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45 Market Street

WE TAKE GREAT PLEASURS In Calling particular attention to the foilowing Departments for the NEXT TWO

We are making SPECIAL EFFORTS to introduc everyth my that is new in our line of businest, and OUR PRIDE is to do so at such prices that they cannot help attracting the attention of LVERY ONE IN WANT OF SUCH GOOD ..

# Ladies' Underwear.

We have just opened a full assortment of the above, viz: Tuck and Fancy SKIATS. CHEMISE and MIGHT DRESS and call particulara tention to a few Lots that are

#### DECIDED BARGAINS.

Lot 1.

38 Doz. WALKING SKIRTS, 5 Tucks, 31/4 Hem. 50c, worth dou ble the money.

Lot 2.

20 Doz. CHEMISE, Tucked Yokes. 50 cents, worth at least 75 cents.

Lot 3.

17% Doz. CHEMISE, Tucked and Emb'd Yokes. 60 cts; a maryel of cheapness.

### Corsets.

We have the Largest Stock of CORSETS hat has ever been offered in this city, and are making Specialties of the following makes. Our Goods are bought direct from the Manufacturers and Importers, and offer P. M. them at prices that will compare favorably with any Dry Goods House in the country.

40 Doz. 50 Bone SIDE STEEL CORSETS, 50 cts a pair.

381/4 Dez. 70-Bone CORSETS, Silk Embroidered, 75 cts a pair: Sole Agents for the Celebrated LA REINE CORSETS. 75 cents. They are made under

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Decidedly the Cheapest Line we have shown: Give us a call.

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Parasols and Fans. We have opened this day a very large stock of Bunshades and Fans, having bought Very Low for Cash. They are at least 25

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# Brown & Roddick. 45 Market Street

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STOCK OF GENTS' AND YOUTHS' SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

ever seen in Wilmington. Stock on hand will therefore be sold

THIRTY DEGREES BELOW ZERO, as I must have money to buy new goods.

The Best Unlaundried Shirt in the City for

75 cts. at SHRIER'S EMPORIUM,

Market st.

# Attention!

# Headquarters for Clothing!

OU CAN BUY NOW THE GREATest Bargain ever known in the annals of history.

# No Humbug!

Must be sold in order to make room for SPRING STOCK,

A. DAVID. + The Clothier. feb 10

# Furniture.

TUST RECEIVED FROM FACTORY,

a large assortment of Walnut and other

grades of FURNITURE, which we offer

at Great Bargains. Call and examine.

feb 19 D. A. SMITH & CO.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1879.

# LOCAL NEWS.

# Largest City Circulation

New Advertisements.

P. HE'NSBERGER-Gold Pens, &c. GEBHABRT & Co-Buggies, Harness and

WILLIAMS & MURCHISON-Just Received. BOATWRIGHT & MCKOY-Family Groceries. GILES & MURCHISON--Plows .- Plows. JAMES C. STEVENSON-Astonishing Prices.

A SHRIER-Going North. J. C. MUNDS, Druggist .- Globe Flows

S. JEWETT-Christmas is Over.

Knights of Honor meet to-night. A table of interest-the dinner table.

The day after washing day is one of sad

The United States Mail is carried to Smithville daily on the steamboat Fire

Two prominent railroaders from this city, Col. Bridgers and Mr. Pope, were in Raleigh on Saturday.

Why is it that children never fall into a tub of cold water? They are frequently falling into hot water.

Why is it that a young man can fasten a pair of skates on his sister's feet in half the time it takes him to fasten them on anybody eise's sister's feet ?

The visitors of the Ladies Benevolent Society will meet at the Hook & Ladder Hall, Tuesday, March 4th, at 4 o'clock dance, will probably recever.

Be wise in time and procure Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which always cures Coughs and Colds, and prevents consumption. 25 cents, large size 50 cents.

Thus far March has advented itself in a rather quiet manner. According to the proverb it must, therefore, go out like un-

Mr. Julius Hahn, who has been North rotting in a stool of o-de, has returned Look out for an advertisement ----ating bargains in a few days.

Speculators got hold of all the shad in market on Saturday and were charging seventy-five cents for buck, and one dollar and twenty cents for roe shad.

If you see a bank note on the sidewalk or crossing, be sure you pause, stop and pick it up. In not doing so, you might be guilty of passing a counterfeit bill.

Col. B. R. Moore will read the regular mouthly paper before the Historical & Scientific Association this evening and something good is reasonably looked for.

Pneumonia invariably begins with a cold to which scarcely anybody attaches any importance, and the cold is neglected until it results in the painful and always alarming disease.

