THIS PAPER

is published every afternoon, Sundays ex-

JOSH. T. JAMES, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

SUBSCRIPTIONS, POSTAGE PAID. One year, \$5 00 Six months, \$250; Three months, \$1 25; One month, 50 cents. the paper will be delivered by carriers, ree of charge, in any part of the city, at the shore rates, or 13 cents per week.

Advertising rates low and liberal Subscribers will please report any and Il failures to receive their papers regularly.

New Advertisements.

THE LATEST!

BROWN & RODDICK. 45 Market St.

ARE NOW FULLY EQUIPPED IN

GOODS LINE.

HAVING BEEN FOR THE LAST

seven weeks in the Nor hern markets, we are now fully prepared to show the most ex ensive ass rements in each and every department of our establishment. Our stock has been selected with all care so as to meet the wants of every one. Our Dry Goods were bought during the late warm weather when Importers were auxious to realize on their goods and many advantages were gained. We have many

Special Jobs

which it wi'l be impossible for us to take notice of as our space will not allow. The of what we have on hand, A al on; can cover the ground.

SILKS.

THE CHEAPEST LINE from Auction we have ever shown, \$1.00, 1.15, 1.25, 1,371, 1.50, 1.75 and 2 00. Colored Silk for Trimming, 75 cents, in

all the popular shades. Brocaded Satins for Trimming, \$1.50,

the latest styles Black silk Velvets, for Trimming. \$1,50,

Black Silk Finish Velveteens 75 cents, a good article.

Dress Goods. Fancy

The largest and m st varied assortment in this city, embracing all the No elties at prices ranging from 121 to 75 cents. Colored Cashmeres from 15 to 75 cents.

OLR

Mourning Department

Is now replete, having added the new fab-

BLACK CASHMERES WE MAKE A SPECIALTY.

BLANKETS from \$1.50 a pair up. COMFORTABLES, a full assortment, all made from pure clear Batting.

Fiannels.

A very large stock, too numerous for de tails. Bottom prices guaranteed.

Ladies', Gents' and Children's Underwear, Hosiery and Gloves.

I Just give us an opportunity of showing what we have got and we do not fear

Cassimeres

For Men and Boys' wear, all prices. Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings.

Bleached Shirtings and Homespuns.

No space to quote prices, but you can rely they are as low as any thing in the

LATEST NOVELTIES

In Ladies' Ties and Neck

Wear.

BALMORAL AND FELT SKIRTS. from 50 cents to \$2.50.

Calicoes from 4 1-2 Up!

Lack of space prevents us from adding more or quoting as many prices as we desire. We have a great many SPECIAL

BARGAINS which we are offering away below market value. Just give us a call; it is much the safest way of securing any of them.

BROWN & RODDICK,

45 Market Street

Something New!

THE "COPYGRAPH"—Ene Hundred Impressions from one writing in a few minutes. Price \$1.50 to \$3.00 each.

Velvet Frames,

Handsome assortment, all sizes. A complete stock of Plain and Fancy Stationery, School Boks, Blank Books, Bibles, Hymn Books, Stereoscopic Views, &c., &c.

ORGANS,

At Prices to suit everybody. Deposi-tory for School Books adopted by the State Beard of Education. oet 27. C. W. YATES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1879.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. P. HEINSBERGER-An Invitation.

Musson-Fatra Pants.

ROBERT HENNING-Cotton Ties. GRO. F. TILLEY - Mountain Beef.

A. & I. SHRIER-ULSUrpassed.

J. R. MELTON-Grand Opening.

No City Court to day.

Saints Day.

VOL. IV.

Wir dow Glass -al. sizes at Altaffer & Price's. To morrow, the 1st of November, is [All

There are five Saturday, and five Sundays in November .

Save your money by buying our Building Supplies from Altaffer & Price.

The steamship Benefactor, Jones, hence, arrived at New York on the 28th

Strangers in the city should not fail to visit the S sh Factory, foot of Walnut street.

