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and a half cups of flour, three teaspoonfuls Dooler's Yeast Powder, half of
a nutmeg, one pound raisins. Flavor the
icing with rose water and vanilla.

WILMINGTON, N. C., MONDAY, OCTOBER, 7, 1878.. VOL. 3.

# LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. Munson-Only \$18,50. P. HEINSBERGER-School Books. HENRY SAVAGE, Treas & Col-City Taxes. A. DAVID-Cadet Suits. C. W. YATES-School Books. BOATWRIGHT & McKoy-New Goods A. D. Cazaux-Clyde's New York Steam-

WILLIAMS & MURCHISON-Fail Trade. CRONLY & MORRIS-Buggies, &c., at uc-

KERCHNER & CALDER BROS-Kemoval. S. JEWETT-Second Hand School Books. N. II. SPRUNT-For Sale at Fxchange Cor-

J. C. Munds, Druggist .- Holman's Ague A Sunten .- Best Unlaundried Shirt for 75c.

No City Court to-day.

For other local see fourth page.

Big crowd about the Court House to

The Knights of Honor meet to-night The market was abundantly supplied with hucksters this morning.

The weather wise are predicting cold weather for to-morrow.

To-day is the Jewish New Year, and all the stores kept by the Israeli es of the community are closed.

#### The Planets in October.

Saturn is very favorable for observation. He rises at 5 p. m., and reaches the meridian at 11. Jupiter remains during the month and evening star, and pel them to re-assemble and count the the most brilliant object among the myriad stars that stud the sky. Venus still leads the morning stars, and is fast ap Fayetteville on the 30th of August. The proaching the sun. She rises new about half-past four. The October moon will full on the 11th.

## The Performance To-Morrow Night.

As there seems to be some misapprehension, or, perhaps misunderstanding, in regard to who will play at the Opera House to-morrow night, we have been requested Russell, their counsel, moved to amend by Mr. Will. J. Duffy, Treasurer of the Fay, Templeion Star Alliance treupe, to state that his Company have secured the Opera House for this evening and to-morrow evening a'so, and will give a performance on each occasion, as already previous. ly announced in the advertising columns of this paper.

# Criminal Court.

The Fall term of the Criminal Court of New Hanover county convened this morning, His Honor Judge Meares pre-

The following are the grand jury for the term:

Robt Lee, Foreman, J H Southerland, Saml Northrop, Louis LeGrand, N H Sprunt, Jno R Melton, Caleb Richardson, Alex Mallett, Charles Murphy, Saml Farrow, Halifax Leonard, Jr, Elias Halsey, Robt D Davis, Jno C Borneman, David Pigott, J H Lane, Harding Johnson Geo D Waters.

His Honor Judge Meares, charged the jury on such cases as would in all probability be brought before them.

The remainder of the morning was taken up in calling and swearing wit-

# The Pawnees Visit the Sound.

The Pawnee Indians who are traveling with the Buffalo Bill troupe had never seen the ocean and so their guide, or guard, took them down to the Sound in an ambulance yesterday, and then had them transported to the banks in a sail boat, but whether they were transported with Exchange Corner. delight or joy or whether they were impressed with the awful grandeur of the scene as the broad Atlantic burst upon they clambered their view as over the hillocks on the ocean beach, it was impossible to tell (so we are intormed) from a casual or even a close scrutiny of their inflexible countenances. It is a part of the Indian nature and one of their chief characteristics to betray no emotion whatever on such occasions. They gazed long and earnestly, however, at the blue water as it rolled into shore and watched the breakers as they capped and foamed when they broke upon the beach. The party returned to the city last Light, the Indians bringing with them quite a number as well as quite a variety of shells which they had gathered upon the seabeat shore.

# Farmer's Fruit Cake.

### The Brunswick Election Case.

Col. Best, of the Raleigh Observer, who has been in attendance at Brunswick Court, writes to his paper a full report of the Brunswick election case, the result of which we gave in last Friday's issue. We publish here an extract from his let-

The mandamus cases excited quite considerable amount of interest. It was agreed to try only one of the five cases. making it a test caso; this was taken up and argued at length on Wednesday, and for the information of the thousands of readers of the Observer I will make a full statement of the case, as it is I think the first one under the present existing alec-

On the 15th of June last the Board of terrible disease Magistrates for Brunswick county met and ordered a new registration in three townships: Town Creek, Northwest and Smithville. New registrations were made in the two latter, but the Registrar, John B. Evans, who was appointed for Town Creek Township, failed and refused to take the new registration on the ground that the reason requiring it ceased to exist. The old registration books supposed to be mutilated and destroyed were found line lamps, and stands the roughest in good condition.

