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THE CIRCULATION OF THE MORN-ING STAR IS LARGER THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPER PUB-LISHED IN NORTH CAROLINA.

THE CADETS AND LARGE'S BAND. -Our streets were enlivened yesterday by a parade of the Cadets of the Cape Fear Academy, headed by the splendid band belonging to LaRue's Minstrels, under the direction of Mr. O. K. Axtell. The Cadets, as usual, made a very handsome display, and the evidences of proficiency in the manual of arms, as exhibited on Market-street, together with the accuracy and precision with which they executed the various manævres required of them, was alike creditable to themselves and to the institution to which they are attached. They are a noble set of boys, and Gen. Colston may well be proud of his proteges. The music-which, by the way, was very kindly furnished gratuitously by the Min strels-was exceedingly entertaining, and had a decidedly inspiriting effect upon both citizens and visitors.

Holding Office.—Our citizens have for five years been sc subjected to oaths and policical disabilities that many of them don't know now what is required to fill and office. All that is required is to take the following oath:

I,---,do solemnlo swear that I have never taken an oath as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof. So help me God.

A LIVE SEAL.—Considerable excitement was created on the streets yester day by a live seal which some itinerant patent medicine vender was exhibiting to the curious. He lectured to the crowd in front of the Purcell House and at the corner of Front and Market streets and, of course, performed some wonderful cures. which were signed, seal-ed and delivered "without money and without price." The seal was really a curiosity, as but few of our citizens had ever seen an animal of that description before.

THE EXCURSIONISTS.—We learn that a large portion of the excursionists who came to our city Wednesday on the Charlotte road will return to their homes this morning, while others will remain over until Saturday. Our streets presented a lively appearance yesterday, but quite a contrast will doubtless be observable to-morrow, when our visitors have

VALENTINE'S DAY.—The young folks are getting ready for St. Valentine's Day, which will make its advent next Monday. Heinsberger has a fine selection of Valentines on hand, and his stock of both sentimental and comic will doubtless rapidly disappear.

- Judge Cantwell not having returned from Raleigh, there was no session of the Special Court yesterday.

- The last "hop" of the season but one of the Dixie Pleasure Club came | printed and ruled in the best style at the off at the City Hall last evening.

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proves himself entitled to his significant

prefix in his impersonation of the oppo-

site sex. Talbott and Joe Mack, as end

men, seemed determined from beginning

to end that the audience should not be al-

lowed to rest their aching sides for a mo-

ment. It is positively cruel to make peo

ple laugh so much. Reeves, as a repre-

sentative of the "old time" negro was ful

ly up to the standard, while Hugh Ham-

all, as ballad singer, and Stevie Rogers, as

clog dancer, are hard to excel in their res-

Taken altogether, the performance of La

Rue's Minstrels fully sustain the high en-

comiums heaped upon them by the press

of various cities and towns in this State

and Virginis, and we advise all who have

a desire to "laugh and grow fat" to go

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.-The

regular monthly meeting of the Chamber

of Commerce was held at the Commercial

Exchange yesterday at noon, Dr. W. W.

Mr. Thos. Evans was elected a member

A communication from the Cape Fear

Agricultural Association, asking the use

of the Hall for the monthly meetings of

the Executive Committee of that Associa-

On motion of Col. DeRosset, the free

use of the Hall was unanimeusly tendered

the Association for the purpose indicated.

There being no further business, the

CHIPS FOR THE LADIES AND OTHERS.

-The Charlestonians were treated to

- The Taylor & Silvester Combination

- Water Valley, Miss., has an amateur

- A sagacious haberdasher in New

- In California, a few days since, there

- A Texas young woman cultivated

The coming woman is already at the

University of Michigan. Her name is

Stockwell, and on Thursday last she was

admitted to the Sophomore Class, having

successfully passed the prescribed ex-

Seventeen bridesmaids, four clergymen

and three bands of music managed to

marry a pair in England, not long since.

rode to the Park is engaged for five weeks

shead by New Yorkers anxious to get a

- Nearly all the under offices in the

- At a Woman's Rights Convention,

held in New York, the other day, the Rev.

Mr. Jones said "Christ came into the world

and died upon the cross to give woman the

ballot; and he thought the whole spirit of

Christianity favored the present move-

- His Honor, Judge Cant-

THE CTTY COURT .- In another

column will be found a certified copy of

the act, as amended and passed by the

General Assembly, establishing a Specia

Court in this city.

