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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.
Nov. 8, 1871.

Time.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Weather
7 A. M.	30:05	50	Calm	Cloudy
2 P. M.	29:91	71	W Fresh	Cloudy
9 P. M.	29:89	61	SW Light	Fair

Mean Temp. of day, 61 deg.
NOTE.—All barometric readings are reduced to the sea-level and to 32 degrees Fahrenheit.
ROBERT SEYBOTH,
Serg't Signal Service U. S. A.

Weather Report.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Office of Chief Signal Officer,
Washington, Nov. 8—4:35 P. M.

Probabilities.

The low barometer west of the Mississippi will probably move northeastward with southerly winds and rain from the Gulf coast to Kentucky and northeasterly winds in Wisconsin and on the upper lakes. The winds will probably back to southwest on the lower lakes. Northwesterly winds continue on the middle and East Atlantic coast. Cloudy and rainy weather extend on Thursday over lakes Erie and Michigan. Partially cloudy weather on the south and middle Atlantic. Rising barometer and clearing weather in northern New England. Dangerous winds are not anticipated for our coasts this evening. It has been snowing for three days in Cheyenne.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HEINSBERGER'S Live Book Store, 39 Market st.—New Goods.

DUDLEY & ELLIS.—Bachelor Brogans.

J. F. RUECKERT.—First Class Pianos—Special to Music Teachers.

WILLIAMSON WHITEHEAD.—Notice in bankruptcy.

W. W. YOPP, R. S.—A called meeting of Stonewall Lodge.

JOS. B. RUSSELL, Secretary.—A Regular Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

HIGBIE, No 11, Market Street.—Cutlery, Crockery, Glassware, &c.

CHAS. D. MYERS & Co.—French Starch Enamel.

F. W. KERCHNER.—Coffee, Sugar, Cheese, Flour, Hoop Iron, &c.

WEST & HARRISS.—Thea Nectar—a pure Green Tea.

S. L. FREMONT.—Cape Fear Agricultural Association Fair.

T. C. SERVOSS, City Clerk.—An ordinance concerning Boney's Bridge.

JAMES H. CARRAWAY.—A Card to the Public.

E. C. DOBY.—Fine Turpentine Lands for sale.

J. A. MAULTSBY.—The celebrated Powell Farm for rent or lease.

JOHNSON & CROW.—Dissolution of Copartnership.

Removed.

S. Levy having removed to his new Store, corner Market and Front, formerly occupied by J. G. Bauman, has just opened an entire new stock of Dry Goods, Hats, Boots and Shoes, and Ladies and Gents Furnishing Goods, which he is offering to the public at the very lowest Cash Prices. Call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. Thankful for past favors, a continuance of the same is respectfully solicited.
oct 14 1m S. LEVY.

Roller Skating.

There will be skating, as usual, at the rink this evening. There is no reason why there should not be a large attendance of spectators as well as participants present, as the enjoyment is mutual. Come out and see the sport.

Mustard Plaster.

By using syrup of molasses for mustard plasters, they will keep soft and flexible, and not dry up and become hard, as when mixed with water. A thin paper or fine cloth should come between the plaster and the skin. The strength of the plaster is varied by the addition of more or less flour.

Appointment of Lamplighters.

Mayor Martin, yestesday, appointed J. N. VanSoulen as lamplighter for that portion of the city North of Market street, and Michael Hooper for that portion South of the same, the appointments to date from the 15th of November, inst.

Accident.

As a small white lad, residing somewhere in the Southern section of the city, was walking along Sixth, between Orange and Ann streets, yesterday afternoon, his feet suddenly slipped from under him and he fell heavily on the pavement. He got up, after a few moments, and walked a short distance, when he found that his injuries were such that he could go no further and he had to be assisted home. We failed to learn the name of the youth.

Something New and Sensational.

We learn that a certain sensation writer of this city is engaged on a work to be styled "Thirty Nights on the streets of Wilmington," which he intends shortly to issue from the press of this city. In this work the author proposes to unfold vivid scenes of life in this city hitherto hidden from the public view, and as such it will probably command an extensive sale.

City Court.

The following cases were disposed of yesterday:

Violet Henry, Emily Wright and Mary Henry, all colored, charged with keeping a disorderly house on Princess, between Fifth and Sixth streets, were found guilty and sentenced to pay the penalty and costs. The owner to be notified and furnished with a copy of the ordinance in relation to disorderly houses.

