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 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 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.
JUST RECEIVED!
BROWN & RODDICK,
 45 Market St.
 A NEW LINE OF
 Hamburg Edgings and Insertions,
 All widths and qualities.
 Ladies, everything in our line of business is advancing. You will find it to your advantage to make purchases now.
 Torchon Laces and Insertions—all new.
 Point de Languedoc Laces, in variety,
 N.W. Call and examine.
 Scarf Laces in Black and White.
 We certainly have the largest and cheapest lot on hand that has been shown for some time.
 Irish Trimming Laces for the Million.
 Kid Gloves 2 and 3 Buttons, 75 cts. a pair.
 " 4 Buttons, \$1 a pair.
 We offer nothing but a good article and can safely say they can not be bought within twenty-five per cent of the above prices. We have the best selected and put up especially for our trade.

Buttons.
 A NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED.
 We are giving the above department our particular attention and can show by far the largest assortment ever offered in this city.

Eighmie Patent Shirt.



THE FINEST AND CHEAPEST DRESS SHIRT MADE IN THE WORLD.
 This wonderful invention gives a Boston handsome shape and latest style, and is placed upon the shirt that it can be worn for a week without a break or wrinkle. Made from 2100 lines, Wamatta Muslin, and Bottom lined with heavy Butcher Linen.
Every Boston Guaranteed to Outwear the Shirt.
 Call and examine the cut and quality; you cannot fail to be convinced that it is just what you have been looking for.

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 45 Market Street,
 feb 7

Fresh Every Day.
 A FINE ASSORTMENT OF CANDIES,
 French and Domestic, just received and for sale.
THE ONLY GENUINE HOME-MADE Candy in the city, will be found every day, fresh and sweet, three doors South of the Postoffice on Second street. Also, Nuts, Raisins, Fruit, &c.
C. E. JEVENS,
 Jan 23 Near the Postoffice.

NEW MILLINERY STORE.
I AM CONSTANTLY RECEIVING New Goods which I will sell cheap for cash, such as Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Flowers and every thing in the Millinery line. Infants' Crocheted Goods always on hand. Also, Lace Goods. Human Hair Goods for sale. Work done in the most approved style. Ladies will do well to call and see for themselves.
 Country orders receive prompt attention.
MRS. N. J. BAKER,
 feb 4 Corner Third and Orange sts.

Mules for Sale.
TWENTY HEAD OF WAGON
 AND FARM MULES.
 Apply to
T. J. BOUTHERLAND,
 Livery and Sale Stables,
 Third Street.
 feb 3-17

Winberry Oysters.
THEY ARE GOOD
 Now. Another instalment just received. It's cold enough now for hot Whiskey and hot Oysters. Free Lunch every day at 11 o'clock.
 sept 26 **JOHN CARROLL,**

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
P HARRINGTON—The Calendar Ink stand.
ORRIS HOUSE—Butt's Paintings.

Widow Glass—all sizes at Altner & Price's.

In the game of cards, a good deal depends on a good deal.

Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives &c. for the Children at JACOBI'S.

Gentility is said to be eating meat with a silver fork, when the butcher is not paid.

Steamship *Regulator* Donee for this port, cleared at New York on the 14th inst.

This world without woman—lovely woman—would be like a blank sheet of paper—not even ruled.

Save your money by buying your Building Supplies from Altner & Price.

Schooner *Commander*, Chase, from Wymouth, Mass., for this port, was at Newport, R. I., on the 13th inst.

Remark of a person bounced from a saloon, You seem to think, by Jove, that I'm the Fusion Legislature of the State of Maine!

The marriage mania has somewhat abated, but there are some affairs matrimonial, yet to come off before the 1st of April.

Christmas Fire Dogs and Fire Irons, Fluting Machines and every sort of Hardware at lowest sort of cash prices at JACOBI'S.

Spirits of turpentine is on the boom again. The market for this article has advanced five cents per gallon since Friday last, and is still a booming.

Captain S. W. Vick, after an absence of several months in South Carolina Georgia and Alabama, has returned to Wilmington, but only on a visit, we apprehend. We are glad to see Captain V. looking so well.