Cole's circus is billed for Atlanta for following can give but a very limited idea Tuesday, November 4 h. We be ieve they are heading this way.

> The schooner Cara E. Davidso : Ireland, cleared at Philadelphia on the 29th inst, for this port.

The next theatrical performance in this city will be the rendition of "The Mighty Dollar" by Mr. and Mrs. Florence.

Some of our merchants are beginning to get their places of business in readiness for their Christmas stock.

Steamboatmen report the river as falls ing, and that there is barely water enough on the sheals for beats to pass

The British schooner Elizabeth, loaded with fruit, from Nassau, N. P., for this port, and which arrived to day, experienced a gale of wind on the passage which carried away her mainmast just above the decks and started a leak which, however, was not serious.

Those of our ci izens, who have clothing, etc. that they do not want could not dispose of them better than by turning them over to the President of the Ladies' Benevolent Society for distribution among the destitute poor of this city.

Do not allow the Baby to languish and suffer, but use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup and check its suffering. For sale by al Druggists. Price 25 cents.

Church Services.

Worship in the various churches of the city to-morrow as follows:

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

corner of Third and Red Cross streets. Rev. George l'atterson, D. D., Rector. Nov. 1st.—All Saints' Day. Morning Prayer and Celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 11 o'clock.

The Old Harlequin Actor.

If the party of the second part in an agreement which was entered into the other day, and whereof ye local was a witness, carries out the spirit of a contract made between the party of the first and the party of the second part, before mentioned, there will be a hanging in Wilmington shortly. For the reason, that Stephen White, the decrepted old Englishman, who was five and twenty years an actor and ten years a har equin, who will be 75 years old next February, and who speaks nothing but poetry, is still in the city and has failed to carry out his part of the constract by which he was released fron custody by the Mayor, which, as vas stated at the time, was upon the condition that he put this city behind him lefore 12 o'clock of the day upon which he was discharged from arrest, or failing thirty days, whereupon the defendant at the time, the aforesaid Stephen White, told the mayor that he might hang him if he remained in the city for a longer period than the time above mentioned. And singular as it may appear the twice before mentioned Stephen White is still in this city for we both saw him and heard him this morning, entertaining a party of excursionists by striking a stage attitude, and then quoting lines of Shakespeare with much earnestness but with small powers of elecution, for he is toothless old man, and as may be well supposed does not articulate the best in the world. But still we hope the Mayor will not hang him nor imprison him either, for the old wan lerer has furnished us with an item on three different occa-

sions when locals were very dull, and on

this account we will have to interpose

and crave for the poor old felolw the

clemency of the authorities.

The Cattle Ordinance.

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that this (Oct. 31st) is the last day upon which any kind of neat H. C. BROCK, Chief of Police-Cattle Or cattle will be permitted to run at large, within the city limits, until the first of May, 1880.

Spring Garden reanu s. This fertile region of Rocky Point, in Pender county, is famous for large yields and a fine quality of peanuts. That excellent farmer, Mr. W. G. Chadwick, who is farming upon the fine lands of that celebrated farmer of that locality, Joel Hines, Esq , has sent us a specimen of his peanut crop of this year. The bunch or hill which he has sent us, and now hanging up in our office, contains, by actual count, four hundred and fifteen)415) well matured and good size peanuts, without any pops, or faulty peas. He imforms us that this hill will measure over one quart and that this is the average yield to the hill of the peanut crop generally this year of Spring Garden. There are no better farming lands in the State than those of Spring Garden and Rocky Point. The farmers of Pender county are now busy at work in gathering their fine crops of peanuts, corn, cowpeas, rice, cotton and sweet potatoes. We learn that some of them will, in addition to these crops, enter next year upon the culture of tobacco.

Littell's Living Age.