A young lady who was rebuked by her mother for kissing her intended, justified the act by quoting the passage: "What soever ye would that men should do unto you, do ye even so to them."

Instead of excluding the sunlight from our houses, says the Manufacturer and Builder, lest it fade the carpets and draw flies, and bring freckles, we should open every door and window and bid it enter.

There has been considerable interest manifested in the services at the First Baptist Church the past week, five persons having connected themselves with the eral years. church during that time, two of whom received the ordinance of baptism last

# The Twins.

A pair of colored twin brothers, by the name of Baker, living in this city, occasionally get on a slight tare, but they take it one at a time, or in other words, they alternate the spree. Saturday night it was Isaac Baker's time and he ripped and snorted to such an extent that the police had to take a turn with him by escorting him to the guard house. This morning the Mayor told him he could pay \$5 or alternate in the guard house for ten days.

# Premium Wine.

We can confidently recommend Speer's Port Grape Wine, which was awarded the highest premium at the World's Fair, as a superior article of wine for the sick and debilitated, and all those who require vinous stimulation and invigoration.

The Vineyards are at Passaic, New Jersey, near New York City. Messrs. J. C. Munds, P. L. Bridgers & Co. and Green & Flanner sell the Wine.

There are just one hundred streets in Wilmington, the majority of which are from one to two and a half miles in length. We have no means of determining the total of miles of streets in the city, but imagine it cannot be much less than two hundred all to'd.

#### Excoler.

We thank Messrs. T. B. Henderson & Co., of North Front street, for a pound package of "Excolor" smoking tebacco manufactured by A. Harvey, at Kinston N. C. We have tried it and consider it very good. Mr. Henderson informs us that he can sell this tobacco at a considerably lower price than is charged for the brands manufactured at Durham.

#### Another Petition:

There was a counter petition in circulation among the merchants and businers men of this city, this morning, to pray the Board of Aldermen, at their meeting this evening, not to consent to the remoyal of the market house, at present located on Market street. The matter will be discussed, both pro and con, at the meeting to-night.

#### Suffering at Sea.

The schooner John Middleton, which arrived at this port on Saturday evening last, had very severe weather during her passage here and the entire crew suffered greatly from the cold. Two of them were very badly frost bitten, one of whom died while the vessel was coming up the river. the position from which they had been The other, having received medical atter

### Tribute to Rev. Dr. Wingate.

We learn that the Rev. J. B. Taylor, the worthy Pastor of the First Baptist Church, in this city, referred in a most feeling and eloquent manner in his sermon yesterday (Sunday) morning, to the memory of the Rev. Dr. Wingate, late President of Wake Forest College, in this State. It was list tened to with tearful interest by the large congregation assembled, who considered it a just tribute to the departed worth of one who had labored long and faithfully in The Master's vineyard.

### Unmailable

The following is a list of unmailable articles remaining in the Post Office in

Peter J Smith Boston, Mass, paper; Lucilla Smith, Hampton, Va, paper; Edward Bush, Constantime, NY, paper; Alexander Cooper, Oxford, N C, paper; Wizard Manf'g Co, 767 & 769, Brooklyn, NY, letter; Messrs De Grand, Ayman & Co. New York, letter; E Mergan, Balti more, letter; G W Ford, 239 Light st, Baltimore, letter; One blank envelope, No

# Mr. James Danforth.

This worthy young gentleman, former resident of this city, and favorably know for many a year here and in Pender has gone to his former home in New Hampshire to remain there until Fall By his efforts in the cause of education and material improvement he has done much good, and made a large number of friends among our leading men. Unlike the swarms of political adventurers who came South after the war, he came for the noble purpose of doing good, and is fully identified in sympathy and interest with our struggling people. Such men have always been welcome here as this true hearted man and good Democrat has been and will be on his return. He is an henest man and a fine teacher. May success and happiness attend him through life. He has resided in Pender county for sev-

Dooley's Yeast Powder, This truly unrivalled baking pewder stands on its merits alone; and because of its purity and excellence, and from the fact that every package is strictly full weight, the people have adopted it in their households and have the utmost confidence in it. It always does the work effectually, goes much further in use, and makes bette and more wholesome and nutritious biscuits, bread, rolis, muffins, cakes, and pastry than any other powder in the coun-

The Thermometer. From the United States Signal Office at his place we obtain the following report of the thermometer, as taken this morn-

Augusta, Ga......58 Cairo, Illiana 35 Charleston, S. C....53 Cincinnati.......40 Corsicana, Tex.....39 Fort Gibson, C. N.27 Indianola..... Jacksonville, Fla...53 Knoxville.....37 . 36 Lynchburg..... Memphis, Tenn....35

ing at 7:31 o'clock :

Mobile, Ala.......55
Montgomery Ala...53
Nashville ........32 New Orleans. New York. Savannah, Ga. Shreveport.......43 St. Louis Mo......31 St. Marks, Fla......50 Vicksburg, Miss....45 Washington......31 Wilmington......51

Putting five cent pieces in the church collection is now called nickle plating.