Steamboatmen report a rise of between five and six feet in the Cape Fear at Fayetteville, when they left there yesterday morning and the river then rising, making a plenty of good boating water.

The remainder of the "jolly raftsmen," who have been in this city for the past few days disposing of their rafts of timber, wood and naval stores, took the steamers to day for home. The number was quite small as a majority of them went away yesterday.

A Worthy Physician Departed.
 From a correspondent at Whitaker's, we receive the intelligence that Dr. J. J. Garrett, of that place, died very suddenly on Saturday evening last, the 14th inst. Dr. Garrett was a gentleman possessed of many noble traits of character, was an exemplary member of the M. E. Church, loved and honored by a wide circle of relatives and friends. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and doting father. His children are all nearly grown, and two of his daughters are married.

Criminal Court.
 The Court room was packed to-day with persons drawn thither to hear the evidence in the case of Maria Hall, now on trial for murder. About three o'clock the examination of witnesses was completed and Capt. W. S. Norment, one of the counsel for the defence, addressed the jury in a speech of about an hour's length, and was followed by Mr. M. Bellamy, the other counsel for the defence. At the time of closing our report Mr. Bellamy was speaking. He is to be followed by Mr. Solicitor Moore.

People with thin heads of hair should use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer to make the hair grow cut thick.

A Cross Baby.
 Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a bachelor as stopping for one night at the house of a married friend and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross and crying babies need only Hop Bitters to make them well and smiling. Young man, remember this—Ed.

Good Evidence.
 When such men as the Rev. Dr. Harvey, Father Fitz Gerald, Prof. Green, Dr. Bartine, Col. John K. McChesney, E. W. Neff, and a host of others equally trustworthy, certify over their own signatures to the marvelous efficacy of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, in the diseases for which it is recommended, it is time to dismiss doubts on the subject.

The Fire Fiend—Three Dwelling Houses Burned and \$10,000 to \$12,000 Worth of Property Destroyed.

The sound of the fire bell in the still hours of the night carries with it a peculiarly thrilling and almost indescribable feeling of horror, even when we are not in danger from the flames ourselves and are assured from observation that the scene of conflagration is far removed from our own dwelling. But what must be the terror and the awful horror that awaits one who, suddenly awakening from sleep profound, in the dead hours of the night, the first object to meet the gaze is the lurid glare of the flames that are licking up the side of his dwelling and the roar of the rapidly increasing fire, the first sound that is heard. Such was the condition of three families in this city, this morning, residing on Mulberry and on Second streets.

About 4 o'clock this morning, or a short time thereafter, the kitchen belonging to the dwelling of Mr. Mr. Jno. Kent Brown, on Mulberry street, was discovered to be on fire. The alarm was immediately sounded, but before the engines or any of the fire department, except, perhaps, the Chief, Col. Roger Moore, who resides in the neighborhood, could reach the scene, the dwelling of Mr. Brown and the dwelling house west belonging to the estate of the late Isaac B. Smith, together with the kitchen on Mr. Geo. H. Kelly's premises on Second street, were all on fire and the inmates of the first two named residences had scarcely time to leave the house—catching at such things as were convenient to their hands—before the buildings were wrapped in flames. Mr. Brown had a sick wife and two sick children to look after and remove from his dwelling before he could turn his attention to the saving of property, and by the time he had deposited his family in a place of safety the flames had made such rapid progress that all that could be saved from the destroying element was his parlor furniture. All else was lost, including his own and his family's clothing, his family, silver, bed and bedding, in fact, everything, even to his wife's watch—with the single exception of the furniture mentioned above. Officer Bryant, of the police force, ran up to Mr. Brown's residence as soon as the fire was discovered and made every demonstration to wake the family up, and finally broke open the front door and commenced moving out some of the furniture that was saved.

