning:

County bonds, issue of 1870, due in 1880, with March coupons attached, \$68.
City bonds, issue of 1860, due in 1880, issued to the Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherford R. R., \$73.
Ten shares of National Bank stock sold for \$73, when the balance of the stock to have been offered was withdrawn.

Wilmington & W. R. R. stock, offered with privilege of 5 or 15 shares, was withdrawn, bids having been limited to \$40 and no higher than limit having been offered.

One of our young Water street merchants had his left hand badly cut yesterday in opening a bottle of beer, the bottle having exploded before the cork could be drawn. Moral: Always drink your bottled beer before drawing the cork.

It requires skill to part the hair in the middle and button the coat with a shingle nail.

Harbor Improvements.

WILMINGTON, N. C.
1st of February, 1878.
A. H. Van Bokkelen, Esq., President of the Chamber of Commerce:
SIR—On Tuesday last, the 29th ult., we made a visit to the public works at, and near New Inlet, and now ask to report, that since our report of the 20th of October last (published 23d), 11,129 cubic yards of stone have been placed in position by Messrs. Bangs & Dolby, aggregating 49,130 yards put in by them up to the 1st of January, fully completing their contract.

During the fall bids for the delivery of \$20,000 worth of stone were advertised for, and a contract for the same awarded Mr. W. H. French, of Rocky Point, he being the lowest bidder, at a price below that being paid Bangs & Dolby. Mr. French made his first delivery on the 11th of January, and up to this time has delivered 2,500 yards, which does not yet bring the breakerwater to a standstill fully up to low water lines. There seems to be a constant shrinkage going on, owing, as you may readily suppose, to a concentration of the currents of water upon it over one-half a mile wide and four to eight feet deep, in their efforts to get out of the inlet, where this terrible pressure is intensified by the suspension of all dredging operations for the past eighteen months, thus failing to enlarge the main outlet in the ratio of closing New Inlet, at which point and in the bay the water is ponded two or more feet on the ebb tide. This state of affairs, as a matter of course, must exercise a most damaging influence upon the work in hand, as also upon the old breakerwater and the line of beach connecting it with Smith's Island.

The beach, stated in our last report as making up so handsomely in front of the old breakerwater, has nearly all been washed away, exposing a large portion of it, there being free ingress and egress of water across it at half tide, through the break in it made by the April storm alluded to in a former report. The point of beach beyond has also been very much abraded, and presents a dangerous appearance.

The two sluices, alluded to in former reports, about half a mile apart, and about three miles from New Inlet, have enlarged since our last report, and joined at high tide, covering entirely the middle ground between, exposing and opening over half a mile in width, and presenting a very formidable appearance.

The Assistant Engineer (Mr. Bacon) seems to regard this opening as not of a dangerous character. He says there are lateral circumstances connected with it combining to influence a natural closure. We sincerely hope he is correct in his opinions, and cheerfully yield to his superior judgment and experience in such matters, hoping only for the best, but frankly acknowledge our inability to perceive any lateral circumstances of sufficient merit to overcome the damaging influence of the ponded bay water in its front.

About a mile below this opening is another about 300 feet wide. This sluice does not at present appear formidable, but rather tending in appearance to a natural closure.

The entire beach, from New Inlet to Smith's Island, has a weak and sickly appearance. It will be remembered that the great April storm and high tides leveled the hills and beach to the common level of high water line pretty nearly. Soon after, the beach and grass began to grow, giving promise of security and restoration. Now, however, most of this growth and improvement is lost which we attribute mainly, if not altogether, to the elevation of the water in the bay by closing New Inlet, without providing sufficient egress for the water through the main outlet by means of dredging, which was made impossible for want of money. Therefore, the alarming apprehension is forced upon us that a portion at least of the beach may be washed away before the necessary preparations can be made to secure it, thereby entailing an extensive wash destructive to navigation. The pilots report only 8 to 8 1/2 feet now on Bald Head bar, at low tide, and 6 feet on Snow's Marsh Channel.