The numbers of The Living Age for the weeks ending October 25th and November 1st respectively, contain the folowing articles: Dieppe, Church Quarthe Czar; and The Problem of the Great Pyramid, Contemporary; Among the Druses in Syria, Blackwood; A Tragic Idyll of Modern Life; Madam Bonaparte; Egliston and Brignal; New Zealand Affairs: Is Wealth a Help to Popularity? Spectator; Tails, Nature; with an instalment of Miss Keary's 'Doubting Heart, the conclusion of 'Letters of a German Gentlewoman of the XVth Century,' and 'Godfrey's White Queen,' and the usual amount of Poetry.

The opening chapters of Mrs. Oliphant's new story, 'He who will not when he may,' printed from advance sheets, ap pear in the number for November 1st.

Money saved in buying your Household Hardware at JACOBI'S, No. 10 South Front street.

Correction of War Records.

The "Three Years in Battle and Three Years in Prison," now being published by Capt. Shotwell, in the Farmer & Mechanic is decidedly the best history of the war that has yet found its way into print. Capt. Shotwell contributes a chapter every week, and so thorough is his delineations, so compact the narration of facts, and so careful is he as to statistics, that his sketch is worthy of an exalted place in the history of the war, which we hope it may receive, Capt. Shotwell should, and probably will, publish it in book-form. If he should, we guarantee him in advance a handsome

subscription in this "City by the Sea," We have some personal knowledge of the events which he narrates; in the main they are very correct. It is only occasionally that there is a mistake, although so far as our observation has extended, those mistakes are immateria We only desire to correct one.

In speaking of the occupation of the forts, Capt. Shotwell says in his last

Fort Macon, at Beaufort, was occupied on Monday by volunteers from Newbern to do that he would be imprisoned for and Goldsboro; Forts Johnson and Caswell, by four Wilmington companies, under Captains Stevenson, DeRosset, Meares and Voller, Col. J. L. Cantwell commanding,

The correction we wish to make is a

Forts Johnson and Caswell were occupied by four Wilmington companies as follows: Wilmington Light Infantry. commanded by Capt. Wm. L. DeRosset; German Volunteers, commanded by Capt. O. Cornehlson; Wilmington Rifle Guards, commanded by Capt. O. P. Meares, and the Cape Fear Light Artillery, commanded by Capt. John J. Hedrick.

These corrections are slight ones, but we consider them necessary to a full and perfect history of the war.

Prof. Agostini proposes to give a rendition of "Aladdin,' by the pupils of his dancing school in Charlotte, in a short time. The citizens of Charlotte have a treat in store for themselves.

The New Postal Card.

The postal card agent has received for ty steel plates engraved with the design for the proposed two cent international card adopted by the postal union. It can be sent to all countries represented in the union, including about all of Europe, China, Japan, Brazil, etc. The design necessarily contains more printing than the present card and has a border something like the old one. At the top are the words; 'Universal Postal Union,' s little curved, and repeated in French in smaller type beneath. Then come the words in bold type: 'United States of America, also repeated in French and then the lne, in English only: 'Write only the address on this side.' The stamp is a well designed head of Liberty, surrounded by an elliptical border, with a figure '2' on each side and the words: 'U. S. Postal Card' around it. The cards will begin to be issued early next month.

You pay the lowest cash prices for Doors, Sash, and Blinds, Builder's Hard ware, &c . at Jacobi's No. 10 South Front

How to Split a Sheet of Paper into Three Parts.

We have often read that a sheet of paper can be split into three parts. Thus it is said that a piece of rewspaper can be THE FOLLOWING Section of an Ordidivided into three leaves—one consisting nance adopted by the Board of Aldermen at of the surface on which an engraving cut is printed, one with the letter press, and a perfectly blank sheet between them. To those who are incredulous we commend the following experimentwhich we have not tried:

European Mythology; A New Picture of on a sheet of paper, which must be thorterity the sheet can be split by the top surface being removed. But the best plan is to paste a piece of cloth or strong paper to each side of the sheet to be split. When dry, violently and without hesitation pull the pieces assunder, when a part of the sheet will be found to have adhered to one and a part to the other. Soften the paste in water and the pieces can be easily removed from the cloth. This process is generally demonstrated as a matter of curiosity, yet it can be demonstrated, and it can be utilized in many ways. If we want to paste in a scrap-book newspaper articles printed on both sides of the paper, and possess but one copy, it is very convenient to know how to detach one side from the other. Some time ago the information how to split paper in this manner was advertised to be sold for a considerable sum.