MUSICAL SOIREE.-There will be a

Musical Soiree at the School room of Miss

Kate Burr and Miss Hettie James, in the

rear of St. James' Church, this evening at

of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association

will hold a meeting at the Commercial

tion are preparing for another grand Con-

cert. This time the Cantata of "Esther"

- We notice that the Steamer

Cuba has been hauled out into the stream

again and now occupies her old position.

appointments of Bishop Atkinson for

--- Harness, Saddles, Trunks,

Blank Warantee Deeds

Valises, Bags, Satchels, Collars, Hames,

Chains, Saddlery hardware, &c. Prices

or slightly

STAR Publishing Heuse.

- We invite attention to the

Exchange this evening.

will be rendered.

- The Executive Committee

- The Philharmonic Associa-

well, has returned to the city, and will, we

presume, open his Court this morning.

lowa Legislature are sought after by wo-

- The carriage in which Prince Arthur

seven acres of cotton with her own hands

ast year, and sold the crop for \$500.

nerves and impedes digestion.

Anger inflames the blood, affects

was a couple married and the groom's

York has sent a box of Byron collars to

troupe opened in Charleston yesterday

Richard III, on Tuesday evening,

Swedish Opera Company

name was Long Primmer.

Mrs. H. B. Stowe.

and hear them. "Shoo Fly."

Harriss, President, in the Chair.

of the Arbitration Committee.

tion, was read.

Chamber adjourned.

pective roles.

LA Rue's MINSTRELS.—Another MASONIC HALL.-We learn that large and fashionable audience greeted the musical Soirce at Masonic Hall last the Minstrels at the Theatre last night, evening, by the young ladies of Mrs. Ranand evidenced their appreciation of the som's Seminary, passed off very pleasantmirth-provoking performance by a perfect ly; and that the entertainment was alike storm of oft-repeated and genuine apcreditable to instructress and pupils, plause. The "great Ricardo" certainly

- The street cars were doing a good business yesterday.

RIVER AND MARINE NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, February 9.

- From the Savannah Republican we glean the following facts regarding the disaster to the British brig Helen, bound from New York to Wilmington, in ballast: On Sunday noon last, when forty miles to southward of Frying Pan lightship, sighted the brig with her colors flying in distress; immediately bore for her and spoke her. Her Captain asked for assist ance to be towed into Savannah. We asked for and took his line and brought him up to the city, anchoring him at Wil-

Captain Rayne reports that he sailed from New York on the 24th January; that by sea log, on 4th February, commenced with fine weather; wind from southeast; at two P. M. shifted to northward; at seven P; M. made Cape Lookout light; at eight P. M. increasing wind; at half-past nine P. M. Cape Lookout light bore north by west, distance eighteen miles : I then hauled up west by south half south; at ten P. M. furled light sails; at tweive, midnight, close reefed; at two A. M. furled all sails; at four A. M. hove to under balance reef mainsail; wind then northeast by south ; the wind continuing in the same quarter and increasing until noon, with a heavy sea running; sounded and had seventeen fathoms water; on Saturday, February 5, commenced with a heavy gale from northeast by north; at two P. M. tweive fathoms water; at halfpast three P. M. shoaling water fast; at a quarter to four saw breakers to leeward : got anchors ready to let go; considered it necessary to cut away our spars, drop our anchors, both being done for the safety of vessel, lives on board, and all whom it may concern; at half-past four P. M. parted both chains, vessel then swinging off head to southwestward being completely unmanageable without spars, anchors or wheel gear; at five P. M. perceived vessel in smoother water; at ten minuts past five P. M., saw Cape Fear Lightship southeast by east half east, distance one and a half mile; at eight P. M., wind started northward; throughout the night a strong gale and heavy sea, latter part moderate and overcast, vessel tight, with 30 fathoms of chain out for a drag, laying on the port tack with the ensign hoisted in distress, no vessel in sight; on Sunday, February 6, commenced with strong breeze and rough water; at four P. M., more moderate; at six P. M., rigged up a spar aft as jurymast; at eight P. M., moderate, vessel laboring heavy while lying in the trough of the sea-middle part, the same; latter part, overcast and moderate-light air from the north north east. On Monday, February 7th, overcast with fresh breeze from north east; at two P. M., steamship Oriental, of Boston, took tow to us,—the brigantine Helen—and steered

breeze and overcast, ends same; at twelve, noon, came to anchor off the city of Savan-The Helou is 141 tons, British register owned by Warren S. Doane and others, of Barrington, N. S. Is about six years old, having been re-built; was bound to Wilmington, to load for Rio Grande; is partially msured. A survey will determine

west south west. Throughout night fresh

what will be done to the brig. The schr. John Limeburner laid by for several hours, her flag at half-mast, to atract attention-the flag on the short jurymast on the brig being too low to be seen at any distance.

