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OUR TOILET SETS!  
BUREAU SETS!  
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38 and 40 Murchison Block.  
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\$60 a week in your own town. \$5 Out. \$1 free. No risk. Reader, if you want a business at which persons of either sex can make great pay all the time they work, write for particulars to H. GILBERT & Co., Portland, Maine. march

## LOCAL NEWS.

**New Advertisements.**  
S. JEWETT—Look.  
J. C. MONS—Cigars.  
MUNSON—Linen Collars.  
P. HEINSBERGER—"C" Letters, &c.  
STRA. PASSPORT—Moonlight and Music.

**Cantaloupes have "played".**  
The noble army of grass widowers is rapidly increasing.

Young ladies are requested to withhold their indignations to the Editor for the moonlight excursion to-morrow night. There is but one of him and already he has received forty-eight invitations, each hiding an immense basket as inducements.

At the called meeting of the Wilmington Building Association held last evening, it was determined to throw the Association into bankruptcy and the Secretary was instructed to take the necessary steps to that end.

**Interesting Decision.**  
The following decision in the Supreme Court, just filed, relative to the liabilities of firemen to serve on juries, will be read with interest:  
BY BYNUM, J. —  
State vs. Willard, from New Hanover. Affirmed.

The defendant was a member of a fire company in Wilmington, whose members are, by act of the Legislature, exempted from jury duty. Having subscribed liberally to the purchase of a fire engine, he was excused from active duty as a member of the company. During a term of the Superior Court he was summoned as a tales juror, and refusing to answer, was fined; whereupon he appealed.

Held, That, even admitting he was a regular member of the fire company, he is not exempt from service as a tales juror. Acts exempting persons from jury service do not extend to tales jurors, but only to those summoned on a special venire or the regular panel. The reason is, that a tales man must be taken from the bystanders at the court, and his being a bystander proves that he is not then on official or professional duty which requires his attention. State vs. Hogg, 2 Murphy, 319; State vs. Williams, 1 D. and B., 273; and State vs. Whitford, 12 Fred., 399, cited and approved.

**Republican Jonah.**  
Mr. Gardner lays particular stress on the subject of "broken down political hacks" and reiterates time and again that "no broken down political hacks will be allowed in the ranks of the Greenback party." Now if Mr. Gardner is not a broken down political hack we would like to see one, just in order to understand what they are. He has either been an aspirant or occupied a political office ever since he was old enough to aspire to anything. The New Hanover county Republican party threw their political Jonah overboard and he was swallowed by the Greenback party, but they are already talking of emitting the Republican Jonah. He's no political hack, though. Oh, no.

**Worth Attention.**  
The Superior Court of Cincinnati has decided that where a bank receives on deposit, as cash, sight drafts of a depositor, the bank is not bound to pay checks drawn against the fund, after a default in the payment of the drafts. The implied condition is that the drafts are to be paid, and when the condition is broken the bank has a right to withdraw its credit, and this right is superior to that of the depositor to check against the credit fund.

**Change of Uniform.**  
The Little Giant Steam Fire Engine Company have concluded to make a change in their uniforms. An order has been forwarded to some Northern house for a lot of sample hats and helmets from which the company will make a selection. They are expected to arrive in a few days. The impression is that the uniform shirts will be of grey flannel trimmed with red.

**The Germania Pic Nic.**  
The picnic given by the members of Germania Lodge No. 4, K. of P., at the Wilmington Gardens last evening, was a very pleasant affair, the only drawback being that it was found very warm for dancing. There was a large attendance and a good time generally. The fun was kept up until 2 o'clock this morning.

**Personal.**  
Col. A. Pope, General Freight and Passenger Agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, who has been on a trip to Europe with his wife and son, is now on his return voyage. He is expected in New York the middle of next week and if not detained there will probably return to his home in his city the latter part of the week.

## An Old Citizen.

Wilmington has always had some of the oldest men in the country. A great many of them have been born and raised here—others have moved from other States and other parts of this State, to find a long life on the sandhills of our city. It seems wonderful to some Northern people who come amongst us that there should be anybody here as old as fifty years but when they find them ranging up to eighty-five years, and even beyond, they begin to realize the astonishing healthfulness of the place, the common impression North being that if you move to North Carolina, you move toward an early death. What city of 20,000 inhabitants can point to a record like this: Only two deaths of adults in the month of July, just past.

