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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD. Aug. 21, 1871.

Table with columns: Time, Barometer, Thermometer, Wind, Weather. Data for 7 A.M., 9 P.M., and Mean Temp. of day.

NOTE.—All barometric readings are reduced to the sea level, and to 32 degrees Fahrenheit.

Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT, Office of Chief Signal Officer, Washington, Aug. 21—4:35 P. M.

Probabilities. Easterly winds will probably continue in the Middle and Eastern States, and it is probable that a storm of some severity will continue at a considerable distance of the South Atlantic coast.

THE CITY.

Positively Selling Out at Cost at No. 44, Market Street. Having rented the store now occupied by Mr. John G. Bauman, corner Front and Market streets, and intending to open there with an entire new stock of Goods, I now offer my entire present stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Notions, &c., &c., at actual cost.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. HEINBERGER'S Live Book Store, 39 Market St.—New Books Just Out, The Angel in the Cloud, &c. DUDLEY & ELLIS, No. 41 Market Street—Ladies' Gaiters.

Statesville American comes to us in an entirely new dress, an indication of prosperity and enterprise on the part of our cotemporary which is doubtless very gratifying to its numerous friends throughout the State.

German Pic-Nic. There will be a German pic-nic at the Wilmington Garden this afternoon and evening, during which the manual exercise of tea parties will be indulged in by lovers of the sport.

Shooting in Columbus. We learn that a colored man was shot and badly wounded at Whiteville, Columbus county, on Friday night last, by a white man, named Somerset, who alleges that the other threw a stick of wood at him.

Do Not Forget. The excursion on the Waccamaw on Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock. Tickets (50 cents each) for sale on the wharf one hour before the boat leaves.

Skiff & Gaylor's Troupe. We learn that the agent of Skiff & Gaylor's celebrated Musical Troupe has applied for the Theatre, and that they expect to visit this city on the 12th of September and remain two nights.

City Court. The following cases were disposed of yesterday morning: Owen Dove and Edward Gause, charged with quarrelling, fighting, &c. Dove found not guilty and discharged, Edward Gause found guilty and sentenced to pay the penalty and costs.

Splendid Work of Art. We had a call yesterday from Mr. Frank Palmer, Agent for the sale of an elegant lithograph, first executed with a pen and ink by Prof. B. B. Easton, of Gen. R. E. Lee, of the Memorial Tablet to be erected, and of his Farewell Address.

MORNING STAR. Vol. VIII—No. 129. WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1871. Whole No. 1,219

Local Doings.

Another big rain last night. Marsh hens were plentiful in market yesterday at \$1 a dozen. We expect to hear of many disasters at sea, the result of Saturday's gale.

To the Work House. The following convicts of the Superior Court now in session in this city, will be taken to the County Work House this morning: John McRae, col., larceny, 18 months.

The Confederate Dead. In copying a notice from the Greensboro' Patriot of the handsome donation made by the Electric Club of that town to aid in removing the Confederate dead at Gettysburg to this State, the Newbern Journal of Commerce says:

Excursion Wednesday. Our citizens are reminded that there will be another family excursion on the Waccamaw tomorrow (Wednesday) and that the boat will leave her wharf at 9 o'clock.

Recovering. We were much pleased to learn, yesterday afternoon, that Fletcher Manning, the youth who fell from the top of the City Hotel building, now occupied by Capt. Manning as a boarding house, on Saturday last, is rapidly improving.

Beautiful Flour. We are indebted to Messrs. Smith & Oldham, No. 5 South Water street, for a sample of their choice family flour, for which those gentlemen have our thanks.

New Cotton. Another bale of new cotton made its appearance on the market yesterday. It was raised on the plantation of Mr. W. B. Cole, of Richmond county, under the superintendence of Mr. John T. Ussery, and was consigned to Messrs. Vick & Mebane. It was classed as middling and sold at 20 cents per pound.

Our Chip Basket. West Point belles no longer wear cadet buttons. Western belles play croquet in striped hose. Young ladies suffering from a pain in the side may relieve it by wearing a sash.

