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LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE-John E Owens W. H. STERLING -Notice HEINSBERGER-Great Economy C W YATES-School Books

The receipts of cotton at this port to day foot up 1,306 bales, the largest any one day this season.

Freshwater Perch, Trout and Black fish Hooks and Lines. A full assort ment and lowest prices at JACOBI'S. †

Col. A. Pope, General Passenger Agent for the Associated Railroads of Virginia and the Carolinas, is in the city to-day on a brief visit.

Call at JACOBI'S for Garden Hoes and Rakes, Shovels, Spades, Axes, &c. There you have the lowest prices.

Messrs. Brown & Roddick's new quarters on North Front street will be one of the handsomest dry goods stores in the State. The large, wide front is almost entirely of glass.

The Hickory Press gives the rates on six different classes of goods from that point to Wilmington and Richmond. They are as follows: To Wilmington, \$1.04, .85, .73, .61, .51, .40. To Richmond, \$1.04, .85, .73, .61, .51, .40.

We understand that John Campbell

OPERA HOUSE.

Solon Shingle, A highly delighted and enthusiasti audience greeted Mr. John E. Owens at the Opera House last night upon his first appearance after so long an absence from our city. To see Jno. E. Owens in his inimitable character and impersonations and not laugh would be equivatent to acting chief mourner at a funeral without dropping a tear in sad remembrance over the dear departed. The first piece presented to the audience last night was the "Victims" in which Mi Owens, as Joshua Butterby, fully sustain- physicians in attendance has expressed to ed his reputation as a first-class low comedian. But it was in the second piece

that his genius, "which never dies," shown out more conspicuously in the assumed character of "Solon Shingle." There is really nothing of pith or point

in either of the pieces presented; it i only the humorous style and manner o the chief actor's performance which brings a smile of good humor upon the countenances until it spreads into an uncontrollable huge laugh which is kept up

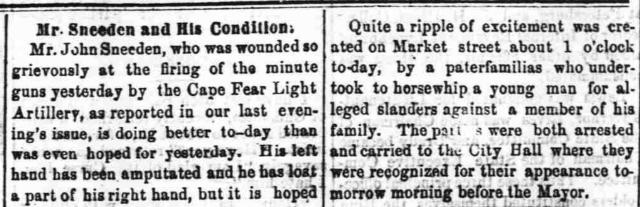
until the curtain drops on the last scene. Mr. Owens' support is good and each one played his or her part to the satisfaction of the audience. To-night Mr Owens appears in one of his very best characters-Major DeBoots, in Every-

body's Friend-and we advise all who

Mr. Sneeden and His Condition: Mr. John Sneeden, who was wounded so grievonsly at the firing of the minute a part of his right hand, but it is hoped now that amputation of this member

will not be necessary. His face is also much disfigured by the powder, but he says that he can see out of both of his eyes, and the loss of his eyesight is, therefore, not now feared. One of the us his belief that he will live. Still, his comdition is most deplorable, and our citizens, ever ready as they are to lend an ear to the call of distress, have already subscribed liberally for his assistance. We trust, however, that the efforts for his relief will not stop at his immediate necessities, but that some movement may be made looking to a provision for his future. He has, we understand, a widowed mother and a sister dependent upon him for support, and some of his friends are

already talking of a petition to Congress praying that a pension may be ordered for his benefit. The fact that the accident occurred while firing minute guns on a solemn public occasion should furnish strong grounds in support of his claims. We do not doubt that a monster petition proper efforts made at this time and it



Ald for the Sufferer. The following is a copy of a subscription list in behalf of Mr. Sneeden which has been left at the Purcell House:

The case of Mr. John Sneeden, who was so terribly hurt on September 26th by the premature discharge of a canuon being fired in honor of our dead President, is one of a peculiarly distressing nature and appeals most strongly to the sympathy of a generous public. In his helpless condition he is dependent upon an aged widowed mother, the sight of whom cries aloud for help. Give some-

