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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 must always be furnished to the Editor.  
 Communications must be written on 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 column.

There is a speck of war between England and France which will, however, hardly attain to any larger dimensions. It is alleged that at Tamatave, Madagascar, when the French occupied that place, Admiral Pierre arrested the Secretary of the British Legation and ordered the Consul to leave within 24 hours. The latter, who was very sick at the time, has since died. Inquiries of France have been made by the British Government and not yet replied to. A dispatch says:

Advices, dated June 6, from Gaboon, the capital of the French colony of that name on the west coast of Africa, says that the French commandant has arbitrarily searched English merchants and fined those having arms in their possession, and has interfered with schools of American missionaries, refusing to permit the teaching of any language but the French.

The *Daily News* says it may be safely assumed that the Madagascar matter is engaging the attention of the German and the United States States Governments, both of which had Consuls at Tamatave when the town was occupied by the French.

### LOCAL NEWS.

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This was the hottest morning of the season.  
 There was not a bale of cotton received at this port to-day.

Minnie Hauk is booked for the Opera House for the night of October 18th.  
 Clarendon Council, No. 67, A. I. of Honor, will meet to-night, at 8 o'clock.

Schr. Wm. Beasley, from Richmond, Me., arrived here to-day with a cargo of ice for Messrs W. E. Davis & Son.  
 Col. John D. Starr, of Fayetteville, is in the city to-day. He has been spending a few days on the Sound.

Steamboatmen report first rate boat ing water in the Cape Fear, there being howabout eight feet on the shoals.  
 Watermelons begin to come into market quite freely, but the prices are yet above the reach of ordinary mortals.

The price of wood on the wharves continues to rule high, 85 cents a load being the price for which it is sold from the flats to day.  
 The Rechabites had a very pleasant time down the river yesterday, with only a slight shower while going down, to mar the pleasure.

The arms for the Smithville Light Infantry, which Gen. Taylor was notified to lookout for last Monday night, were not shipped until yesterday.  
 The machine shop of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad is now about completed, and workmen are busily engaged in placing the machinery in position.

There was only a fair supply of beef in the market this morning, and there was none of that of the best quality. The supply and quality of vegetables were good.  
 Mr. S. S. Drew, of Smithville, arrived here last night from New York, after a two weeks visit to the metropolis. He went down on the *Passport* this morning.

The annual meeting of the Wilmington Library Association for the election of officers and for the transaction of other important business, will be held to-night.  
 Mr. F. W. Foster, of this city, received a telegram yesterday containing the sad intelligence of the death of his mother, near Elmira, N. Y., on the night previous.  
 The colored people are holding a camp meeting at Hilton, which is kept up until a late hour at night, or rather until an early hour in the morning. It was about 3 o'clock when some of the worshippers reached home this morning.

Always, in a heavy rain similar to that which fell here this afternoon, the sidewalks on the South side of Market street are overflowed. This is because the gutters under the crossings are not of capacity sufficient to carry off the water. The remedy is easy and practicable, and should be applied at once.  
 The celebrated 'Fish Brand Gills' Twine is sold only at JACOB'S HARDWARE DEPOT.

**The Sound.**  
 The rush to the Sound is unprecedented, and large parties congregate at the hotels there every day. Dancing parties every night, with the harpers to furnish the music, make delightful occasions for those who have been engaged in the cares of business during these hot days to take a ride to the seashore and indulge in the pleasures of waltz, polka and quadrille.

**Unmailables.**  
 The following is a list of the unmailable postal matter remaining in the Postoffice in this city:  
 Edward Lucas, Manow, N. C.; Eliza Martin, No. 25 Vernon street; Annie Wright, 14 Concord street; W. H. Simmons, care Annie Wright, 14 Concord street.

**Improvements.**  
 The dry goods store occupied by Mr. Julius Hahn is soon to have some extensive alterations and improvements made to both its interior and exterior. Among its exterior improvements the present windows are to be taken out and large plate glass windows substituted, besides other important changes which have not yet been definitely decided upon.

**Taking Pictures.**  
 A couple of artists have been busy during the day in taking photographic views of the places of business on Market and Water streets. They are from Philadelphia, and we understand that the work is being done for Mr. C. M. VanOsdell, of this city, and will embrace nearly all the prominent buildings, places of business, street views and features of interest in the city. It is expected that before they finish their labors they will take many portraits of individuals, but it is hoped that portraits of character may not be represented.

