# MORNING STAR.

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#### WM. H. BERNARD Editor and Proprietor.

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

#### THE WORKINGMEN.

All over the world demagogues and plotters and malcontents and selfish aspirants, and architects of ruin and all man ner of theorists and Jacobins and revolutionists and Atheists and haters of law and order, are endeavoring to make use of the workingmen. They are resorting to the most cunning arts to entice them into that society of which the Paris Commune was the product-the International. They hope by the aid of the thews and sinews of the workingmen, their courage and their numbers, to be able to accomplish their cherished objects. In order to entice them into their fold they are endeavoring to persuade them that the elevation of the working classes, and the ennobling of industry in all its branches, are their leading aims. There is reason to believe that they have been very successful in imposing upen the credulity and winning the sympathy and support of great numbers of them. We have published all the authentic expositions of the true objects of the authors of this Societe Internationale which, have fallen under our observation, and they demonstrate that those objects are very different from the pretences set up. That association is not one for peace and labor and humanity; it is one of war and hatred. In the language of Jules Favre, "it has for its base atheism and communism, and for its object the destruction of capital and the annihilation or those who possess it by the brute forces of numbers." Its grand council, constituted in July, 1869, declared that " it seeks the abolition of worship, the substitution of science for faith, of human for divine justice, and the abolition of marriage." Well has it been said that "Europe is face to face with a work of destruction, systematically directed against each of the nations which compose it, and against the very principles upon which all civilization reposes." What the honest, virtuous working classes can have in common with such firebrands, atheists, outlaws, we cannot conceive. It is only in well organized, well cemented and stable countries, and only in tranquil times, that labor obtains regular employment. Without religion, without peace and without law and order, the working classes would be worse off than any other. The Societe Nationale into which they are invited proposes a crusade of endless duration. against religion and against all that is established. If tyranny in Europe has given some semblance of excuse for this society, none can be pleaded in this country where all have the right to vote, all can rise who have merit and all can earn a living by industry. American workingmen should set their faces against this monstrous order and against all who uphold it. It is the spawn of European radicalism, atheism and lawlessness.

THE SHOE TRADE. The protest of the New England shoe manufacturers against the tariff, to which we called attention in our last issue, has greatly disturbed the Protectionists and their organs. The blow came from an un-Dituary notices, tributes of respect, tc., are charged half advertising rates when paid for in advance of publication. In all other cases full advertising rates will be charged. . Republicans. Nor does this protest apply Republicans. Nor does this protest apply only to the shoe trade-it is a general declaration against protection, and in favor of free trade. It conveys evidence of the thoroughness of the conversion of this class of manufacturers. It is in fact, as described by one of our exchanges, " compendium of absolute free trade doc-

trine, and a complete recantation of opinions of which New England has always been the stronghold." It upsets the distinctive political theories of New England and reverses the policy it has cherished for years.

## Palmetto Leaves.

W. J. Magrath, of Charleston visits Europe in the interest of the South Carolina Railroad.

.. By the upsetting of a sloop near Charleston on Saturday last, the cap tain, a colored man by the name of Jeffrey Snipes, who was partially intoxicated at the time, was drowned.

. Sunday excursions, with dancing, &c., are indulged in at Charleston. On last Sunday the Engineer and Pilot of the boat got drunk and pistols and knives were flourished about much to the consternation of the passengers.

.. On Thursday, the 15th inst., says the Union Times, Alex. Sartor, colored, shot and killed Sam Bates, colored, in personal difficulty on the plantation of Mr. F. H. Bates, about four miles from town.

. The *Phænix* of Saturday says: Yesterday atternoon two soldiers and a colored man named Henry Davis had a difficulty on Main street, below the State House, during which one of the soldiers received a severe cut across the abdomen, inflicted by a knife in the hands of Davis. The wound is not considered dangerous.

Progress of the Ku Klux Investigation-Character of the Testimony. WASHINGTON, June 25.

## STAR BEAMS.

- St. Louis is going to spend \$3,000,000 on a railway station.

- Each steamer from San Francisco to Oregon takes 500 emigrants.

- There was a severe frost at Bethel Maine, and vicinity on Saturday morning last.