Thursday in August the returns were forwarded to the County Board of Canvassers as the law required, the second day after the election. It being made to appear before the Board that no new reg- ing for gas this bid will reduce the price istration had been made in Town Creek township, the Board opened and canvassed all the other townships,. but rethe Democratic candidates a majority of the votes canvassed. The defeated candidates brought an action of mandamus against the Board of Canvassers to comvotes, including Town Creek township. This proceeding was returnable before Judge R P. Buxton at Chambers at defendants there appeared through their counsel, John D. Bellamy, Esq., and demurred to the jurisdiction of the Court on the ground that the Judge could not make his Chambers outside of the county where the mandamus was instituted. The Judge sustained the demurrer and dis-

missed the action. The plaintiffs, through Judge D. L. the proceedings and make them returnable before Judge Buxton, at Chambers, in customs and ceremonies of the Indians of Brunswick county, at the time of the Superior Court, which convened in Smithville September 30th.

One the 2d of October the case was heard again before Judge Buxton, at the court house in Smithville, Judge D. L. Russell representing the plantiffs, and John D. Bellamy, Maj. D. J. Devane and C. l. B. R. Moore, the defend ints.

The defendants resisted the mandamus upon the ground: First. That the Board of canvassers were invested with judicial powers, and a

mand amus would not lie to compel them to perform a discretionary act. Second. That the Board of canvassers, when it met on the second day after the election, after completing their duties and

adjourning sine die, from that moment became defunct, and no power of the courts could re-create the Board Canvassers and compel it to re-canvass the votes. Third. The registration not being had as required, vitiated the election in that

township. In the arguments of the counsel for the defendants there was a display of talent and research that showed they had maturely considered the matter and were not at a loss is presenting the points under dis-

JUDGE BUXTON'S DECISION.

This morning at the opening of the Court Judge Baxton read the following decis-

"In the case of Samuel P. Swain, Clerk, vs. James D McRea etal., Board of County Canvasses, and M. C. Guthrie, - Application for mandamus.

This coming on to be heard upon complaint and answer, and being heard after argument on both sides: The court doth declare that it is precluded from a consideration of the case upon its merits for the reason that it considers the remedy by man amus inapplicable and so ad judges; because the Board of County Commissioners is not a continuing boly, but created for a single purpose which has been accomplished, and there is now no longer any such board which can act.

The application for mandamus and the auxiliary remedy of injunction is denied. but without prejudice to the rights of the plaintiff in respect to the subject matter of the suit." Judgment against plaintiff for costs. Signed

R. P. Buxton, Judge Presiding From this decision the Clerk, Sheriff, Register, and Treasurer plaintiffs, appealed to the Supreme Court. This action sends the Democratic meni-

ber to the House of Representatives in the next Legislature, unless that body, after investigation, should decide against bim and seat the other man.

#### Freak of Nature. We have in our office a peach blossom

taken from a tree in the yard of Mrs. Thomas Smith, on Red Cross near Second in Memphis, and that the balance will be street. The tree from which the blossom was taken has already borne one good butter and sweet milk, five eggs, three crop of peaches this year, and this is a Fish are getting more plentiful and of

#### Diphtheria.

We learn that this fearful disease is showing itself in different parts of the county. Every case of sore throat is not diphtheria, but, for fear it might be, cur people should take active steps to relieve a patient with any kind of sore throat. A correspondent sends us the recipe for the sulphur treatment as practiced, it is claimed, with never failing success by an eminent physician. We published this plan of treatment sometime ago, and presume most of our readers understand it. If any treatment proves successful, we hope it will be reported, and let everybody know how to contend with this

#### Light for the City.

Among the bids put in under the advertisement of the Mayor, a few weeks ago, we learn that Messrs. Chen, Corley & Co. have put in a bid to light the city with an oil lamp. It is claimed that the light from this lamp is superior to Gasowinds and storms without being affected When the election took place the first in the least. It is in use in a number of cities and towns, and these gentlemen refer to those places for the efficiency of the light. At the price the city is now payof light for the first year, nearly fifteen hundred dollars, and for each succeeding jeeted and threw out this one, which gave | year about two thousand dollars. If the city can make a saving in light by accepting this, or any of the other bids offered, the tax payers will not object to it.