From the property of Mr. Brown the flames seemed to communicate, so we understand, almost simultaneously to the buildings on Mr. Kelley's premises and to the dwelling belonging to the estate of the late Isaac B. Smith, occupied at the time by Mr. T. O. Bunting and family, and two young ladies, daughters of the deceased gentleman above mentioned. The last named dwelling was insured, we understand, in the Lynchburg Insurance Company, of Lynchburg, Virginia, of which Col. Wm. L. Smith is agent, for \$400. But a good deal of the furniture of the household together with the entire wardrobe of the young ladies we are told, upon which there was no insurance, was lost in the flames. The loss on this building will probably reach \$2,000. Loss on furniture and other effects \$300. Some portion of the parlor furniture in this dwelling was removed before the building burned to the ground, but a very old colored woman, formerly a slave in Mr. Smith's family, who resided in the basement of the house could with difficulty be aroused in time to move out, and but for the energetic exertions of one of the young ladies, would have perished in the flames. Mr. Kelley's household, were a little more fortunate, at least some members of them, in saving their wardrobe, but Mr. Walter Kelley, son of Mr. G. H. Kelley, lost all of his clothing (except a fireman's suit which he donned as soon as he discovered the flames,) his gold watch and a fine pistol besides. Mr. Walter Kelley estimates his loss at over \$125, other members of the family also lost some of their wardrobe. Mr. Kelley the elder, estimates his loss on his furniture at \$150. The house was insured, so Mr. K. informed us, in the Connecticut Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford. Col. W. L. Smith, agent, at \$4,000. Mr. Jno. Kent Brown estimates his loss in furniture, silver and other effects at \$2,000 to \$2,500 his dwelling was insured in the sum of \$2,000 in the Wilmington Mutual Insurance Company, of this city.

A dwelling on the corner of Mulberry and Second streets and next door to Mr. Brown's dwelling on the east, belonging to Mr. L. Voliers, but occupied by Mr. Joseph Meier, was at one time in imminent danger, and but for the extraordinary exertion of the fire department would have been devoured by the flames; but owing to the efforts of our worthy firemen, under the skilful management of their very worthy and most efficient Chief, Col. Moore, who seemed to be here, there, and everywhere, wherever wanted, the flames were stayed at this point, with only slight damage to the kitchen, which can be easily repaired for \$100. This property was insured in the Phoenix of Hartford. Mr. Norwood Giles, agent, for \$1,500.

On Second street the dwelling occupied by Sheriff S. H. Manning, belonging to Captain E. I. Love, and next door south of Mr. Kelley's house was also in great danger, but here again the fire department came nobly to the rescue and the only damage done to the premises was a small hole burnt in the roof of the kitchen and the pulling down of the fence to get in the fireman's hose. Mr. T. P. Sykes' house next west of the Smith house was also saved from the flames by the energetic efforts of the fire department.

Long before the flames were entirely subdued, day dawned upon the scene, and revealed three homeless families with the few effects they had saved, watching from the opposite side of the street in the gray chilly dawn of the early morn, the gradual smouldering of their once comfortable homes. Hundreds of people including many ladies, were on the streets near the scene of the disaster, until the approach of the great king of day, when the increasing light in the east showed their haggard appearances, and hastily made toilets, which caused them to his away to their domicils, thankful no doubt, that their own homes were not like the unfortunate sufferers mentioned above, now laid in ashes.

Before closing this account we must bear witness to the fact that Wilmington has, we think, one of the very best and most organized and most efficient fire departments anywhere south of Baltimore, and one which would do credit to many cities much larger than our own where fires are of a more frequent occurrence.

The New Steam Saw Mill of Mr. A. Y. Wilson—Everything Working Smoothly and Business in Full Blast.

Truly is he a philanthropist who causes two blades of grass to grow where only one grew before. Three months ago Mr. A. Y. Wilson, a young man of nerve, energy and good business qualifications came among us and immediately set to work to build a saw mill in this city. The obstacles he had to overcome in the way of unskilled labor, etc., seemed almost insurmountable, but by well directed efforts he has built and has now in thorough working order the handsomest and most complete mill of its capacity in the United States. The saw mill stands on or near the site of the old Dudley & Pierce's mill. It is complete in all of its appointments and is supplied with all the new and improved machinery of the day.