- Subscriptions are making in New York city for a monument to Gen. Robert E. Lee.

- Week before last the mortality bill of London, England, indicated fifty-eight deaths of a violent character.

- Brick sidewalks are seldom seen in New York, now-a-days. They only exist in front of a few old houses.

- An exchange, wanting to compliment "A Live Stock Journal," says it is edited by a man whose head is chuck full of live stock.

- Saturday, St. John's Day, was celebrated by the Masonic fraternity in Richmond, Va., by the installation of officers and festivity.

- A Chinese Young men's Christian Association has been organized in San Francisco. It starts with a membership of forty Celestials.

- An Iowa paper says : " The long train of covered wagons pouring in from the east and drifting westward is one hundred per cent. greater this year than in any previous year since we have been in Iowa.

#### Gullibility.

Some weeks since a gentleman o of Norfolk, Virginia, lost a valuable ring, which he prised very highly, and which he supposed to be stolen. After having exhausted every effort to find it, he consulted a fortune-teller, who told him that the ring had not been stolen, but had been dropped into the food of a fine calf. which he owned and been swallowed by the animal. Thinking the tale a plausible one, he ordered the calf to be killed, and its stomach searched, when lol there was no ring to be found. The family of the gentleman have since luxuriated in veal which, taking the price at which the calf (a highly-improved beed,) could have been sold for as a standard, must have been worth at least \$2 50 per pound.

## Mr. Stephens.

Hon. A. H. Stephens, in his paper, says that in the interview with the N.Y. Tri-

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE UNIVERSAL SAFEGUARD. It is useless for State Legislatures to pass laws for the preservation of the public health, if the great law of self-preservation, which depends for its enforcement upon the will of the individual, is suffered to remain a dead letter.

There is scarcely an adult member of the community, of either sex, in the country, who has not seen the testimony in favor of Hostester's Stomach Bitters, furnished over their own signatures by persons of acknowledged eminence in science, literature, art, commerce and every department of business and professional life. These witnesses have declared in the most explicit terms that the preparation is a safeguard against epidemics, a sovereign remedy for dyspepsia, a valuable antibilious medicine, a promoter of appetite, a genial and harmless stimulant, a good acclimating medicine, a strengthener of nerves, a general invigorant, a protection against the deleterious effects of malaria and impure water, and that it imparts a degree of vigor and activity to the vital forces which is not com-municated by any other of the tonics and stomachics in use. Under these circumstances the self-preservative law of nature should teach every rational person who, either by reason of inherent debility of in consequence of exposure to unwholesome inflaences, is in peril of losing the greatest of all temporal blessings, health, the importance of using the Bitters as a defensive medicine. Dyspepties who neglect to give it a trial are simply their own enemies. It is guaranteed to cure indigestion in all its forms, and the bilious and nervous will find nothing in the whole range of official and yroprietary medicines which will afford them the same relief. june\_25-cod1w Sun Wen Fri

City Taxes.

The CITY TAXES for the year 187

On Monday, 19th inst., I shall be prepared to eccive the taxes levied upon REALESTATE, and such other taxes as are made payable by Section 6 of City Tax Ordinance, for the ear 1871.

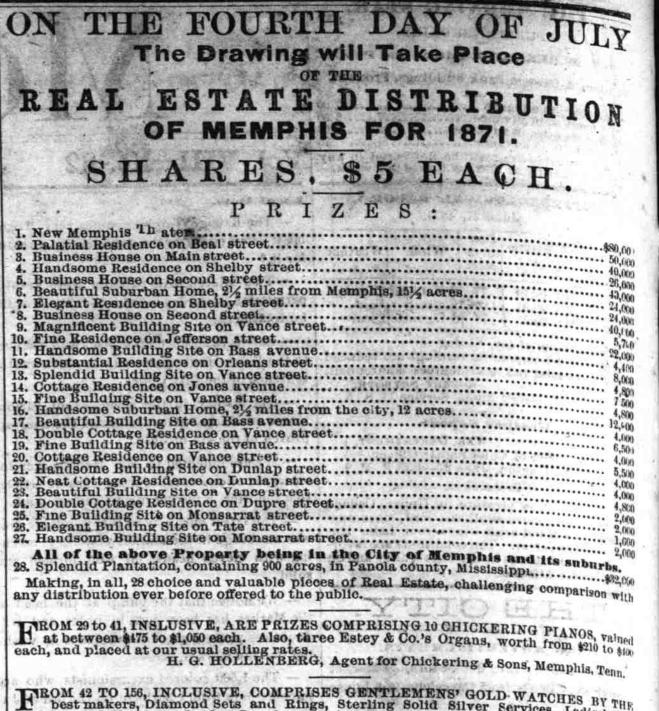
The city needs money, and I call upon all