> The celebrated Zeb Vance, Southern Baker and Chief Cook Stoves, Parlor and Heating Stoves for old prices. No advance at JACOBI'S Hardware Depot.

Personal.

Dr. M. J. DeRosset, son of Dr. A. J Dr. Rosset, of this city, and very recently a practicing physician in Wilmignton, is to remove to San Antonie, Texas. He is now and has been for about two years past a resident physician in New York City, were his extraordinary abilities as a specialist in eye 'and ear diseases has not only secured for him an excellent remunerative practice, but a reputation in his profession which is acknowledged and accepted by leading physicians in that city. Unfortunately, his health has become impaired during his residence there, and he has been compelled to remove to another and a softer climate. He goes to San Antonio under guaranties which will secure him a successful and porfitable practice.

Dr. DeRosset is a native of thiscity and one whose whole soul is in his profession. When in preparation for the practice of medicine, he studied both in this city and in Europe. He is accounted one of the most thorough physicians and surgeons of the age, and is sure to make his mark wherever he goes, among strangers or HEINSBERGER'S Art and Music Gallery. friends.

Dr. DeRosset is one of the editors of the North Carolina Medical Journal, published in this city, and we trust that his removal will not interfere with his editorial labors on that publication.

Economy is wealth-buy White Lead Colors, Varnishes, and all kinds of paint ing materials for the lowest prices at JACO-BI's Hardware Depot.

Indications.

WAR DEPARTMENT. Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., Oct. 31, 1879. For the South Atlantic and Gulf States, Northeast to Northwest winds, colder, partly cloudy weather, rising barometer and local rains in the Southwest. J M. WATSON Sergt. Sig. Corps, U. S A.

The U. S. District Court, His Honor Judge Brooks presiding, will convene in this city on Monday next.

Weakly Persons' Wine. Old and infirm persons need some mild conic or gentle stimulant, especially in warm weather. The wines made at Speer's Mount Prospect Vineyards, in New Jersey, called Speer's Port Grape Wine, is used in the Atlantic States as the best tonic wine known, and is regarded as pure, and is very popular among physicians. For sale by Green & Flanner, J C. Munds and P. L B idgers &

New Advertisements.

Mountain Beef. MORE OF IT TO-MORROW, for Saturday's Market at

GEO. F. TILLEY'S.

oct 31 1t No. o Market House.

COTTON TIES. 200 BUNDLES COTTON TIES.

For sale LOW to close.

ROBERT HENNING, oc! 31-1t No. 9, Mirket Street.

City of Wilmington,

Office Chief of Police.

October 13, 1879.

a meeting held June 7th, 1876, will be enforced on and after TUESDAY. November 2th.

be permitted to run at large, within the city limits, between the first day of November and the first day of May following, of each H. C. BROCK,

oct 31--3tnac Chief of Police,

Grand Opening

OF FINE, fat Mountain Beef, Veal, Lamb, Pork, and Sausages to-morrow morning. In laying in supplies for Saturday and Sunday don't forget that the best of every thing in the fresh meat line will be found at my market. Try my home-made Smoked Sausage and Puddings, and you will eat no other. Call and leave your orders with me

J. R. MELTON,

oci 31 1t. Second Street. NEW MILLINERY & NEW STOCK.

MRS. S. J. BAKER has opened a Millinery and Hair Goods Emperium on the Southwest corner of Third and Orange sts,. where she will be pleased to see the Ladies. Wigs made and repaired. 'Hair Flowers, Cloth. Hair Jewelry, Invisible Fronts, etc., etc. Prices very reasonable, oct 30-tf

Extra Pants

FOR LARGE OR SMALL MEN, Fxtra

Pants for Boys, at

MUNSON'S, THE CLOTHIER

AND MER. TAILOR. oc+ 30-'

Mackerel. Herring and Codfish

MACKEREL in Bbls., Kits and portable packages, by package or retail, new and CODFISH and Scalded Herring in quanti-

ties, or at retail . POULTRY, Eggs, Butter, Lard, Potatoes, Onions, and a full line of Family Groceries. All for sale at bottom prices. NEWBURY & CHASTEN.

