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The Daily Review has the largest circulation of any newspaper published in the city of Wilmington.

The Prince of Wales has grown so stout that she can hear only the loudest speaking.

Some of the steamers from New York sell round trip tickets to Liverpool for \$100, which is pretty cheap for the trip over and back.

The population of the German Empire last year was reduced 20,154 souls, instead of an expected increase of 750,000. This indicates how seriously emigration is telling upon the population of Germany.

The President's message was read in Congress yesterday. It is not a very lengthy document nor is it a very able or a very interesting one, but it has one genuine merit, the subjects it treats are presented in the fewest possible words and as clearly as the space which has been availed of will permit. The message opens with the usual congratulations on another year of peace and prosperity. Notice is taken of the near termination of the fishery treaty with Great Britain and the necessity which will exist of protection for that industry; of the pauper immigration to these shores and advising that a check be put upon it; states that measures are under consideration for a repeal of the restriction on our trade with Porto Rico and the necessity which exists for protecting ourselves against the discriminations made against us in Brazil; treats of the necessity for close relations with Mexico and the fostering of the most peaceful relations with that country and with the other States and powers of Central America; refers to the question of terminating or modifying the present treaty with Hawaii; to our relations with Persia, Siam, Korea and China and alludes to a philanthropic movement now being made on the Eastern coast of Africa which should receive the sanction and protection of this country.

The reports of the heads of the various departments are briefly alluded to. The total receipts, actual and estimated, for the present fiscal year are \$313,000,000; total expenditures, actual and estimated, \$258,000,000; estimated amount due the sinking fund, \$45,816,741.07; leaving a balance of \$39,183,258.93. If the revenues for the fiscal year which will end on June 30, 1885, be estimated upon the basis of existing laws, the Secretary is of the opinion that for that year the receipts will exceed by \$60,000,000 the ordinary expenditures, including the amount devoted to the sinking fund. The President recommends that a large portion of the surplus revenues be applied to constant defenses. In regard to the National Banks it is recommended that they be allowed to issue notes to the amount of 90 per cent of the market value of their deposited bonds. The militia question is again referred to and urged, and the recommendation of the Secretary of the Navy as to an inter-coast line of water ways is endorsed. The reconstruction of the navy is urged, as is also a civil service government for Alaska; the inter-State railroad question is touched upon, lightly and obscurely; the Congress is urged to pass a law by which the President can approve an appropriation bill in part as he may elect and, the paper winds up with a left-handed recommendation that another unconstitutional civil rights bill be passed by Congress.

THE MAILS.
The mails close and arrive at the City Post office as follows:
Northern through mails, fast.....7.00 P. M.
Northern through and way mails.....8.00 A. M.
Raleigh.....6.15 P. M. and 8.00 A. M.
Mails for the N. C. Railroad and routes supplied therefrom including A. & N. C. Railroad at
Close.....7.00 P. M.
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Raleigh.....6.15 P. M. and 8.00 P. M.
Mails for the N. C. Railroad and routes supplied therefrom including A. & N. C. Railroad at
Close.....6.15 P. M.
Mails for Cheraw and Darlington Railroads.....6.15 P. M. and 8.00 P. M.
Mails for points between Florence and Charleston.....6.15 A. M. and 8.00 P. M.
Fayetteville and on Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays.....1.00 P. M.
Fayetteville, via Lumberton, daily, except Sundays.....6.15 P. M.
Malow C. H. and intermediate offices, Tuesdays and Fridays.....6.00 A. M. (except Sundays).....8.30 A. M.
Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, Shalotte and Little River, Tuesdays and Fridays.....6.00 A. M. and 8.30 A. M.
Wrightsville, daily.....8.30 A. M.
OPEN FOR DELIVERY.
Northern through and way mails.....7.30 A. M.
Southern Mails.....7.30 A. M.
Carriers' Central Railroad.....9.00 A. M.
Mails collected from street boxes business portion of city at 6 A. M., 11.30 A. M., and 5.30 P. M., and from other parts of the city at 5 P. M.
Money Order and Register Department open from 8 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.
General delivery open from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. and on Sundays from 8.30 to 9.30 A. M.
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LOCAL NEWS.