But we did not sit down to write of the health of Wilmington, nor of a man raised here, but of an old "Roanoke nigger" as he calls himself, to wit: Uncle Harry Mabrey. Uncle Harry was born in Halifax county, N. C., sometime toward the end of the last century (18th) as the property of Moses Matthews, or "Mathis" as he was generally called. At the age of 15 or 18 he was taken by Mr. Wood Hamlin, and Mr. Robt. Fenner, Sr., as a horse boy to wait on them during the war with England and on the Canadian border he saw the fighting at Lundy's Lane and in various skirmishes. He is thus really a veteran of the war of 1812, so called. Being a slave he could not draw a pension, of course. On the division of the estate of Mr. Moses Matthews he was with others drawn by Mr. Green Mabrey, of Halifax, who had married one of the daughters of Matthews. From that time on he lived on the plantation near Weldon until he was "hired out" annually after the death of Mabrey. The writer's first knowledge of Harry was about the year 1837, just before the bridge of the Seaboard Railroad at Weldon was finished. He was then living with Mr. John Campbell, of Weldon, and was engaged as a depot hand on the railroad. He continued there for many years and was always known as "Old Harry," and noted for his uniform politeness and obliging disposition. Harry before he went to Mr. Campbell, saw some things that few men living have ever seen. Among them he witnessed the great race between Eclipse and Henry, two of the most famous horses on the American turf.

His recollections of Halifax town are full of interest. Of the personal encounters resulting in death he has many vivid descriptions which our space will not permit us to give. He remembers well when Russell Kingsbury moved to Halifax one of his first transactions being to buy Harry's "Cousin Dave from old Long." And when Mr. K. removed to Oxford he can describe the situation. Uncle Harry claims to be over 85 years old. He has lived in Wilmington ever since the war and except a leaning toward "the ardent" he has few failings. This leaning he brought from his youth, for Halifax never was a "dry town," except in the sense of being thirsty. If anybody wants to know how a sturgeon tastes when cooked by a Roanoke negro let him send some to Harry and he can prepare him as fine a steak as an epicure ever tasted. Harry is old and "the rheumatiz" has got him in the feet. We hope our citizens will give him something occasionally to help soothe his declining years. We met him yesterday morning with a bunch of mullets and in answer to our question he replied, "Mayor Fishblade, God bless him! remembers a poor nigger!"

**He Knew It by the Flavor.**  
The great problem to be solved by one of our Railroad Conductors is: Can a man tell his own chicken by the flavor, or is it proper to ask a minister to eat his own fowl when he is doing it unawares? This is what is said to have happened to one of our Conductors the other day and when the minister missed his chicken he said that he knew that was his chicken as it was flavored like his.

**Vital Statistics.**  
Dr. A. E. Wright, Superintendent of Health, reports as follows for the month of July:  
During the month there were 4 white and 10 colored marriages, a total of 14; 8 white births, 2 of which were stillborn, and 15 colored births, 3 of which were stillborn, a total of 23; and 14 deaths, two of which were of white persons and 11 of colored.

## The Greenbackers.

About two hundred and fifty persons assembled in Currie's Hall last evening, upon the call of a meeting of the National Greenback club. Very many drifted there through sheer curiosity while others went to hear the matter discussed. The following are the officers of the club:  
T. M. Gardner, President.  
R. S. Waller, Vice-President.  
H. E. Foster, Secretary.  
Sol. W. Reeves, Treasurer.

Speeches were made by Messrs. R. S. Waller, T. Childs and Lawson K. Skipper, of Columbus, and Duncan Holmes, Mr. Waller's speech was a very fine effort and showed that a great deal of care had been used in getting facts and figures in favor of "his side," and the balance of the speeches were pretty good.  
The President instructed the Secretary to read the platform of the party, which was done three or four times during the evening, Mr. Gardner yelling out after each reading, "that's the platform of the party, the papers notwithstanding." The "platform of the party" as published in the *Irish World*, the champion of Kearney and the Greenback party is altogether different from the local club constitution which the President says is the platform of the party "the papers notwithstanding." The platform as published in the *Irish World* indorses and advocates *Female Suffrage and Agrarianism* and the President knows it as it was shown and read to him yesterday. At the conclusion of the speechess quite a number of both white and colored enrolled their names as members of the club, and during that time the President was haranguing the assemblage and could not let the opportunity slip him to show his venomous Radicalism in uncalled for remarks about Hon. A. M. Waddell, the Democratic candidate for Congress. At the conclusion of Duncan Holmes's speech, Mr. Gardner proposed "three cheers for the old wheel horse" and suggested that the colored man be given a representation on the Executive Committee of the club which was agreed to and Duncan Holmes and Wesley Avant were appointed by the Chair Executive Committeeman. It was mildly suggested that a collection of greenbacks be taken up to defray the expenses of the meeting. But silver was not objected to.