**The Way it Should Be.**  
 The assessors of Harnett township are doing their duties for the present year with the idea that they could increase the amount of taxable property within their jurisdiction, and could accomplish the purpose, by a system of equalization, taxing property which had hitherto been untaxed and by properly assessing the improvements which had been made in the townships within the last four years, without oppression or injustice to any one. That they have been entirely successful is shown by the fact that the valuation of taxable property in the township is larger by \$27,500 this year than it ever has been heretofore. This has been done in such a way that no individual taxpayer is a sufferer in consequence; but on the contrary, with this increase in the amount of taxable property, there must necessarily be a corresponding decrease in the rate of taxation.

**The Storm.**  
 The storm which broke over this city about 3 o'clock this afternoon was phenomenal in its manner of approach and culmination. The first clouds rose in the Northwest and rapidly approached the city, driven by a brisk breeze, blowing from that direction. Soon after heavy clouds arose in the Southeast and approached the city with equal rapidity. Although the wind veered a little to the eastward of North, the two clouds continued to approach each other rapidly until they met directly over the city, the signal of meeting being a vivid flash of lightning, followed almost instantaneously by a sharp peal of thunder. In a few moments the atmosphere became dense and dark and the rain began to pour down in torrents. There was no wind of any consequence, save in the early approach of the storm, when it blew in sharp gusts for a few moments, during one of which the awning in front of Messrs Northrop & Hodges' insurance rooms was blown down. The principal rainfall was over 15 minutes, and the storm, which was one of the most threatening in its approach that we have seen in many days, passed off without damage to man, beast or property.  
 This has been one of the days on which the collector of local news items can grit his teeth and gnaw his pencil in despair. It has been an exceedingly difficult matter to find anything worth talking about to-day.

**Great Closing Out Sale.**  
 Goods will be slaughtered within the next 60 days in order to make room for one of the largest and finest Stocks of Fall and Winter clothing and gents furnishing goods ever brought to Wilmington. A. & I. SHERR, Reliable Clothiers, 114 Market St.

**Quarterly Meetings.**  
 Wilmington District of the Methodist E. Church, South.  
 THIRD ROUND.  
 Smithville.....July 14-15  
 Brunswick at Bethel.....July 21-22  
 Newton Grove Mission.....July 28-29  
 Cokesbury at Bethany.....Aug 4-5  
 Bladen.....Aug 11-13  
 Clinton at Goshen.....Aug 18-19  
 Elizabeth.....Aug 25-26  
 Whiteville.....Aug 25-26  
 Point Caswell at Pt Caswell Aug 28-29  
 Waccamaw Mission.....Sept 1-2  
 Fair Bluff.....Sept 8-9  
 R. O. BURTON, P. E.

Success serves men as a pedestal; it makes them look larger if reflection doth not measure them.  
**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**Wilmington Library Association.**  
 THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WILMINGTON LIBRARY ASSOCIATION will be held to-night, at Library Hall, at 8 1/2 o'clock. All members are earnestly requested to be present, as business of importance will be considered, including election of officers and a Board of Directors. By order of Vice President  
 R. J. JONES.

**PIANOS & ORGANS.**  
 SOLD FOR CASH OR ON THE POPULAR MONTHLY INSTALLMENT PLAN.  
 Just received a large assortment. Call and see them at  
 HEINSBERGER'S.

**BACKGAMMON BOARDS, DOMINOES,**  
 Chessmen, Playing Cards,  
 Field Croquet, with four, six and eight balls to a set;  
 Mexican Grass Hammocks.