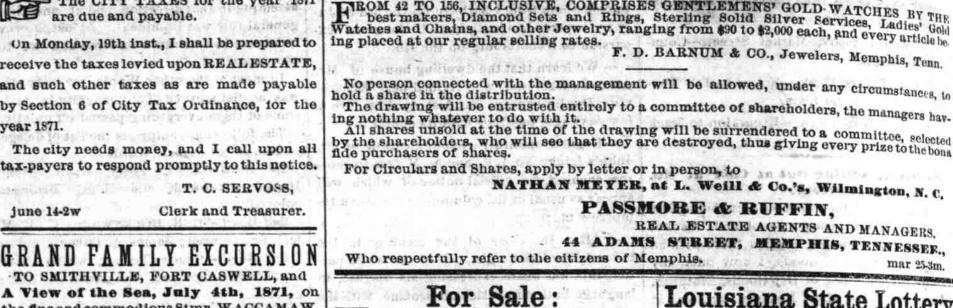
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T. C. SERVOSS,

Clerk and Treasurer.

GRAND FAMILY EXCURSION TO SMITHVILLE, FORT CASWELL, and A View of the Sea, July 4th, 1871, on the fine and commodious Stmr. WACCAMAW. The Committee in charge pledge themselves to spare no pains or expense in making this Excursion a pleasant one. No liquors will be allowed on board. Meals and refreshments may be had at reasonable







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PROVISIONS.

HEAVY CITY MESS PORE, DRY SALTED

### GRANT IN PENNSYLVANIA.

It was currently reported during its session, that the late Republican Convention in Pennsylvania desired to ignore the gift enterprise President. They did not care to assume responsibility for his shortcomings and political blunders, and, it was only under the circumstances stated below, that the milk and water resolutions expressive of confidence were allowed to pass the body. The Philadelphia Age, discussing this subject, says : "Important facts have transpired in relation to the resolution passed by the Radical Convention in this State, indorsing Grant. It appears that this resolution was twice offered in the committee, and twice rejected by an almost unanimous vote. It was next offered in open Convention, where the members did not like to vote against it, and allowed it to go through. The sense of the Convention was evidently against Gen. Grant."

says that "Gen. Grant spends his summers very plesantly at Long Branch," and adds: "We are glad to know that the people will next year make such arrangements as will enable him to spend his winters there also." The General ought to be relieved since labor seems to be very irksome to him. He can then retire on a competency and enjoy the company of jockeys and fast horses to his heart's content.

voluminous, and on the whole highly fa-Busteed showing that some of the witnesses who preceeded him had absolutely falsified the records of his court in order to make out some thirty instances of a violation of the civil rights bill, has produced a good effect by illustrating the character | and private surroundings. of some of the witnesses who get summoned merely to earn mileage and fees. Col. Aldrich, of Barnwell C. H., S. C., testified vesterday that affairs were peaceable. enough in his section and that the records of the court (administered by republican officials) showed that more negroes had been convicted and punished for crime since 1868, when the State was reconstructed, than white men, and that there was one case where a negro had been sent to

the penitentiary for ten years for an aggravated case of arson, but who had been pardoned by the Governor in less than two months after his imprisonment. To such a loose administration of law, and the general corruption and oppression of heavy machine thrown down. the people by the State authorities this witness and others attribute the troubles which have arisen in one or two counties in South Carolina. A witness was examined on Thursday, who occupied five hours in exposing the schemes of plunder by which the debt of the State had been increased millions upon millions in three years, without any result in the way of public improvement to show for it. This evidence was not mere assertion, but sustained by facts and figures.-Special to Baltimore Sun. Monthly of Language