An Invitation

IS HEREBY EXTENDED TO ALL TO call and see the Beautiful New Chromos, Engravings, and numerous other attractions at Pianos, Organs, Guiters, Banjos, Violins, to patronize

tionery in the city. The most Complete Stock of Presentation

The Cheapest Place to buy Books and Sta-

HEINSBERGER'S, Live Book and Music Store.

Steamer Passport.

MAPT. J. W. HARPER, Will leave Wilmington daily, (Sundays excepted) at 31/2 P. M.

Dentistry.

GRO. MYERS, Agent.

PARENTS TOO OFTEN
neglect their Children's
teeth; there is a specialty for
their use, in my new Chair, found no where
elss. Bend them and have their teeth examined and treated, before they are past saving.
Respectfully,
JAS. E. KEA.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 29, 1879,

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 fur nished to the Editor.

Communications must be written on only

one side of the paper.

Personalities must be avoided. And it is especially and particularly under stood that the Editor does not always endo s

the views of correspondents, unless so state!

New Advertisements.

in the editorial columna.

AT

M. M. KATZ'S

36 Market St.

HAVING SUCCEEDED after several weeks of untiring industry and effort, in buying the CHOICEST PRODUCTS of European and American Manufacturers I am prepared to offer to my Patrons and Friends

Bargains

In all the different Departments, which

VARIETY

AND

EXCELLENCE!

By any House in the city or elsewhere.

BLACK DRESS SILKS! Of Bellon, Guinet, Teillard and Ponson

Sec 2. That no Cow or Calf, Ox or Bull, Our celebrated heavy Soft GROS GRAIN for One Dollar per yard.

Colored Silks, Silk Vel-

in Plain and Satin Stripes.

vets, Satins,

DRESS GOODS.

Satin Melange, Cashmere, Soie, Brocade Persan, Persan Raye, Raye Broche, Cavalo Mohair, Striped

Satin, Camel's Hair. Colored Cashmeres from 15 cents up, Colored Alpacas, all shades, 121 cents,

Double Width Colored Alpacas, heavy, only 16 cents per, yard. A Great Variety of different styles, suitable for the season, very low.

Mourning Goods.

The best assortment ever offered here. Drab D'Ete, Bombazine, Tamise, Crape Cloth; Plain, Striped and Brocade Cashmere; Henriettas, Mohairs, Australian

Cloaks, Waterproofs, Shawls,

Trimmings, Silk, Grass and Cheneil Fringes, Gloves and Hosiery, every style, good and cheap, Skirts and Corsets.

The best Fifty Cent Corset ever sold in

Ribbons Fancy, Satin, Striped and Brocaded. Housekeeping Goods, Blankets, Flan-

Men and Boys' Wear,

Ladies' Cloth, Ladies and Children's Merino Vests, Ruchings, Ties, Fancy Goods. One Thousand Dozen Linen Handkerchiefs, from 5c up. DOMESTIC GOODS, &c., &c., &c., all at prices which defy competition, and qualities which cannot fail to give satisfaction. I can assure my kind patrons that every article will be sold AS LOW, and THE MAJORITY LOWER, than at any previous season.

Order Samples and you will be certain

M. M. KATZ,

36 Market St.

Unsurpassed!

OUR STOCK OF MEN'S, YOUTHS' and Beys' Clothing and Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps, is unsurpassed, in style, make, quality and prices. We have two Stores full of New Goods, and we are rapidly sells ing them. Call at once and make selection and see how cheap you can buy.

The best and cheapest Shirt In the city, laundried and unlaundred, at

SHRIER'S TWO STORES.

Market st.

Get 27