For sale at  
**HEINSBERGER'S,**  
 Live Book and Music Stores,  
 July 13

**Examine Your Trunks**  
 AND IF THEY NEED REPAIRING send them to the First-Class Saddlery and Carriage Manufacturing of McDougall & Bowden, where they will be repaired by the only Trunk maker in North Carolina. - 114 North Front st. July 9

**City and Country Merchants**  
 I AM SELLING—  
 Prime New York Butter,  
 Kirkman's Celebrated Soap,  
 Virginia Water Ground Meal,  
 North Carolina Family Flour, and  
 N. C. Fater Family Flour.  
 At bottom prices. Car load or small orders solicited.  
 E. G. BLAIR,  
 Commission Merchant,  
 19 South Second Street  
 July 11

**Moonlight Excursion!**  
 TO FEDERAL POINT, TUESDAY, 17th inst., on Steamer PASSPORT. Music, Dancing and Refreshments. Fare 50c. The boat will stop at the Rocks one hour to allow persons to indulge in Surf Bathing, Turtle Hunting, etc. By special arrangement fish supper can be had at Federal Point by those who desire it.  
 J. N. W. HARPER,  
 GEO. N. HARRISS,  
 Managers  
 July 10

**C. W. Yates,**  
**BOOKS AND STATIONERY.**  
 FRESH STOCK,  
 GOOD ASSORTMENT,  
 REASONABLE PRICES,  
 POLITE AND PROMPT ATTENTION.

July 9  
**IMPROVING CAPE FEAR RIVER BELOW WILMINGTON, N. C. PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS.**  
 PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE following named materials for the improvement of the Cape Fear River, N. C., will be received until noon of August 2, 1883, at the U. S. Engineer Office, Wilmington, N. C., and opened immediately thereafter:  
 About 5,000 pounds of 15th Battline; 6,000 pounds Spun Yarn; 4,000 cords Brush; 700 cords of Cane, and 20,000 tons of Stone.  
 Blank forms, specifications, and information can be had on application to this office or to the resident engineer, Mr. Henry Bacon at Wilmington, N. C.  
 WM. F. CRAIGHILL,  
 July 9 st Lt.-Col. of Engineers, U. S. A.

**NEW STORE.**  
 FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF MY CUSTOMERS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY,  
 I have opened a  
**Fancy Grocery Store!**  
 IN THE  
**NEW MARKET HOUSE,**  
 CORNER MUTER'S ALLEY.  
 I SHALL HAVE ON HAND AT ALL TIMES  
**The Choicest Groceries.**  
 such as I keep at my Store on North Front Street.  
 Buy your GROCERIES from me and it will afford me pleasure to deliver at your homes such articles as you may purchase in the Market.  
**SAVE TIME AND TROUBLE** by making all your selections in the NEW MARKET HOUSE.  
**John L. Boatwright,**  
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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS**  
**JUST OPENED!**  
 —AT—  
**M. M. KATZ',**

116 Market Street.  
 A LARGE ASSORTMENT  
 —OF—  
**DRESS GOODS.**  
 A full assortment of best quality  
**SEERSUCKERS,**  
 from 10c per yard, up.

**Good Lace Bunting, 15 cts**  
**All-Wool Nuns's Veiling, 25c**

**WHITE GOODS**  
 Plique, Marseilles, Terry, Battiste,  
 Mulls, Checked Nainsooks,  
 Persian and Indian Linens and Lawns,  
 Tucking, Irish Point Lace,  
 Hamburg Net, Spanish Lace and Scarfs,  
 Bathing Flannels and Towels,  
 Bleached Shirtings and Sheetings,  
 Marseilles and Honeycomb Spreads,  
 Extra Long Thread Gloves,  
 worth 60c, for 25c

Gause Merino Underwear,  
 And ever so many articles too  
 numerous to mention.

BELOW REGULAR VALUE, and our patrons WILL GET THE BENEFIT OF IT.  
 Call and get some of the Bargains of  
**M. M. KATZ',**  
**116 Market St.**  
 July 2

**Wilmington, Clinton & Warsaw Telegraph Co.**  
**BIDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A** Telegraph Line from Clinton to Warsaw (distance 13 1/2 miles) will be received at the office of the Company at Clinton, N. C., up to 12 o'clock, July 20th. For further particulars, specifications, &c., address  
 WM. A. JOHNSON, Pres't,  
 Clinton, N. C.