Col. Craighill writes that the entire work will have to be suspended in April, when French's contract ends, and he will be out of money. He further expresses the wish for \$200,000 "now," at his command, for the prosecution of this work, but we doubt whether this sum will be sufficient to repair the damage already sustained, and check the damaging influence upon the whole work resulting from the long suspension of active operations, and at the same time prosecute the work to a successful issue.

From the foregoing statements, "the patent facts," as stated and urged in former reports, are clearly demonstrated, that the crowning point in the Harbor Improvement was the closing of New Inlet, that being the fundamental principle, and to accomplish this successfully involved several combinations, absolutely necessary to be conducted at the same time—first, the use of a powerful dredge to operate upon the bar and shoals at the mouth of the harbor, for enlarging it sufficiently to admit a free and easy exit of water from the river and bay; second, an enlargement of Snow's Marsh channel by means of dredging sufficiently to conduct the main volume of the river straight down to the main outlet, thereby diverting it from the inlet, where it now concentrates to the detriment of the improvement; and, last but not least, the building up the beaches uniformly above the highest tides, securing them by the cultivation of grass and other shrubbery for the prevention of future protection and preservation of the harbor. This last combination may be accomplished at a trifling cost, in fact merely nominal.

The necessity, therefore, will be readily comprehended for a full and sufficient appropriation at this time. An ordinary routine appropriation would seem a childish trifling with a very important matter. In our October report, to which we respectfully ask reference, future events were simply foreshadowed, desiring not to expose too much to public criticism the real situation by detailed statements, hoping that we might be mistaken, or that apparent dangers might be overruled by the operations of nature, but time has but developed our worst apprehensions, and we feel that the time has now arrived to speak openly and plainly on the subject, which is our apology for entering so fully into details. Respectfully submitted,

H. NUTT,
GEO. HARRISS,
JAS. H. CHADBOURN.

Quarterly Meetings.

Appointments of Rev. L. S. Burkhead D. D., Presiding Elder for the Wilmington District for his first round the present Conference year, 1878:

Smithville, at Shalotte.....Feb 2-3
Cokesbury and Coharie Mission, at Bethany.....Feb 9-10
Onslow, at Mt. Lebanon.....Feb 16-17
Elizabeth, at Elizabethtown.....Feb 23-24
Bladen, at Soul's Chapel.....Mar 2-3
Topsail, at Prospect.....Mar 9-10
Clinton, at Clinton.....Mar 16-17

District Stewards' Meeting will be held at the parsonage of the Front Street Church on Friday, March 8th, 1878, at 11 o'clock, A. M. instead of February 5th.

New Advertisements.

None Better Anywhere!
NONE SO GOOD IN THIS MARKET, as our WAMSUTTA SHIRTS, only \$1.25 each, Cash on Delivery. All completely made, cut lengthwise, Bosoms 3-ply, 2100 Linen. Found only at

MUNSON & CO'S.
Feb 6 Fashionable Merchant Tailors.

FLOWER VEGETABLE GARDEN
Is the most beautiful work of the kind in the world. It contains nearly 150 pages, hundreds of fine illustrations, and six CROMBIE PLATES OF FLOWERS, beautifully drawn and colored from nature. Price, 50 cents in paper covers; \$1.00 in elegant cloth. Printed in German and English.
Vick's Illustrated Monthly Magazine, 32 pages, fine illustrations, and Colored Plate in every number. Price, \$1.25 a year. Five copies for \$5.00.
Vick's Catalogue, 300 illustrations, only 2 cents. Address, JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y. Feb 8-w45-15-18

Why Suffer?
WITH DANDRUFF IN THE HAIR when by calling at the Fashionable and popular Barber Shop in basement of National Bank building you can purchase