> May Cody, or Lost and Won. The closing performance of this thrilling drama took place at the Opera House last Saturday night, and as is usual when entertainments are given on that night. there was a slim audience in attendance. The parts in the play were generally well sustained, and the thrilling scenes with which it is mainly composed were happily relieved by enough of fun to relieve it from monotony. After the rendition of the play there was a display of the habits. the Far West' by a group of the l'awnee and Nez Perce tribes which were quite interesting. It was a pleasant entertainment, and the fact that there was not a word or act which could be construed into vulgarity should commend it to public patronage. General good order prevailed, and the only vio ation of decorum may be charged to a lot of young colored people in the gallery.

# The Day of Atonement.

This day is known among those of Hebrew birth and faith as "Yom Kippur," or the Day of Atonement, and is one of the most important of the Jewish holidays, and is more generally respected, by people of the Hebrew faith, than any other day.

The origin of the festival may be 25 Bbls Cuba Molasses, found in Leviticus XVI: "And it shall be unto you a statute forever; in the seventh month, on the tenth day of the month, you shall afflict your souls and do no work at all."

The day is observed by fasting and found in the City. prayer and the confession of sins and invocation of the Divine mercy. It is also a time when parents bestow benedictions upon their children, and when those who

have quarreled must become reconciled. On this day the Hebrew is commanded to afflict his soul-the affliction, according to tradition, consisting in abstinence from eating and drinking, bathing, perfuming, wearing shoes and indelging in the senpleasures-for he is this day to divest himself of all earthly passions and thoughts, and is to prefigure to himself a future state of blessedness and purity.

In the observance of the day those who worship in the Hebrew faith, in this city, have kept their places of business closed, and services appropriate to the occasion have been held the entire day in their Synagogue on the corner of Market and Fourth streets.

The Festival hald last week for the benefit of the sufferers, in the City Hall by the various 'colored churches in this city, was a very successful one, the amount realized having been \$58.48. The manager of the Festival, Geo. W. 1 obinson, informs us that he forwarded \$40.23 of this amount to Rev. W. E. Baggs, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church forwarded in due course. This information was furnished us for Saturday's Ru-VIEW, but was inadvertently left out.

It is very safe to say that the most fas-idious guest never leaves the Coloniade otel, Philadelphia, Pa., dissatisfied with

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# PLEASE NOTICE.

We will be glad to receive communication from our friends on any and all subjects o general interest but :

The name of the writer must always b furnished to the Editor.

Communications must be written on only one side of the paper.

Personalities must be avoided.

Andit is especially and particularly under-NO. 212 stood that the editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents, unless so stated in the editorial columns.

# New Advertisements.

# BE, CROWLY, Auctioneer.

BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Buggies, &c., at Auction. O'N WEDNESDAY, October 9th, 1878. at 11 o'c ock, A. M., we will sell, at Public Auction, at Exchange Comer, received this

day from Louis Cook, Manufacturer: 5 Top Buggles,

No-Top Buggies, I Two Scated Buggles, 1 Platform Spring Buggy,

I Physician's Propton, 1 Four-Seat Carriage; Now open for inspection and examination

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Office Treasurer & Collector,

City of Wilmington, 1 . C. September 21, 1978.

# City Taxes.

FITHE CITY TAX BOOK for 1878, is in my hands for collection of Taxes. On all Taxes paid in CASH on or before

October 15th, 1878, a discount of FIVE per cent, will be allowed. All paying from October 15th to December 15th, 1878, will be allowed TWO AND ONE HALF per cent.

After December 15th the full amount of Taxes with interest at the rate of Eight per cent per annum will burequired.

HENRY SAVAGE.

Treasurer and Collector. Historical and Scientific Society. THE REGULAR MEETING of the Historical and Scientific Society will be held at the usual place on MONDAY Eve-

ping, October 7, at 8 o'clock. The paper for the evening will be read by Dr. Thos.; F.

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