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JULIUS SAMSON—Something Entirely New
Silver Plated Spoons and Forks, low prices, at JACOB'S.

The receipts of cotton at this port today foot up 1,071 bales.

The steamship *Regulator*, Capt. Tribon, from New York, arrived at her wharf in this city this forenoon.

Mr. Charles H. Holman, of the *Roxbury Advocate*, Boston, Mass., is in the city and registered at the Purcell House.

The Theodore Thomas Orchestra perform in Charleston, S. C., to night, and will arrive here at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

A drove of hogs, some thirty-five or forty in number, passed up Market street this morning. It is a very unusual sight here as hog meat generally comes in dressed.

Col. John L. Cantwell and Maj. Jas. Reilly will leave here to-morrow morning to attend the re-union of Mexican Veterans in session at Washington, D. C.

Mr. C. A. Davis, business manager of the Madison Square Theatre Rajah Company, which is to appear here on the 13th inst., is in the city and gave us the pleasure of a call to-day.

Mr. James P. Flemming, Vice-President of the Pittsburg & Western Pennsylvania Historical Society, is in the city and registered at the Purcell House. He gave us the pleasure of a visit this morning.

The people up in New England do not have all the fun, for we read that a driving snowstorm is prevailing along that bleak and rugged coast, while here the atmosphere is soft and balmy as need be.

Sam Larkins, a colored boy who seems bound to go to the bad, was before the Mayor this morning charged with disorderly conduct. A fine of \$5 was imposed, in default of which he was sent below for 20 days.

Superior Court.
This tribunal, His Honor Judge Phillips presiding, has been in session ever since Monday and the attention of the Court has been engaged during the intervening time in the hearing of the case of F. J. Swann vs. L. A. Hart and J. C. Bailey, which is not yet concluded. There are four cases in which F. J. Swann is plaintiff and their hearing will probably occupy the entire week, which will cause a good many of the other cases on the docket to be continued. Messrs. Marsden Bellamy, M. Q. Waddell, D. J. Devaux and Russell & Ricand appear for the plaintiff, and Hon. George Davis, Mr. Junius Davis and Messrs. McRae and Strange appear for the defendants.

Conference Appointments.
We are indebted to a friend who received a private telegram from Statesville for the following appointments made for the ensuing Conference year by the North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist E. Church South, at its session which has just closed.
Wilmington District, W. H. Bobbitt, D. D., Presiding Elder.
Wilmington, Front Street Church, E. A. Yates, D. D.
Wilmington, Fifth Street Church, W. J. Hull.
Fayetteville, F. H. Wood.
Washington, T. Page Ricand.
Plymouth, F. A. Bishop.

Who is It?
The *Newborn Journal* says: We learn that on Wednesday evening one of New Berne's most attractive daughters will be united in marriage to one of Wilmington's worthy business men. The ceremony will take place at Christ Church at 8 o'clock. No cards of invitation have been issued in New Berne, but we learn from good authority that all the friends of the family are expected to be present at the ceremony, and at the reception directly afterward.

Badly Bitten.
Mr. W. M. Poisson, who lives on Mulberry, between Sixth and Seventh streets, owned a bull dog which he considered very valuable. Yesterday a colored boy, who lived in the yard and was perfectly familiar with the animal, often feeding him, and towards whom the dog had been always friendly, started to go to the stable, when the brute, from some unaccountable cause, flew at him and bit him terribly before he could be taken off. Hearing the screams of the boy, who is about 15 years of age, those who were near by ran to his assistance and it was only after a severe struggle that they succeeded in rescuing him from the jaws of the infuriated beast. They beat the animal and threw water on him, and when finally they had released the boy, they had to put him over the fence to keep the dog from tearing him to pieces, as the latter was furious with rage and seemed determined to vent his spite upon his victim. The boy would undoubtedly have been killed in a few moments had not a sistance reached him. He was terribly lacerated on the arms and will be a sufferer for some time on account of his wounds. The dog was subsequently killed, but not until four charges of shot had been lodged in his body, which disabled him so that a man approached him and knocked him in the head.