In the latter part of the year 1868 an old gentleman of Giles county, Va., died, leaving his real estate, valued at \$3,000, to one of his sons, and nothing to his seven other children. Daniel Huffman, one of his sons-in-law, was made the executor. On the 16th of November, about fitteen days after old Mr. Webb's death, William left his house, saying that he was to meet two men in the glades-a piece of wild woodland about a mile away. He was unprepared for a long journey, yet he was never afterwards seen in the neighborhood, nor heard from in any place. On the evening of the same day Huffman and his wife went to Webb's house, and took possession of it, saying that they had bought it from William. Soon the will was presented to court, and Huffman was qualified as executor. People became un-easy, and suspected foul play, and under direction of the coroner, a futile search was made for the remains of the missing man. In answer to the demand to tell where Mr. Webb was, and by what authority his property was held, Huffman said that he thought William had gone West, and that he, Huffman, held the property because he had bought it for \$800, partly in money and partly by note. In January, 1869, The Louisville Courier-Journal Huffman showed a committee of citizens a receipt for the money, signed by W. W. Webb, and also a title deed, his two sons being the subscribing witnesses. The mat-ter was then dropped for a short time, at the expiration of which Huffman and his sons were arrested and tried for murder, the prosecution failing, of course, to es-tablish its case, since the corpus delicti was not shown. Huffman was again held, this time for forgery, but released, and a nolle prosequi entered as to the two sons. This case has but just been decided, and this is the last of this mystery, which caused so much excitement, and which, undoubtedly, is one of the most profound and capable of becoming at some time one of the most romantic of all cases of unaccountable disappearance.

The evidence taken by the Ku Klux bune's correspondent he did not hint at committee the past week has been most such a possibility as that the South should use force to gain her rights. He believes vorable to the people of Alabama and the appeal should be to the ballot box. North Carolina. The testimony of Judge Mr. Stephens excoriates the correspondent aforesaid, who, it appears, disregarded the understanding which he had with Mr. Stephens in regard to what was said in the conversation between the two, and rebukes him also for describing his personal

> Thomas Green, a young Canadian, was killed in a Springfield (Mass.) shop on Monday. While passing through a room adjoining the one in which he was employed, he seized hold of a revolving shaft which was running at great speed about four feet from the floor, intending, no dcubt, to throw a somersault over it, as he had often done before. On this occasion, however, his apron caught the swiftly turning rod and he was whirled with lightning rapidity, beating him out of all human semblance. The floor beneath was broken through by the terrible force of the concussions, a partition broken out and a

### War Among the Cannibals.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25. Hostilities have broken out amongst the rival clans in the Fejee Islands, and cannibalism indulged in to an unlimited extent by the Leroni faction who recently professed Christianity. King Thakamaha is getting his forces ready to attack the revolting cannibals.

This is a "personal" taken from a country journal:

"A young lady takes this method of informing a certain young man that the next time he desires to gaze upon her, forty-five mortal minutes without winking his eyes she will consider herself highly favored if he will close his mouth, and not set there like a young robin awaiting the parent bird."

A man named John Cushing, of St. Louis, while asleep last Sunday night, dreamed that one of his children was on the verge of a precipice, over which it was about to tumble. He made a leap forward to save his child, as he supposed, and was unpleasantly awakened from his uneasy-slumber by striking on the sidewalk, bruising his elbow and breaking two of his ribs.

#### Brigham Young's Yacht.

A steam yacht, Lady of the Lake, has been built in New York for Brigham Young, and intended to ply on Salt Lake and the river Jordan. The yacht is thirty feet long, with ten feet beam, seven feet cabin depth, weighs seven tons, and draws eighteen inches of water. She has been sent West by railroad.

Lard, Pure and Extra. It is related that when Beecher was in the country last summer he lost his hat,

By Spotted Tree-Toad, a Pi-Ute brave, attempted to lasso the Pacific lightning express, and has gone to the happy hunting grounds,

EFT The St. Louis Board of Health buys ready-made coffins in large lots, so as to get them for a dollar and a half apiece.