LATEST BY MAIL.

North Carolina in a Nutshell.

-A bill has been introduced in the Legislature to incorporate the Bank of

-An agent is in Newbern engaged in the sale of photographs of the great philanthropist, George Peabody, deceased.

-The Asheville Cityzin says two of Brigham Young's Apostles are on a visit to that county, and wants them disposed of as follows: In our humble judgment, every preacher

ot polygumy, who dares to enter even respectable private house, ought to be taken by the coat collar, and held up in front of a progressive, sharp toed boot. -The Newburn Times says: Mr. George Long, for several years a resident

of this county, went North for his health week or two ago, and died the day after reaching Boston. His disease was consumption.

-The Presbyterian says it was in error in stating that Revels, the colored Mississippi Senator, is a native of Fayetteville. The Revels reterred to is, or was, a member of the Louisiana Legislature.

-The murderers of Blalock, who was brutally assassinated at Hillsboro' on Christmas night, have been sentenced to be hanged on Friday, the 1st of April.

-Mr. George M. Whiting, one of the most promising young men of Ral-

eigh, is dead.

Greensboro Female College. Success in this great enterprise is almost secured. A few more hundreds, and the hammer and the trowel will blend their ring and clatter with the songs of the birds in the Spring. If we do not finish the subscription now, we will deserve to fail and to be covered with shame .-Greensboro' is hopeful and waiting for us. February and March should by all means suffice to complete the required ten thous-and. The brethren in the ministry are most earnestly invoked to send up names during their next two months' operations. Some parts of the Conference have been doing nothing. All desired information respecting the several plans, will be furnished on application to Dr. Reid, Thomto suit the times. J. S. Topham & Co., No. 8 South Front St., Wilmington, asville, or to myself at this place. We cannot afford to fail or to delay. We

must have the College.
A. W. MANGUM, Sec. Board of Trustees, Greensboro', N. C. February 1, 1870.

AN ACT

WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 11, 1870.

TO AMEND AN AUT ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SPECIAL COURTS IN THE CITIES OF WIL-MINGTON AND NEWBERN, RAT-IFIED AUGUST 11 TH, A. D., 1868.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact. SECTION 1. The Special Courts for the city of Wilmington, in addition to the

powers heretofore conferred, shall hereafter have exclusive original jurisdiction to hear, try and determine the misdemeanors hereinafter recited, committed within the corporate and chartered limits of the city of Wilmington, as the same are now or shall be bereatter defined by law, viz: 1st. All petty misdemeanors; 2nd. Also the violation of any ordinance or by-laws of said city, passed to prevent disorderly conduct, when the penalty or forfeiture incurred shall not exceed two hundred dollars; also the violation within the corporate limits aforesaid of any act of Assembly, or ordinance concerning inspectors and in spection, and all larcenies of personal property of not over twenty-five dollars in value, and these offenses are hereby de-

clared misdemeanors. SEC. 2. Upon the trial of any such petty misdemeanors in said Court, it shall appear in the complained, and in proof as follows, viz: 1st. That offense was committed or the penalty occurred within the charter or corporate limits of the city of Wilmington, and within six months; 2nd. Such complained may not be in any particular form, it must appear to be made without collision between the complainant and accused; 3rd. That it be made by the injured party himself or any other

person in writing and on oath. SEC. 3. The said Court shall have no urisdiction over civil contracts except as s herein allowed, nor of any other misdemeanor where the penalty shall exceed two | either in price or quality. hundred dollars or the punishment shall be imprisonment in the State penitentiary; nor shall there be any jury trials in said Court, except that on the demand of the defendant, the same proceedings shall be had and held as are prescribed in the fifth chapter of the Code of Civil Procedure for tries before Justices of the Peace, and the jurors shall be drawn by the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners for the corporate limits for the city of Wilmington, only the duty of the Judge of said Court shall be the same as is thereby

prescribed for Justices of the Peace. SEC. 4. Said Court shall continue to be held at the City Hall, in the City of Wilmington, every day (Sundays and holidays excepted) for at least two hours, when the business shall so require, and the Marshal of the city shall be executive officer of said Court; he shall attend the same in person, or by deputy, open and adjourn its sittings and execute all its processes and orders, and shall be entitled to receive the same fees as the Sheriff is allowed for similar services; the Clerk thereof shall be appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City; he shall issue the process of the Court, and keep the minutes, records and archives of the same. He shall give such bond as the Mayor and Aldermen shall direct and approve; such bond shall be made payable to the City of Wilmington, but any person endamaged may sue thereon.