"Lives of great men always remind us that we are all subject to die," says an exchange, but never couch yourself away as long as you can raise 25 cents for a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Report of Chief of Fire Department.
At the last meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department made the following report:
His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:
GENTLEMEN:—Since my last report, I am glad to state that there have been but few fire alarms and small damage to property. The alarms, when heard, have been quickly responded to by the department, and I again take occasion to say that the promptness and efficiency of the members are to be commended. I again respectfully call attention to the imperfect system of fire alarm. Primarily the present fire bell is entirely too small for the requirements of our city. It may have answered the purposes of the Town of Wilmington, 40 years ago, with its 6,000 or 8,000 inhabitants, but the City of Wilmington, of to-day, with its 20,000 souls, its manufacturing concerns, newspapers, stores and fine dwellings, and its treble on large and thickly grown boundaries, requires and demands a louder alarm, which can only be obtained by replacing the present bell with a much larger one. Either the present location or the present manner of ringing the alarm, is not only a source of annoyance to our ever-willing firemen, but one of general complaint among our citizens. In regard to the matter of employing the steam tug *Wm. Nyce* as auxiliary to the fire department, I desire to say that I have conversed with and explained the matter to merchants, deeply interested, who are impressed with the service such a boat could render in the event of a conflagration on the river front. A statement recently appeared in the *State Chronicle*, that 27 vessels have been known to be at the Wilmington Compress Co's wharf at one time. Should a fire occur in that vicinity, what could our engines, hose reels and hook and ladder companies do? Our wharves are piled with cotton and naval stores, and there are whole blocks where a steam fire engine would find it difficult to get water from the river. The cost of 150 feet of hose, to be used only for fire department service, and the cost of holding this or any other steamboat, would not be heavy. I press this matter again because of your action at the November meeting. Nothing has been done, and you may wait a day or a week and then regret not having acted in what seems to me a very important matter, and for which I may be held responsible.
Respectfully,
CHAS. D. MYERS.

The Planets in December.
The astronomical editress of the *Providence Journal* has contributed her usual summary of the movements of planets during December. She gives Venus the place of honor as evening star, setting on the 1st about half past five o'clock in the evening, and at the end of the month an hour later, with greatly increased size and brilliancy. Those who can command a view of the

eastern and western horizons will see at the end of the month Venus setting and Jupiter rising at nearly the same time. Saturn is also an evening star, and can be seen throughout the night, and until nearly daybreak. Neptune and Mercury are also evening stars. The December moon full on the 13th, and on the 1st was in conjunction with Venus about half past four o'clock in the morning. On the 11th the moon pays her respects to Neptune. On the 12th she makes a close conjunction with Saturn, being about one degree South. In some places in southern declination, Saturn is occulted by the moon for the ninth and last time during the year. On the 10th the moon is at her nearest point to Jupiter, on the 18th to Mars, on the 21st to Uranus, and on the 31st to Mercury. On the 31st the moon has made the circuit of the planets, and swings around for the second time to the near neighborhood of Venus. The conjunction takes place not far from half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, when Venus is 6 deg. 51 min. south. Planet and crescent will, however, make a lovely picture on the evening sky. As the moon sets two hours and a half, and Venus two hours after the sun, the exhibition may be seen by all observers, unless the envious clouds obscure the beautiful scene.

"Mr. Speaker!"
For strained vocal muscles, the great pain-reliever, St. Jacobs Oil, is the acknowledged cure. Hon. Milton G. Urner, Hon. Hart B. Holton, Representative from Maryland, endorse and recommend it.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Apples! Apples! Apples!
RECEIVED THIS A. M.
56 CRATES FINE
WESTERN N. C. APPLES,
Barreled to order.
R. McDougall,
No. 14 Chestnut St., bet. Front and Water
dec 5 Wilmington, N. C.

Something Entirely New in this Market!
Venetian Crapes!
—
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—
All Wool and Silk and Wool!
—
FULL LINE HENRIETTA CLOTHS FROM \$1 to \$1.75 per yard.
—
FINEST LINE
HOLIDAY GOODS
IN THE CITY.
—
Just received another lot
Silk Circulars and Dolmans,
Which we offer at a bargain.