The size of the strawberry beds in

## University of Virginia.

The names of the young men who suc-ceeded in passing their examinations, and will graduate in the class of engineering and applied mathematics, at the University of Virginia, were made public on Saturday last, and are : Messrs. C. M. Smith and G. M. Motley, of Richmond, Va.; C. E. Waite and G. W. Watts, of Maryland; Iowa may be imagined when we learn that J. A. Reagan and J. B. Weir, of Tennessee.

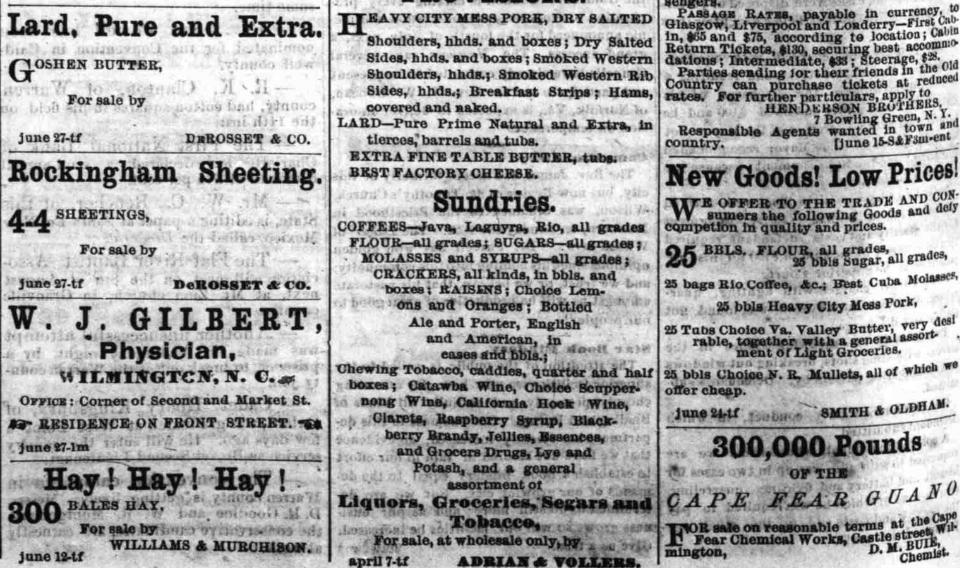
and found it, in about a week, in the barn where he had left it, but with four eggs in it. This is as it should be. Beecher had just written a culogy on the hen; why should'nt the Hen-re-ward Beecher ?"





The Taxpayers of Wilmington Town-RI ship are hereby notified that a Tax List will be opened, to list the Taxes for this Township, at the office of the County Commissioners, west side of the Court House, on Monday next, June 5th, and continue until July 1st; that they will be in attendance every day (Sundays excepted) from 9 o'clock A. M. until 3 o'clock P. M., and on Wednesdays, for the accommodation of the laboring class, trom So'clock P. M. until 10 o'clock P. M. The Board of Trustees hereby notify all

persons interested that they are listing Taxes for State and County, and POSITIVELY cannot extend the time specified above. By order of the Board. JOHN G. BULCKEN, June 18-tJ191



june 23-tf No. 6. Market St.

Country can purchase tickets at reduced rates. For further particulars, apply to HENDERSON BROTHERS. Responsible Agents wanted in town and country. [june 15-S&F3m-ent New Goods! Low Prices WE OFFER TO THE TRADE AND CON-sumers the following Goods and dely competion in quality and prices. 25 BBLS. FLOUR, all grades, 25 bbls Sugar, all grades, 25 bags Rio Coffee, &c.; Best Cuba Molasses 25 bbls Heavy City Mess Pork, 25 Tubs Choice Va. Valley Butter, very desi rable, together with a general assort-ment of Light Groceries. 25 bbls Choice N. R. Mullets, all of which we offer cheap. june 24-11 Ton Diros SMITH & OLDHAM. 300,000 Pounds antis ows mi for THE CAPE FEAR GUANO FOR sale on reasonable terms at the Cape mington, D. M. BUIS, Chemist.