The Battle of Averasbore.

In the Southern Historical Society Papers for March we find a short but interesting correction, or rather, addendum, to Gen. Taliaferro's report of the battle of Averasboro, in this State, in which justice is done to the only North Carolina infantry engaged in that fight, a battalien under the command of Capt. A. L. DeRosset, of this city, which had been assigned to Gen. Stephen Elliott's brigade a day or two previous to the engagement. Maj. Graham Daves writes thearticle. He says of the part which the North Carolina troops took in the

fight: • On the morning of the 16th of March, at Averasboro', the battalion was moved to the left of Rhett's brigade, which held the left of our line. During the fighting of that morning, as described by General Taliferro, Captain DeRosset, finding his men slowly pressed back, asked Colonel W. B. Butler, commanding Rhett's brigade, for orders, explaining that General Elliott was too far away, on the extreme right, to report to in the emergency. Colonel Butler replied: "I have no orders to give you;" his answer being evidently prompted by a not unnatural reluctance to give orders to troops under fire not a part of his command and not ordered to report to him. In the handling of his ewn brigade Colonel Butler evinced great skill and excellent judgment, and his praises were in very mouth. Turning then to an officer commanding a Georgia battalion on his right-probably the Twenty-third—Captain DeRosset advised that the two commands charge and retake orced. This was determined upon, but in the act of giving orders for the formatien for the movement, Captain DeRosset tell, almost at Colonel Butler's feet, shot through the lungs, as was supposed,

tion he rallied a few men, who had broken, before being carried to the rear. When the army moved on towards Bentonsville, Captain DeRosset, with the other dangerously wounded, was left and fell into the hands of the enemy. They anding it impossible to remove him, first relieved him of all his superfluous personalty, and then parcled him. Kind friends came to him from Raleigh, passing through the lines of both armies under Beauregard by the writer; and, coutrary to all expectation, their gentle nursing effected his recovery.

mortally wounded. Even in that situa-

# County Commissioners.

Board met at 2½ o'clock present, Col. Wm. L. Smith, Chairman, Commissioners Bagg, Montgomery, Grady and Worth. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The County Treasurer's report for the month of February for account of Educational and Special and General fund examined and found correct, ordered spread upon the minutes.

Register's report to 31st December, 1878, was submitted and upon examination found correct and ordered filed.

The claim from Wake ounty ofor pauper Robert Powell [was not allowed, the said Powell not being a citizen of New Han-

Claim from Mecklenburg county, for pauper Joseph Johnson, referred to the County Attorney for examination.

Application to retail liquor was granted M. M. Dunning. Note-The Board was still in session at

the time of our going to press.

The meeting of the Board of Aldermen to be held this evening, promises to be an untisually interesting ene.

New Advertisements.

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MARKET STREET, 1 Lb. of Ground Coffee, at...........15c Quaranteed pure. Bright Yellow Sugar..... \$c Pure White do ...... 9c Standard "A" do ......10c Good Green Tea..... Good Butter.....

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Any mistakes on the part of any pro prietor er employe in our establishment, i reported, will be promptly remedied.

We require of our Cartmen politeness and prompt delivery of Goods.

We think we know the wants of the people of the City of Wilmington and the surrounding country, and we propose to supply a goodly number, that is, if selling GOOD GOODS at LOW PRICES will accomplish

We make up all our bills promptly at the end of the month, and would be pleased tie. It has been said that short settlements make long friends.

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2000 New and Second Hand Spirit Barrels, Lake George and Lebanon Sheetings, Manchester and Randolph Yarns.

Crackers, Candy, Soap, Starch, Soda, Potash, Lye, Snuff, Matches, Corn, Hay, Oats, Glue, Bungs, Nails, Hoop Iron, &c., &c. For sale lowiby

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# 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 mast siways to fa alshed to the Editor.

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

Personalities must be avoided.

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Expect to open about the 10th inst., at No. 8 North Front Street, and respectfully invite all to call and examine the new and

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WATERSTREET

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All kinds of good WOOD!

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