JULIUS SAMSON,
No. 111 Market St.
dec 5
Almanacs for 1884.
TURNER'S
NORTH CAROLINA ALMANACS
FOR THE YEAR 1884.
BLUM'S FARMER'S AND PLANTER'S ALMANACS FOR 1884.
For sale, Wholesale and Retail, at

HEINSBERGER'S,
dec 5 Live Book and Music Stores
Christmas Groceries.
50 BOXES RAISINS, best quality London Layers, very superior.
15 BOXES CITRON,
1 TIERCE CURRANTS
COMPLETE STOCK OF ORANGES, LEMONS, FIRE CRACKERS, CRANBERRIES, CELERY,
And all the Delicacies of the season.
50 PACKAGES OF MINCE MEAT, Nice, fresh APPLE BUTTER, just received, which I am retailing at 9c per pound.
All goods guaranteed best quality, and will be sold at LOWEST PRICES.
James C. Stevenson.
dec 4

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
Music Lessons.
MRS. A. M. WADDELL WILL INSTRUCT in music, vocal and instrumental, at her real dennoe 216 South Third Street.
dec 4-5t Star copy

I Am Ready for Work.
GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING AND HATS dyed, cleaned and pressed, also, Ladies Hats dyed in any color and pressed in the latest styles.
P. BEEMER
nov 27-1m No. 15 North Second St

"Dyed."
AT MONACH'S, 16 1/2 SECOND STREET, bet. Second Market and Princess, Ladies and Gentlemen's goods of every description, any color. Also, cleaning, scouring and bleaching. Send me a pair of your old kid gloves.
nov 26-1t

New Goods.
NEW GOODS IN THE LATEST STYLES expected next week. I hope the Ladies will come in and see them.
MRS. KATE C. WINES,
No. 119, North Second Street.
next South of Postoffice
nov 19

John C. Davis,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT-LAW,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Office over the Bank of New Hanover. Practices in all the Courts of the State. Special attention paid to the collection of claims.
nov 24-1m

The Man
TO SHIP YOUR COUNTRY PRODUCE to
A. W. RIVENBARK,
114 North Water St.,
Wilmington, N. C.
The Live Grocer and Country Produce Dealer. Refers to Bank of New Hanover.
nov 19

Consider Well.
WHEN A MAN WHO WORKS FOR A living and knows the value of money, the question of dollars arises when he thinks of buying his clothing, it is for him to consider where he can do the best for the least money. It is for this reason
A. & I. SHRIER
invite the closest buyer to come and examine for himself and he will find that their goods are

Unquestionably First-Class
and that their prices are at least 25 per cent cheaper than their rival houses.
A. & I. SHRIER,
dec 3 Reliable Clothiers, 114 Market St.

Without Doubt
AT J. H. HARDIN'S DRUG AND SEED Store, 124 South Front St., New Market Building, you can see the most magnificent and attractive display of Christmas, Wedding and Holiday Presents ever brought to this city. They are too numerous to mention here. All I ask is an inspection of goods and even if you are not in need I am satisfied you will buy. It is a pleasure for me to show these goods.
J. H. HARDIN,
dec 3 124 South Front St., New Market

Amusement.
A KNOWLEDGE OF HOW TO USE FIRE ARMS may be a
GREAT BENEFIT
to you some time.
Come to C. G. CROWELL'S Shooting Gallery and learn how to shoot.
Practice makes perfect! First class Rifles and Targets.
Only 10c for 6 Shots, 5c for 3.
The proprietor will be pleased to give instructions to all who wish to learn without extra charge. No betting allowed. It is for practice and amusement only. No. 103 Market St., next to corner of Front St., Wilmington, N. C.
C. G. CROWELL,
nov 21-1t Proprietor

New Buckwheat!
New Buckwheat
NEW BUCKWHEAT AND WHITE SYRUP to ship, received by New York Steamer to-day
Also, Cakes and Crackers of every variety, fresh and crisp, and a general stock of Fresh Groceries usually found in a first-class Grocery at Crapon's Family Grocery.
oct 29 GEO. M. CRAPON, Agent, South Front St.