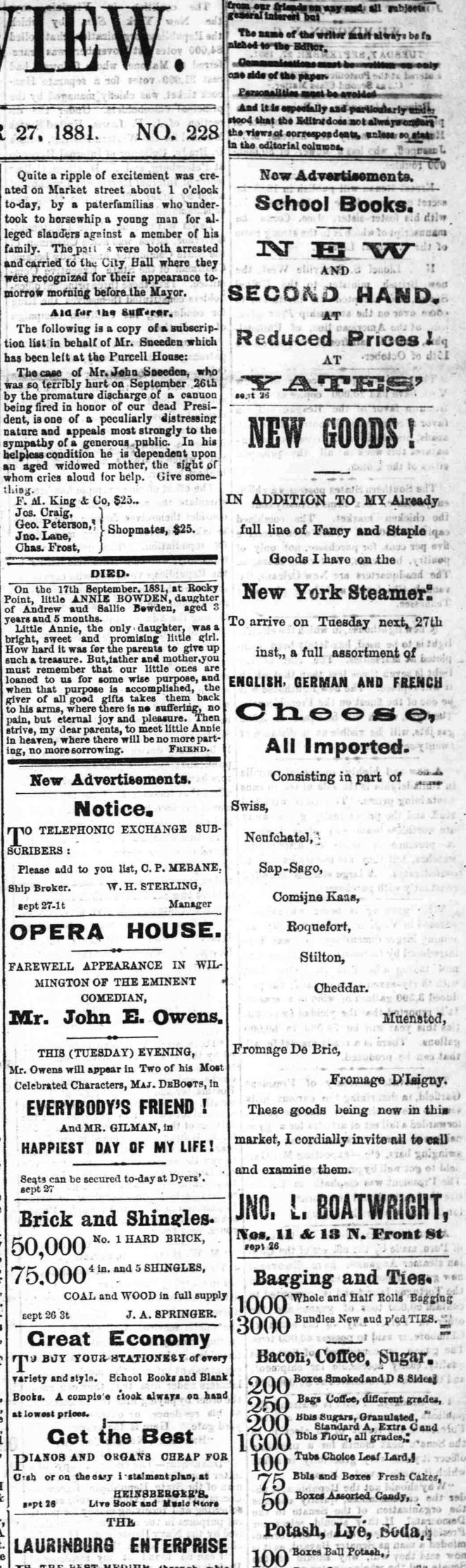
hing. F. M. King & Co, \$25.. Jos. Craig, Geo. Peterson, Shopmates, \$25. Jno. Lane. Chas. Frost,

On the 17th September, 1881, at Rocky Point, little ANNIE BOWDEN, daughter of Andrew aud Sallie Bewden, aged 3 rears and 5 months. Little Annie, the only daughter, was a bright, sweet and promising little girl.

DIED.

How hard it was for the parents to give up such a treasure. But, father and mother, you must remember that our little ones are loaned to us for some wise purpose, and We do not doubt that a monster petition for his relief can been secured with proper efforts made at this time and it pain, but eternal joy and pleasure. Then

ing, no more sorrowing.





1 Misdemeanor.

Louis Sheridan, colored, was arraigned before a magistrate this morning charged My sores soon began to hea!, and the color of my skin changed as fast as the sores with a violation of the law which is conhealed. I had not thought of ever getting tained in chapter 70 of Battle's Revisal, well again, but my hopes increased, my low spiritedness fied before th) remedy, and I which makes it a misdemeanor for any am now enjoying splendid health and am in good spirits. The remedy is mild as a pur person to entice away from his employer gative, and a strong tonic : it will heal the most stubborn sore in three weeks if taken any servant or employe. Sheridan is charged with preventing laborers from regularly. It is my opinion that it should working on board of a vessel after they be taken some time after the sore is healed, to remove the cause of its effects: It should had contracted to perform service there. be taken regularly by all means, for I have cometimes neglected it, from the pressure or business, and in all cases found that the The justice before whom this case was brought bound defendant over to next are already made would commence to re-trograde, and for this alone it should be term of the Criminal Court, in accordance with the above act.

urinary affections, smarting, frequent or difficult urination, kidney diseases. \$1. Druggists. Depot Jas. C. Munds.

Before a Magistrate.

Isaac Stanley, colored, was arrested ipon a warrant sworn out by Carrie Boon, colored, upon the charge of burglary, alleged to have been committed last Friday night. The defendant was committed by Justice Millis for trial until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. A search warrant was also issued by Justice Millis, against same defendant, upon the affidavit of Carrie Boon, and placed in the hands of officer Simcn Richardson, who failed however, to dis-

can be presented and urged at the meet- strive, my dear parents, to meet little Annie ing of Congress in December next. To secure this it is only necessary to strike now while the iron is hot.