The engine room is made of brick and is 30x32 feet. Its roof is covered with sheet iron. The engine is a stationary high pressure engine of 100 horse power and has two tubular boilers 12 feet long and 48 inches in diameter, and each has 28 four inch tubes. The engines and boilers are set on a massive foundation of granite and cement which looks as though it would stand for ages. Through the engine room runs the sawdust conveyer which supplies the furnaces with the necessary fuel; the surplus sawdust is carried up through the conveyer and emptied into pockets and is hauled off by carts.

THE MAIN BUILDING.
 is 30 x 140 feet and is two stories high. The sides ends and roof of this building are covered with sheet iron. On the lower floor are the wheels, bands and pulleys for operating the machinery, and driving the saws and carriage above. There are two of A. F. Barlett & Co.'s double reversible engines which work the circular carriage and feeds the logs to the saws; It is known to mill men as "a feed and gig work." Torrence's log turner is also worked from this floor by the machinery, but it does its duty on the upper floor. The driving wheel which runs the mill is 10 feet in diameter and 22 inch face. All the wheels and bands are improvements on the old kind.

The conveyors are all worked by friction which can be taken off at will. The geared roller machinery for running lumber from the saw is also worked by

fiction. This machinery is very simple and is as pretty as it is useful and simple. Next is the angle belt and shaft machinery for driving three saws, which is very much admired. The machinery to operate the trimming and butt saws, and geared rollers is something entirely new and gives those operating the saws perfect satisfaction.

THE SECOND FLOOR.
 Unlike the floor below, is a busy life of men and machinery. On the first floor the machinery was run exclusively by steam, while on the second, steam is assisted by men in running the carriages etc. The log carriage is run down an iron track to the water and floats under the logs, when it is hoisted up by means of chains; as it comes up the track the logs are fastened by iron teeth on the carriage and brought safely to the saw room without being touched. From the carriage, the logs are rolled on inclined skids, where it is taken by the Torrence log turner and placed on the carriage, which feeds it to the saw, and thence to the geared roller machinery, which separates the planks requiring edging from the slabs and lumber, and carries them to the places desired. Three men are required to operate the feeding carriage and one to attend to the saw and log-turner. The carriage is supplied with Stearns' set work for measuring the exact width required. After the log with its natural bark is hauled up into the mill, it requires just two minutes to saw and trim it down to a sill 6x6 inches. The edger is one of Stearns' automatic machines, and is supplied with three movable and one stationary saw. Such planks as need edging are run by steam from the geared rollers to the edger, and comes out the width desired, in almost an unaccountably short space of time. The lumber is carried to the piling grounds on carriages, where it is piled by hand. The mill has a capacity of 40,000 feet per day. The wharf room is ample for piling 1,000,000 feet of lumber and loading six vessels at one time. The planing mills will be built in a short time. In the building of the mill no money or pains have been spared to make it the staunchest and most complete establishment of its kind in the State. It was built after the design of Mr. James Allen, who is a mill man and mechanic of many years' experience. Mr. Allen, who is the superintendent, has our thanks for his kindness in showing us through the different departments. We congratulate Mr. Wilson upon his success and trust his efforts will be rewarded as they justly deserve to be.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen.
 The Board of Aldermen met at the City Hall last night, all the members being present, with Mayor Fishblade presiding. The Committee on Finance asked for further time in relation to the petition of Cato Bunting, who owns a portion of Marstell street, in the southern portion of the city, which he desires to sell to the city for the purpose of paying his taxes. The request of the Committee was granted.

The special committee, on the claim of Alex. Oldham, was continued.

An opinion from the City Attorney was submitted by the Ordinance Committee in relation to the letter of Alex. Oldham and the matter of stevedores. The letter was referred back to the Ordinance Committee, and the petition relative to the stevedores to a special committee consisting of Aldermen H. G. Flanner, J. A. Lowery and J. C. Hill.

An adverse report was made upon the petition of A. Jones, and it was not granted.

A letter was received from the City Attorney, relative to the professional tax upon lawyers, and the City Treasurer was directed to follow his advice in the matter.

The following ordinance was adopted, relative to the sale of real estate for delinquent city taxpayers:

Be it ordered by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, and it is hereby ordered by the authority of the same, that in order to give the Treasurer and Tax Collector time to make the necessary levies on the personal property of all delinquent real estate taxpayers of 1879, in satisfaction of their said taxes, that the sale of real estate for city taxes of 1879 be, and the same is hereby postponed until the second Monday in March proximo.