SEC. 5. party convicted shall pay cost in all s, and if the party charged be acquitted, the complainant may be adjudged to pay the same, and be imprisoned for the nonpayment thereof, if the prosecution shall be deemed frivolous, and malicious. In all cases before said Court, the same fees and costs only shall be taxed, as are allowed by law for like services in the Justices Court, and all fines, forfeitures, and penalties recovered and adjudged shall and may be collected and enforced as City fines and penalties are now collected, and enforced by law, and are then to be paid into the City Treasury. The compensation of the Clerk and Marshal, shall be annually ascertained and established by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City. The Judge of said Court in addition to the annual salary of one thousand dollars, and in lieu of the compensation heretofore required for him from the County of New Hanover, shall be entitled in every case to the fees of Justice of Peace, and the same shall be assertained and paid him quarterly, beginning on the first Monday in January, 1870, out of the City Treasury, and the County allowance

SEC. 6. All persons tried in said Court shall have the right of appeal to the Superior Court, and the finding and sentence in every case in said City Court, when not appealed from, being duly certified under the seal of said Court, may be pleaded in bar to any indictment or prosecution thereafter for the same offence.

SEC. 7. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act shall be, and the same are hereby repealed, and this act shall be in force from and after its ratifi-Ratified the 5th day of February, A. D.

JO. W. HOLDEN, (Signed) Speaker of House. TOD. R. CALDWELL, President of Senate.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Office Secretary of State. I, Henry J. Menninger, Secretary of State, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original act on file in

> HENRY J. MENNINGER, Secretary of State.

An Inventive Convict Reward-

There is to be seen in the shop for the manufacture of agricultural implements in the State prison at Jackson, a very rare and ingenions piece of mechanism. It is a turning lathe which turns sticks of variable thickness and of any degree of crookedness short of a double bow knot. It is principally used in turning scythe snaths but it will do any other sort of twisted work equally as well. Besides doing the labor of a dozen hands it also does the work with greater accuracy than could possibly be done by hand; so that upon the whole it is really a very valuable piece of machinery. It is the invention of a con-vict named Hinton, and it should be ad-ded to the credit of the contractors, Messrs. Withington, Cooley & Co., that they not only paid for the inventor's time while making experiments with no certainty to success, but they also gave the inventor himself \$500 at the expiration of his term

In the blacksmithing department of the same shop there is now used a certain steel punch, the working of which is unsatis-

factory; and it is understood that a reward of \$500 will be paid to the family of the convict who shall make the needed improvement.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS Heinsberger's Live Book Store, 38 Market

street-Valentines, Pianos, Organs and Melo-

R H EILERS-Notice to the members of the Wilmington Steam Fire Engine Co. SEVERAL CADETS-Return their thanks to

Bishop Atkinson's Appoint-

LaRue's Minstrel Band.

ments. Sunday, Fayetteville. S. Marks, Deep Riv. Tuesday, Feb. 15. Pittsboro, Wednesday, Feb. 16. Raleigh, Sunday, Feb. 20. Smithfield, Johnston

Tuesday, Feb. 22. county, Goldsboro, Wed'y,p. m. " 23. Thurs, a. m. " 24. Collections will be made in behalf of Diocesan Missions at each of these places.

FOR MARCH. Beaufort. March 10. Newbern, 13. Kinston, 15 Richland, Duplin Co., 17.

IMPORTANT TO PUBLISHERS. The subscriber has just received another

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Whole No. 746

In Clinton, N. C., on the 20th of January, 1870, at the residence of Wm. T. Battley, by the Rev. Jonathan Stuart, Mr. Jonathan Hollingsworth to Miss Mary E. Battley, all of Fayetteville, N. C. Raleigh Standard please copy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To the Members

OFLA RUE'S MINSTREL BAND.—Sins:
We, the members of Cape Fcar Cadets,
return our sincere thanks to the Band connected with D. C. La Rue's Minstrels, under
the Leadership of O. K. Axtelle, for their com-

plimentary services yesterday.
Yours truly,
SEVERAL CADETS.
Wilmington, N. C., Feb. 11, 1870-11*

NOTICE.

THE MEMBERS OF THE WILMINGTON STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY No. , will assemble at the office of Messrs, James & Meares, Auctioneers, this (Friday) evening at 7% o'clock. t 7½ o'clock.
Business of importance.
R. H. EfLERS,

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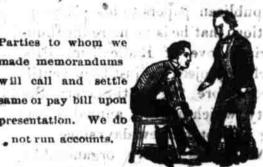
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