**Jake's Opinion.**  
Mornin', brudder Jake. De ole man hobble to de Greenback meetin' las' nite 'spectin' to git sum rassluns, but 'fore de Lord, brudder, dey tooked up colleckshun almost fast 'ting dey do, an' I git tucked de sack back in my pocket an' let 'em. Wha' you see down dar, brudder Pote? I'm gwine ter tell yer de trufe, brudder, but yer ain't gwine ter b'leve me. Dere was Squire Gardner settin' up dar under de temprance arch, in de temprance chair, an' Mr. Holmes, he was gist 'ginnin' his preachin' out an' tellin' dem kullud gemmenters gin de Greenback party, but I tells yer, brudder, niggers gwine ter blong ter de party dat gits out de rassluns. Youse chawing good terbacca now brudder, for trufe. Yer say Gardin'r was a sitten on dat temprance stool? Yas, brudder Jake, he were er sitting up dar looking gist like he were a tryin dem people an' was gwine tu 'miss de case at dey cost. Deres whaer youse telling de trufe, brudder Pote; he is er gwine to 'miss de case at dey cost an' he'll git de cost fora, de case gits outin' his han.

**Which Cut Loose.**  
Mr. Gardner said in his harangue last night that it is a well known fact that he had affiliated with the Republican party ever since the war but that he had cut loose from it now. If there has been any dissolution it looks very much as though the Republican party had cut loose from Mr. Gardner. He could not get the appointment of Superior Court Clerk a year ago from the Republican party, neither could he get the Republican nomination for the same office at the recent nominating conventions. Now, who or what has cut loose?

**Post Office Notes.**  
It has been determined by the post office department to extend the registry system to third class matter, and a formal order to this effect will soon be issued. This change will go into effect October 1st, but it will not be merely experimental or confined to ten large offices, as recommended by the recent convention of railway superintendents, but will take effect generally and become a feature of the regular postal system.

**Wilmington District.**  
Appointments for Quarterly Meetings made by Rev. L. S. Burkhead:  
THIRD ROUND.  
Wilmington, at Fifth St. . . . . Aug 2-4  
Elizabeth, at Bladen Springs . . . . . Aug 10-11  
Bladen, at Bethlehem . . . . . Aug 17-18  
Cokesbury and Coharie Mission, at Bethel . . . . . Aug 24-25  
Clinton, at Salem . . . . . Sept 1-2  
Onslow . . . . . Sept 7-8  
Topsail . . . . . Sept 7-8

## For the Review.

**MR. EDITOR:—**  
Allow me to endorse the suggestion of your correspondent "S," made in yesterday's DAILY REVIEW, that the midnight drum beating nuisance be abated, as it ought to be in all conscience. There is something else, too, that I would desire looked into and that is the sweeping of the street at 5 o'clock of a dusty afternoon, as was the case yesterday on North Water. To those who are compelled to pass such localities when the street brigade are at work raising a dust it is a fearful nuisance. Yours, WATER STREET.

## Criminal Court.

The following cases have been disposed of since our last report:  
State vs Daniel Higgins, charged with assault with a deadly weapon submitted. In this case the assault was made by the defendant with an axe upon his own father. But owing to the fact that the prisoner's paternal appeared in Court and begged for mercy for his child, the Judge showed some leniency and sentenced the defendant to thirty days in the Work House.

State vs Richard Stowe, and W. H. Howe, for an affray. Stowe submitted and was fined \$10 and costs Howe was found guilty and judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs Derry Greenwood and Mary Collins, charged with fornication and adultery. Jury still out.

State vs Joe Chance, charged with larceny. Jury's still out.

In the case of State vs George Saunders, on an appeal from City Court, there was a nuss trial and the Jury withdrawn.

State vs Matilda Hall, peace warrant. Case dismissed at defendant's costs, and defendant prayed in the custody of the Sheriff.