The petition of George Harris was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The following letter was received and referred to the Committee on Police:

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 2, 1880.
 To His Honor, the Mayor, and Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington:
 GENTLEMEN:—So many deceptions have been made on plants and flowers at

Oakdale Cemetery, that the Board of Directors, hoping to check the evil, have instructed me to ask if you will not detail a policeman to guard the grounds on Saturdays—for a part of the day at least—for one two, or three months, with instructions, to arrest any person found depositing the graves of our dead.

Very respectfully,
 Your obedient servant,
 DONALD MACRAE, President.

A letter was received from the Navy and Guano Company, relative to the gutters on Princess street, which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Waterways.

A special committee of three, consisting of Aldermen Myers, Von Glahn and Lowery was appointed, to which was referred the protest of several citizens against the location of a hospital.

An answer to said protest, in a letter from Dr. W. W. Lane, was read and referred to the same committee.

A letter was received from the Manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A letter, dated Feb. 21, from the Board of Audit and Finance, relative to the erection of flag poles on the public streets, was received and read.

A letter, dated Feb. 10th, was also received from the Board of Audit and Finance, relative to the purchase of paving stone and repairing fire wharves, and read.

The Chief of Police was instructed to purchase stone and pave the road bed of the street railway where the streets are paved.

The bill, relative to repairs of [five] wharf, of J. H. Hanby, was referred back to the Committee on streets and wharves.

A lamp was ordered to be placed on Chestnut, between Third and Fourth streets.

The monthly report of the Chief of the Fire Department was read and ordered on file.

The use of the City Hall was granted to St. Stephen's Church, for the 24th inst. Adjourned.

New Advertisements.

POSITIVELY ONE NIGHT ONLY!
 Opera House, Friday Night, Feb. 20.

WILL BE EXHIBITED ARTHUR L. BUTT'S PAINTINGS illustrating the book of Revelation. There are 22 scenes, each one of them measures 16 x 20 feet on the stage, and are exciting, grand and sublime. There will be a mechanical shower of stars in one picture, the sight of which will be worth more than the admission fee. In another will be more natural. Paris together than you ever beheld before, and the last is the "Crystal City of Gold."
 Admission 50c. Children under 13 years, 25c. Reserved Seats 75c, at Heinsberger's. Doors open at 7, commence at 8 o'clock. Feb 17-tues-th Fri.

The Calendar Inkstand
IS THE MOST COMPLETE article of the kind ever offered. It is an entirely new design. Quite ornamental and useful, both as an Inkstand and Calendar.
 The New Style Desk Ornaments are also very beautiful. Call and see them at **THE LIVE BOOK STORE.**

IF YOU WANT TO BUY AN ORGAN, Piano, Guitar, Violin, or anything in the Music Line, go to **HEINSBERGER'S.** They are selling very cheap.
 feb 17

New Crop Cuba.
 308 Hbds and Tierces
 New Crop Cuba Molasses,
 Now landing ex Brig Flora.
 For sale low by
WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

Potatoes, Flour, Sugar,
 300 Bbls. Early Rose Potatoes.
 1000 Bbls Flour, Super to
 Extra Family,
 275 Bbls Sugar, Granulated,
 Standard A, Extra C and C,
 425 Bags Coffee, Rio,
 Laguyra and Java,
 350 Boxes Smoked
 and D S Sides,
 150 Tubs Choice Leaf Lard,
 400 Boxes Lye and Potash,
 225 Boxes Laundry
 and Toilet Soap,
 150 Boxes Starch,
 250 Whole and Half Boxes
 Candles,
 Candy, Paper, Snuff, Tobacco,
 Iron, Nails, Buckets, Hoop
 Iron, &c.
 500 Bales Choice Timothy
 and Eastern Hay,
 3200 Sacks Marshall's Fine Salt,
 4500 Sacks Liverpool Salt,
 2500 Sacks Peruvian
 Cotton Gnano,
 For sale low by
WILLIAMS & MURCHISON,
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