Boarders. If you want Boarders, advertise in our new department, under head of "Wants," at half our regular rates, for advertisements not exceeding five lines.

Attempted Robbery and Murder—The Robber Shot.

On Saturday night, about 11 o'clock, a deliberate attempt at highway robbery and murder was made in this city. It appears that earlier in the evening a party, including Mr. Daniel H. Russell, a carpenter of this city, and a colored man who gives his name as Chas. Wassent, met in a store at the corner of Third and Orange streets, where a conversation of some length was indulged in, after which Mr. Russell arose and took his leave, saying that he was going home.

It was not until Sunday morning that Wassent was discovered. It seems that he became impressed with the belief that he was going to die and sent to the authorities to take him to the City Hospital. He was found in a small house on the corner of Front street and what is known as Hager Nutt's alley, between Hanover and Bladen streets.

It is believed that Wassent was a man of powerful frame. He tells a great many contradictory stories about the affair, and also as to where he belonged. He informed us that he formerly lived at Camp Holmes, near Raleigh, while he has told others that he came from South Carolina.

RIVER AND MARINE NEWS.

During the severe storm on Saturday afternoon last, as we learn from Capt. Potter of the Waccamaw, a lighter belonging to Mr. Rieger and loaded with naval stores, was capsized near Smithville. A fishing smack, belonging to Mr. Glavin, Superintendent of the Navassa Oil Works at Fort Fisher, was also capsized off Smithville. No lives lost in either instance, though the cargo of the lighter is said to have got adrift.

The Charlotte Observer of Saturday says: On yesterday while the workmen at the Fair Grounds were engaged in placing the rafters on a building, some of the timbers gave way precipitating six men to the ground and severely injuring them all.

SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE.

Charlotte has a chain gang working on the streets. Warrenton is to have a baby show on the 10th of November. Fresh peaches are begging in Warrenton at 50 cents per bushel. Five dollars per barrel is the market price for corn in Warrenton.

The Warrenton Gazette says: Not less than 200 votes were polled illegally against a Convention in this county. The tobacco crop in Rockingham and Caswell counties is said to have been seriously injured by the long drought.

The Sentinel regrets to learn that Dr. W. R. Miller died Saturday about noon at his residence, six miles north of that city. Dr. Miller was a most estimable citizen. The Warrenton Gazette says: The rite of baptism was administered to eight candidates by the Revs. Messrs. Boon and Purofoy of the Baptist Church, at the baptismal Pool on Sunday evening last.

Doc. AYER'S LABORATORY, that has done such wonders for the sick, now issues a potent restorer for the beauty of mankind—for the comeliness which advancing age is so prone to diminish and destroy.

During a recent trial or comparison of ordinary Baking Powders in New York, with Dooley's Yeast Powder, it was shown conclusively that better results were attained with from one-half to two-thirds the quantity of the latter, than with any other in the market.

Howard Relief Fire Engine Company No. 1.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Members of the Howard Relief Fire Engine Company No. 1, that a called meeting will be held on August 28th, 1871, at 8 o'clock.

Just Received:

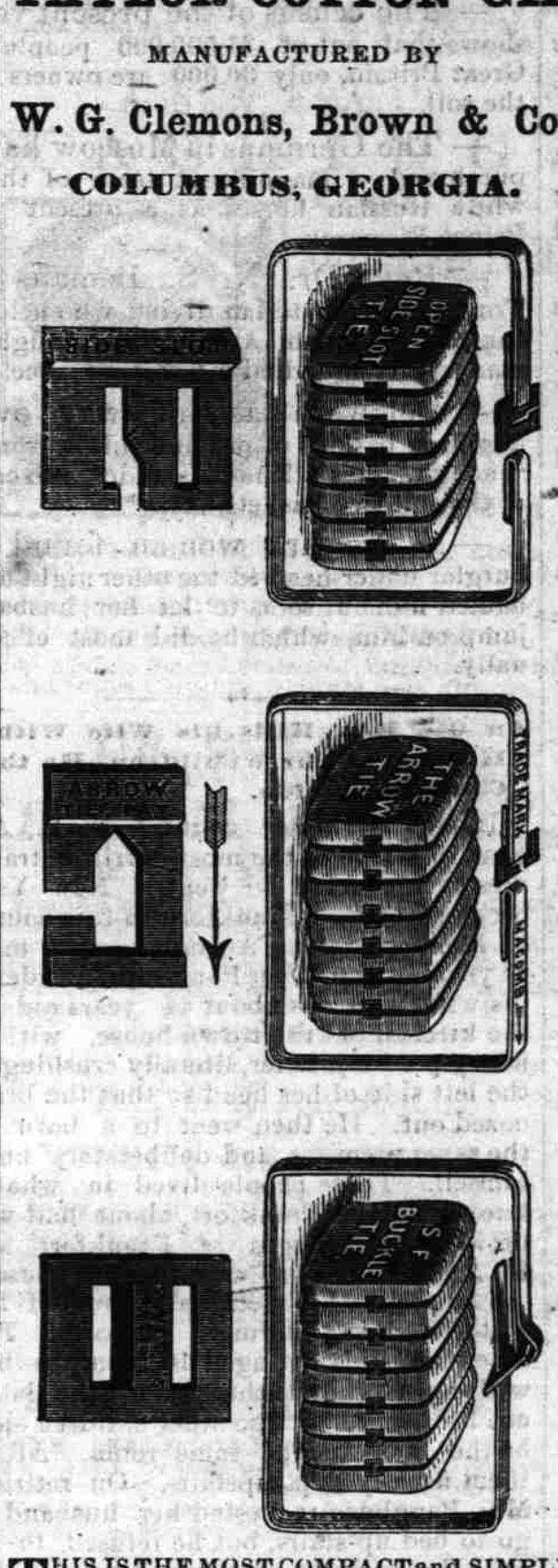
- 400 BLS. FLOUR, 100 BLS. PORK, 100 Bbls. Molasses, 50 Bbls. Sugar, 50 Bbls. Crackers, 50 Sacks Coffee, 1,000 Sacks Salt, 100 Boxes Soap, 100 Boxes Potash and Lye, 100 Boxes Starch and Candy, 25 Boxes Bacon, 25 Boxes Tobacco, &c., &c., &c.

New Books Just Out.

THE ANGEL IN THE CLOUD, Song—Tide, and other Poems, by Philip Burke-Marston; John Jerningham's Journal; Sarchedon, a Legend of the Great Queen; The Pupil of the Legion of Honor; A Terrible Temptation; Crumbs Swept Up; French Revolution, &c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TAYLOR COTTON GIN



THIS IS THE MOST COMPACT AND SIMPLY constructed Cotton Gin made. It has no attachments to injure the Cotton and cause the gin to run heavy.

DeROSSET & CO., Agents, Wilmington, N. C.

New Styles of Hats!

Silk, Stiff and Soft Hats JUST RECEIVED. THOS. H. WRIGHT, No. 9 North Front Street.

Ladies' Gaiters!

Buttoned, Laced and Congress IN GREAT VARIETY! AT DUDLEY & ELLIS, Sign of the Big Boot.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GOOD SWEET TABLE BUTTER At 40 cents per cent CHAS. D. MYERS & CO., 7 North Front Street.

Cape Fear and Black Rivers.

THE STEAMER LITTLE SAM, Capt. E. P. FADDISON. IS now running regularly between Wilmington and Point Caswell, leaving Wilmington Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7 o'clock A. M.

GROCERIES, WINES and LIQUORS.

FINE GROCERIES, WINES and LIQUORS CAN BE BROUGHT AT AT FRENCH'S Low for Cash. His \$3.00 Whiskey is Pure and Good.

SCHOOL NOTICE.

THE subscriber will open, during the ensuing Autumn, a school for Boys in this city. The number of pupils will be limited to twenty-five. An extended experience in the instruction of youth, I feel to be the best pledge I can offer to the public.

For Sale or Rent.

THE STOCK LOT AND STABLE, on Francis street, west of and adjoining the Jail, and opposite the Theatre. Apply to WILLARD BROS.