Reduction in Marine Insurance. We are glad to note that the Underwriters Agency has given ear to the petition forwarded by Mr. VanBokkelen, SURIBERS : President of the Chamber of Commerce, and others some time since, asking a rcduction of the rate on marine insurance Ship Broker. from this place for foreign ports. Mr sept 27-1t VanBokkelen received a letter this morning from J. Raymond Smith, Secretary OPERA of the Underwriters, in which he notified Mr. VanBokkelen officially that hereafter the rate of marine insurance from

List of Letters. The following is a list of the letters res

B-Wm Blackville, Laurah Brown, John H Burnett, Bently & Hemslin, A B Bowden, Elsie Brise, Mollie Burks.

D-W W Davis, S B Dudley, Rebecca

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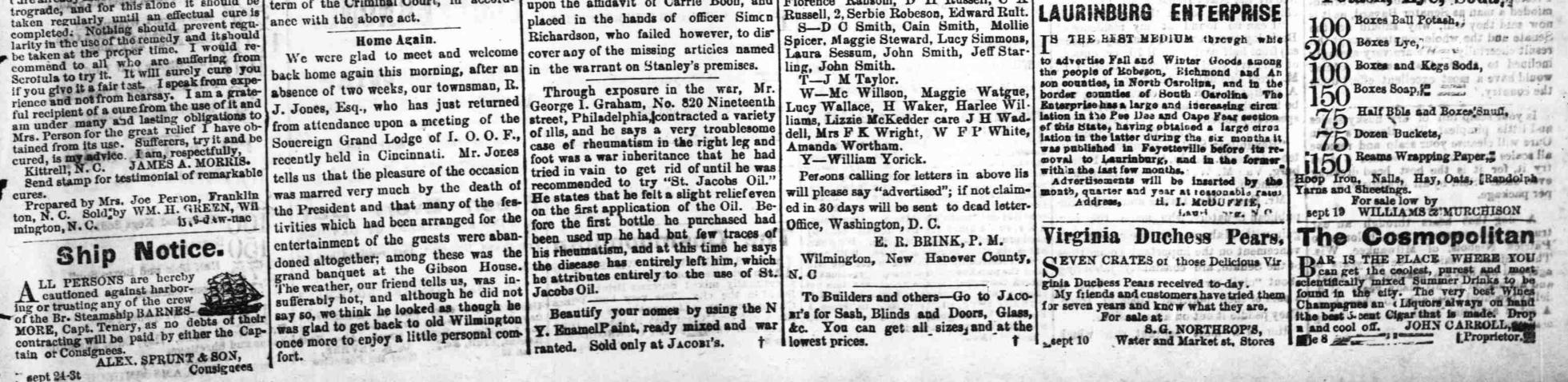
F-A Fisher, Victor Fleitcher, Mollie Frizell, Frank Fairs, Laura Frank, Jane Fonville, Susan Foy. G-Henry P Gibson, Charles Guyer.

H-Joseph Hawes, care Anthony Howe ; B H Hanskins, Harvey Hines, Mary Hill, J A Hanlean, Amanda Hill, J Hall, Kate Hawkins, Elder Sylvester Hassel, W S Hindes, T J Herring, Robt H Harriss, G M Hall, C G Hopkins. J-Eliza Jackson, Aron Jones, Benamin James, Hester Johnson, James Jones, Hyram Joyner, Mary E Johnson, Richard Jordan.

K-B Kennicutt, Henry King, Jno T king.

L-Henry Lietjen, Kisiah Lamb. M-Jennie Merriman, W Montford, Thomas A McKensie, P C McMillan, at lowest prices. Melvina McKoy, Martha McKenzie, Jane Moore, Julia Moore, J H McClammy, Lizzie Mitchell, Lilla Morrison, F M. McKoy, Harriett Merritt, H Z Murray, H P Murray, Neal Mahalia. N-Catharine Nixon. P-Elizabeth A Pettitt, John H

Parker, Mollie Parker, W T Parker & R-Isaac Rennels, Jennie Rubber, Florence Ransom, D H Russell, C A Russell, 2, Serbie Robeson, Edward Rult. S-D C Smith, Cain Smith, Mollie



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