E. G. BLAIR,
PRODUCE BROKER AND COMMISSION Merchant, No. 10, N. Second St., Wilmington, N. C. Solicits consignments of all kinds of Country Produce. Country orders filled at the lowest market prices for Flour, Meal, Grain and Groceries. A trial is collected and satisfaction guaranteed.
dec 3

The Excursion and Pic Nic
GRASS IS OVER AND THE THEATRE CAL AND BALL Season has opened again and JOHN WERNER, the practical German Barber and Perfumer, is personally in attendance at his Hair Dressing Saloon, 23 Market Street, between Water and Front, Wilmington, N. C.
oct 16

PLEASE NOTICE.
We will be glad to receive communication from our friends on any and all subjects 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 columns.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
OPERA HOUSE.
ONE NIGHT ONLY.
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6.
Engagement of the World-renowned Musical Conductor
THEODORE THOMAS,
and his unrivalled Orchestra of
60 Solo Artists. 60
Parquette, Dress Circle and Balcony, Reserved \$2. General admission \$1 and 50c. Gallery 50c. Reserved Seat Sheet now open at DYER'S.
dec 4-5t

FRESH ARRIVALS!
AT MORE'S CELEBRATED MINCEMEATS in Barrels, Half Barrels and Pails; and
PLUM PUDDING
in all sizes.
These are the very best goods of their kind, and no family should be without them.
—
ORANGE MARMALADE,
a most delightful sweetmeat for the tea table.

To arrive on Tuesday next, a fresh supply of
Ginger Taffy,
Ben's Boston Crackers,
Genecove Wafers,
Coffee Cakes, something new and nice.
Orange Bar.
Almond Macaroons,
Cocoanut Macaroons, and
The Genuine Albert Biscuit,
In one and two pound Tins.
For sale low.

John L. Boatwright,
nov 12-1t
AUCTION SALE.
BY AND UNDER DIRECTION OF
J. I. MACKS, Assignee.
The undersigned will expose
FOR SALE FOR CASH!
The well assorted stock of
Boots and Shoes
together with the
Furniture and Fixtures!
Contained in the store
No. 113 Market Street,
Commencing on
Tuesday, Dec. 11th, 1883,
and to continue until the entire stock is sold.
S. VANAMRINGE, Anctr.
nov 30-1t

Munds Bros. & DeRosset,
DEALERS IN DRUGS & FANCY GOODS,
Market and Second Streets.
RECENT ARRIVALS ENABLE US TO
offer a most beautiful line of Fancy Goods. Our Goods are all bought in New York by our Agent, gotten from Importers and Manufacturers and are unlike any elsewhere offered in this city. A decided inducement to persons wishing to make gifts.
Our Line, though a very elegant one, is not immense, and we would be pleased to have our customers make selections now, to be delivered when wanted.
Articles suitable for children, ranging from 25 cents to \$5, are very pleasing.
nov 28

Important Arrival
AT OLD NORTH STATE SALOON, No. 6 South Front St., Bbl of V. A. MOUNTAIN WHISKEY, (double Stamp) four years old. Try it. Good Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c. OYSTERS on Ice.
nov 25

DON'T FORGET
TO CALL AT THE 5 AND 10 CENTS Store. The articles are good and can be bought for less than one-half of what you pay elsewhere. It is a specialty. Full and complete stock of Toys and Christmas Goods at the only
5 and 10 Cents Store.
Second St., between Market and Dock St.,
dec 4-1t Mrs. Warren's old stand.

Cigars! Cigars!
NEW BRANDS OF UNEXCELLED Stock, A luxury within reach of all.
Toilet Soap, a new and elegant line. Tooth Brushes, cheapest and best, at
WILLIAM H. GREEN'S,
117 Market Street.
nov 10

Oysters--Oysters!
SEND YOUR ORDERS TO
W. E. DAVIS & SON.
Proprietors of the only regular establishment in this section.