RATES OF ADVERTISING: One square one day, \$1.00; Two days, \$1.50; Three days, \$2.00; Four days, \$2.50; Five days, \$3.00; Six days, \$3.50; One week, \$4.00; Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates.

AUCTION SALES.

J. T. JAMES, Auctioneer. By JAMES & MEARES. Elegant City Residence AT AUCTION.

ELEGANT HOUSE AND LOT, desirably and centrally located on the North-east CORNER SECOND and CHESTNUT STS., well known as the RIVERA PROPERTY. The house is large and roomy, containing seven fine apartments, including a brick bath-room on the street level, besides Closets, Pantries, &c.

J. T. JAMES, Auctioneer. By JAMES & MEARES. City Real Estate for Sale

BY virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, issued June Term, 1871, to me directed, for foreclosure of a certain mortgage deed executed to the W. B. Building Association by Charles A. Williams, I shall proceed to sell on Tuesday, August 22, 1871, at the Court House, at 11 o'clock A. M., that certain piece of property described in said mortgage deed, to wit: Real estate in the western line of Fourth street, at a point 132 feet south of the south-western intersection of Fourth street with Bladen street, and thence northwardly in a parallel with Bladen street 165 feet, thence northwardly in a line parallel with Fourth street 85 feet, and thence eastwardly in a line parallel with Bladen street 165 feet to the beginning, being east part of Lot 3, Block 42, west of parcel of land in the town of Lillington, described in said mortgage deed, as follows: Beginning at an iron-wedge tree at the junction of Garrison's Branch and Riley's Creek, thence by lands of James Garrison, S. 53 1/2 W. 196 poles to a lightwood tree, thence W. 37 1/2 N. 161 poles to a stake in the main road, thence S. 7 1/2 W. 207 poles to Riley's Creek, thence with the main run of said creek to the beginning.

Plantation for Sale.

BY virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, issued at June Term, 1871, for foreclosure of a certain mortgage deed executed by A. C. Rembaum to F. W. Foster, and by him assigned to E. R. Brink, I shall proceed to sell on Tuesday, the 22d day of August, 1871, at the Court House Door, at 11 o'clock, to the highest bidder for Cash, all of that certain tract or parcel of land in the town of Lillington, described in said mortgage deed, as follows: Beginning at an iron-wedge tree at the junction of Garrison's Branch and Riley's Creek, thence by lands of James Garrison, S. 53 1/2 W. 196 poles to a lightwood tree, thence W. 37 1/2 N. 161 poles to a stake in the main road, thence S. 7 1/2 W. 207 poles to Riley's Creek, thence with the main run of said creek to the beginning.

OUR REVISED Co-Operative Prices

Tobacco-Goods IS YET DRAWING CROWDS OF C. O. D. CUSTOMERS, To No. 12 Market St.

Fine Linen Shirts, CLOTHING

In Style, AT THE LOWEST PRICES! Half Hose, Handkerchiefs, Cloths and Cassimeres. SUITS MADE TO ORDER. MUNSON & CO., CLOTHING and FURNISHING STORE, No. 38 Market Street.

Wanted.

A Situation as Instructor in Instrumental Music in some Academy or High School of a young lady of ample experience. Unexceptional references furnished. For further particulars, Address, No. 51 West Clay street, Richmond, Va.

Samuel R. Bunting, Auctioneer.

The undersigned respectfully solicit patronage as Auctioneers and Real Estate Agents. Personal attention to business. Office at the office of S. M. West, deceased, until October last. SAMUEL R. BUNTING, E. H. McQUIGG.

Bacon! Bacon!

100,000 LBS. SHOULDERS and SIDES. For sale by WILLARD BROS. June 21st.

WANTS.

WANTED—Purchasers to call at S. Levy's, 44 Market street, and examine his stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Hats, Notions, &c., which are now selling at actual cost. May 30-4m.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE—AT ACTUAL COST, by S. Levy, 44 Market street, Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Notions, &c. and secure bargains. (July 26-4m)