I. Furmanski's Celebrated Hair Invigorator
which is by far the best that has ever been used for that purpose, and ENTIRELY PRELIES the hair from it after a few trials. There is NOT THE SLIGHTEST discoloring of the hair, but it produces a soft and pliable state of the hair. It is made only by the undersigned, and can be had at my Barber Shop under the First National Bank.
I beg leave respectfully to refer to the gentlemen named below who have used my Invigorator, and have authorized me to do so, as to the truthfulness of my statement, to wit: Gen. M. P. Taylor, Hon. A. H. Van Bokkelen, Capt. D. L. Filyaw and Messrs. G. J. Boney, S. H. Fishblade, Geo. A. Peck, A. H. Kelley and many others too numerous to mention.
Feb 6

Frames and Mouldings.
FRAMES MADE TO ORDER,
Mouldings in great variety, at
S. JEWETT'S,
Feb Front Street Book Store.

Philip Philips,
THE SINGING PILGRIM, WILL GIVE an evening of Sacred Song at the Front St. M. E. Church,
Thursday Night, February 7th,
at 8 o'clock. Doors open at 7 1/2 o'clock. Tickets to be had at all the Bookstores.
Feb 5

Going Fast.
WE ARE SELLING Gents' Youths' and Boys' Clothing and Furnishing Goods at such fabulously low prices that we are almost Giving them Away!
Call early and secure a bargain before they are all sold.
A. SERIBB,
Feb 5 Market St.

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PLEASE NOTICE.
We will be glad to receive communication, 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 on only one side of the paper.
Personalities must be avoided.
Apdit is especially and particularly understood that the editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents, unless so stated in the editorial columns.

New Advertisements.

An Inducement.
PARTIES DESIROUS of investing a little money in **BOOTS & SHOES**, will find it to their advantage to call at No. 47 Market street, where they will find an Elegant assortment of Ladies', Gents', Misses and Children's, Boys' and Youths' Boots and Shoes of the latest styles and best quality. Every pair of Shoes warranted. Children's Shoes a specialty.

THOS. H. HOWEY, Jr.,
No. 47 Market Street.
Feb 5

Come to

WHERE

THE BANNERS HANG UPON the Outward Wall and buy the cheapest Dry Goods ever offered in Wilmington. Note the following Retail Prices:

3-4 Brown Cotton, 4 1/2 cents.
4-4 " " 5 1/2 cents.
4-4 Heavy Brown Cotton 7 1/2 cents.
3-4 Bleached Cotton 5 cents.
4-4 " " 6 1/2 cents.
4-4 " " (good) 8 cents.
4-4 " " (best) 10 cents.

Calicoes, good, 5 cents.
Calicoes, very good, 6 cents.
Calicoes, best, 7 1/2 cents.

75c Worsted Dress Goods at 50c.
50c " " " at 37 1/2c.
40c " " " at 30c.
30c " " " at 22 1/2c.
25c " " " at 18c.
20c " " " at 16c.

Needles 5c a paper.
Coates' Spool Cotton 5c.
1 rs 4c. Hoisery very cheap.

A large stock of every kind of Dry Goods at greatly reduced prices. Our greatly increasing sales encourage us to make new additions to our stock by every steamer.

Hedrick.
Feb 2

Dyeing and Scouring!
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S DRESS Goods Dyed, Cleaned and Repaired.
ALSO,
Felt, Straw and Leghorn Hats Dyed, Cleaned and Pressed in any shape or style desired.
C. P. REMSEN,
Currie's Block.
Jan 14

Grand Concert.
A GRAND VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT
Will be given at the
Opera House, Friday Evening, February 8.
For the benefit of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.
The Management will spare no pains to make this a first-class Concert in every respect.
The Best Musical Talent of this city have volunteered their services.
Musical Director—E. VAN LEAL.
General Admission 50 cents; Reserved Seats 75 cents; Gallery 25 cents.
Tickets can be procured at Heinberger's Book Store.
Jan 31

Constantly Receiving
FRESH DRUGS AT
BURBANK'S PHARMACY,
Corner Front and Princess Streets.
Prescriptions prepared either night or day.
Jan 25