**Gum Camphor,**  
**MELLIN'S FOOD,**  
 Combs, Brushes, Extracts,  
 Soaps, Puff Boxes, &c., &c.  
 WILLIAM H. GREEN, Druggist,  
 117 Market Street  
 July 5

**Fly Traps.**  
 THE BEST AND CHEAPEST IN THIS market. Our  
 GRAIN CRADLES cannot be surpassed in price or quality. A large and well selected stock of Hardware at  
 W. E. SPYNGER & CO'S.,  
 Successors to John Dawson & Co.,  
 Market Street  
 July 9

**Our Glass Fly Traps!**  
**Something New!**  
 THE CLEANEST FLY TRAP ON THE market.  
**Giles & Murchison,**  
 July 9  
 North Front St

**Solid Comfort.**  
 THERE IS SOLID COMFORT IN THE use of Kerosene Stoves. A customer who is using one, says: "With this we are independent when left without a servant." They are Gems and great "Economists." Different sizes and prices. Try one.  
 Pure White Oil.  
 PARKER & TAYLOR,  
 July 9

**New Hats,**  
 CONSISTING OF COLORED CHIPS.  
 Fine Colored Milans, "Sea-shells", white and colored, also the popular Shade Hat, Bankin or "Japanese" and a variety of other styles, just received and for sale by  
**MRS. KATE C. WINES,**  
 No. 119 North Second Street.  
 July 9

**ICE.**  
 JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT  
 July 9



W. E. DAVIS & SON  
 may 8

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**THE SEASHORE!**

**HOTEL BRUNSWICK!**  
 SMITHVILLE, N. C.  
**SEASIDE HOTEL!**  
 WRIGHTSVILLE, N. C.  
**B. L. PERRY, Proprietor.**

THESE TWO SUMMER RESORTS WILL be open MONDAY, MAY 28.  
 The Hotel Brunswick, at Smithville, is 23 miles below Wilmington, and accessible by two first-class steamers, making two trips daily.  
 The Seaside Hotel is situated in a large grove on Wrightsville Sound; is composed of cottages for families, and within 7 miles of Wilmington, at the head of a fine Shell Road, the best in the Southern country.

BOTH HOTELS IN FULL VIEW OF THE OCEAN.  
 Good surf and still water bathing. Every variety of Fish, and abundance of Oysters, Clams and Crabs. Spacious Ball Rooms, with fine Bands of Music. Tennis Alleys, Billiards and Bar.  
 Terms moderate.  
 may 25

**GUNS AND CUTLERY**  
 A FINE ASSORTMENT OF  
**Muzzle and Breech-Loader**  
**Guns,**  
**Revolvers and Ammunition**  
 SILVER PLATED  
**SPOONS & FORKS,**  
 A VERY LARGE VARIETY OF  
**Pocket Knives,**  
**Table Cutlery.**

Popular prices to suit all at  
**N. JACOB'S,**  
 HARDWARE DEPOT,  
 dec 22-tf  
 No. 10 South Front St

**First National Bank of Wil-**  
**mington:**  
 CAPITAL STOCK.....\$250,000  
 SURPLUS FUND.....60,000

Deposits received and collections made on all accessible points in the United States.  
**DIRECTORS:**  
 E. E. BURRUSS, D. G. WORTH!  
 A. MARTIN, JAS. SPRUNT,  
 B. F. HALL.

**OFFICERS:**  
 E. E. BURRUSS..... President.  
 A. K. WALKER..... Cashier  
 W. LARKINS..... Asst Cashier  
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**Millinery & Fancy Goods.**  
**LADIES AND CHILDREN'S HATS,**  
 BONNETS, LACE TIES and  
 BOWS AND RIBBONS,  
 in all the latest styles.  
 Orders from the country promptly filled and satisfaction guaranteed.  
 My patrons will find it to their interest to call and examine.  
**MRS. S. J. BAKER,**  
 June 9  
 122 MARKET STREET.

**- Summer Boarding.**  
 TWO OR THREE FAMILIES CAN FIND comfortable board in a private family at Pittsboro, N. C. Large, airy rooms; good water; plenty of fresh butter and milk, fruits, vegetables, &c. Large and shady playground for children. A daily mail to nearest railroad station, nine miles distant. Only one night's ride from Wilmington.  
 For further information apply at REVIEW OFFICE, or address  
 P. O. BOX 18,  
 Pittsboro, N. C.  
 may 8

**C. D. Morrill.**  
 UNDERTAKER, CABINET MAKER AND CARPENTER. Office and Work Shop on Second street, opposite Southern Railway Station. Respectfully solicits orders and guarantees good work, prompt delivery and satisfaction in every respect.  
 may 18-47