State vs Edward Miller, charged with assault and battery. Defendant found guilty. Judgment suspended on the payment of costs.

State vs Sam Holmes, peace warrant. Case dismissed at the defendant's costs and defendant prayed in the custody of the Sheriff.

State vs Deems Gilbert and John Watson, charged with an affray. Defendants submit. Judgment suspended on the payment of costs.

State vs David S. Martin and Major Henry, charged with an affray. Defendant, D. S. Martin, submits. Verdict of guilty against Major Henry, in whose case judgment was suspended on payment of costs.

State vs Arthur Simmons alias Douglas Simmons, charged with obtaining goods under false pretence. Defendant found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary for two years.

**Awkward—Very.**  
It is reported that one of our prominent brokers and one of our prominent merchants went down to the Sound yesterday evening to enjoy a cooling off in the waters of the ocean. They stripped and deposited their clothes in a boat on the beach, plunged in, and swam out into the exhilarating wave. After they had nearly completed their swim and were approaching the shore to come out, what was their horror to see, by the bright moonlight, a picnic party of ladies and gentlemen, headed by one of "our city fathers," quietly seating themselves for a lunch all around the boat which held their clothes. The situation was awkward, to say the least. They speedily made for the marsh and ensconced themselves in the rushes and mud. Now, it is well known to frequenters of those regions, that a marsh mosquito or a sand-fly are to respecters of persons, particularly of white men in a state of nudity. Of their sufferings until the waning moon admonished the picnickers to leave, and they were free to swim ashore, they are profoundly silent—so we draw the veil with a quiet tear shed over them.

**WOMEN DISPUTE** about other matters, but all agree on the merits of DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER as *par excellence* the best of all. Grocers throughout the country keep it, and find it gives supreme satisfaction. By using it the housewife is sure of delicious bread, biscuits, buckwheat cakes and all the delicacies made from flour.

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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.  
And it 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.

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A FINE IMPORTED CIGAR for 10c. The best C. Cigar in the City.  
For sale by  
JAMES C. MUNDS, Druggist.  
Prescriptions accurately and neatly compounded day and night.  
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From \$1 to \$2 Per Dozen,  
AT  
MUNSON'S.  
**Second Supply**  
OF THE "C" LETTERS.  
Just in at  
HEINSBERGER'S.

**Blank Books**  
OF ALL KINDS, SIZES AND PRICES.  
Can be found at  
HEINSBERGER'S.

**Paper and Envelopes,**  
IN GREAT VARIETY.  
Fresh from the Mill at  
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**AGAIN!**  
**Moonlight and Music!**  
**Steamer PASSPORT**  
WILL MAKE ONE OF HER USUAL DELIGHTFUL

**Trips to Smithville**  
FRIDAY NIGHT, AUGUST 9.  
Leave Dock at 8 P. M. sharp,  
Returning at 1 A. M.  
**String Band Engaged!**  
Round trip, 50 cents. Tickets limited, and for sale only at office of agent,  
aug 7 **GEO. MYERS.**

**Notice.**  
THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS will be in session during this week, for the purpose of Revising the Tax List and the valuation reported to them, and to complete the Lists by computing the tax payable by each person, and affixing the same opposite his name.  
JOHN G. WAGNER,  
aug 6 Chairman of Board of Commissioners.

**Quarantine Notice.**  
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE, AND until further notice, no vessel from the Ports of Havana, Matanzas, Key West, or New Orleans, will be permitted to approach the City of Wilmington nearer than the Quarantine Station at Deep Water Point.  
W. G. CURTIS,  
Quarantine Physician,  
Port of Wilmington.  
aug 6

**Notice.**  
ALL PERSONS SOUTH OF WILMINGTON, from any of the cities or towns on the Sea Coast where Yellow Fever, or infectious or contagious diseases exist, will be Quarantined for Twenty Days before being allowed to visit the City of Wilmington—this order to be enforced until November 1st, 1878. Any person violating the above order will be fined Fifty Dollars and imprisoned not less than one month. There will be a Policeman stationed at the Depots on the arrival of trains, who will enforce the above order.  
By order of  
S. H. FISHBLADE,  
aug 6 Mayor of City of Wilmington.

**House Wanted.**  
A SMALL HOUSE CONVENIENTLY located. Address, stating terms and location, P. O. Box 212;  
aug 5

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