Laura Singletary and Kitty Johnson, charged with fighting, quarreling, &c., were found guilty and sentenced to pay the penalty and costs. The Mayor recommended to remit the penalty on the payment of costs.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING:

One Square one day,	$1 0
" " two days,	1 50
" " three days,	2 00
" " four days,	2 50
" " five days,	3 00
" " one week,	3 50

Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates.
Marriages, Deaths, Religious, Funeral and Obituary notices will be inserted at half rates when paid for in advance; otherwise full rates will be charged.
TERMS—Cash on demand.

Local Hits.

— Paper collars are no longer disposed to wilt.

— See official notice in regard to Boney Bridge.

— Regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this morning, at 11 o'clock.

— Only one fever death reported in Charleston for the twenty-four hours ending at noon yesterday.

— Tight pantaloons, it is said, will come into fashion again, and our men of shape and talent therefore may begin to overhaul their old clothes.

— The phrase, "you know how it is yourself," has been traced to Shakespere. The idea is found in the *Merry Wives of Windsor*, Act II, scene 2.

— The circulation of the MORNING STAR is larger than at any former period, and has reached a point never before attained by any daily newspaper published in Wilmington.

— A called meeting of Stonewall Lodge No. 1, K. of P., will be held to-morrow (Friday) evening for the purpose of preparing for the celebration of the approaching anniversary.

— Yesterday at the [illegible] corner of Dock and South Water streets, we sampled some of the best champagne cider which it has ever been our pleasure to taste.

— Attention is called to the advertisement of the President of the Cape Fear Agrecultural Association, in relation to badges to be worn by officers of the Association during the approaching Fair.

— We were shown a day or two since some fine large strawberries just from their beds in the Wilmington Garden, where apple blooms and apples of the second crop are still to be found on the trees.

— This is the last week of the indulgence to parties owing city real estate taxes, and all such are urged to be in haste if they wish to avoid the consequences which will result from neglecting this little matter.

— The attention of persons in want of turpentine lands is called to the advertisement of Mr. C. C. Doby, of Camden, S. C., who offers some fine bargains through our columns this morning. Some of it is also good for corn, cotton or stock raising, with residence, &c. all conveniently located.

— On Castle strert, yesterday afternoon, a horse, attached to a cart loaded with sawdust, suddenly took it into his head to runaway, which freak on the animal's part soon resulted in spilling the driver and the sawdust together into the street. In the fall the boy got his mouth full of sawdust, and his efforts to dislodge the unwholesome "food" was a source of much amusement to spectators. Nobody hurt.

Wharfage.

Many complaints are made in reference to the rates charged for wharfage on goods landed at the wharves of this city. The present rates need a revision, and the establishment of a lower rate of wharfage would be entirely in the interests of commerce, by reducing the tariff of expense on articles imported here. Cannot something be done to bring about this desirable improvement at once?

Commissioners of Navigation.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, held on Tuesday night, the following proceedings were had:

Petition of Vick & Mebane and Colville & Taylor, asking permission to build wharves, was referred to a Committee of two, consisting of Commissioners Chadbourn and Murray.

Petition of David F. Brown for a nine-foot branch, was granted.

One pilot, charged with intoxication, was suspended for thirty days.

It was ordered that the Chairman of this Board be authorized to suspend for thirty days any Pilot known to be under the influence of liquor to such an extent as to incapacitate him from duty as a Pilot.

Report on Bridges.

The Committee, consisting of Aldermen D. Rumley, Wm. Kellogg and Owen Burney, appointed to ascertain the cost of building a bridge across Second street, reported at the last meeting of the Board of Aldermen to the following effect: They have employed the services of Mr. Brown, City Surveyor, who has submitted a drawing with the estimated cost, which cost will amount to $16,000. He also submits a drawing with estimated cost for a bridge over the Railroad on Third street. Estimated cost of said bridge, $7,650. The Wilmington and Weldon Railroad authorities refuse to contribute anything towards building these bridges. The Committee recommend that the bridge on Third street be built, and that the Mayor advertise for sealed proposals to build the same.

The matter was laid over until next meeting.

Colored Man Drowned.

Coroner Hewlett was summoned to hold an inquest over the body of a colored man who was accidentally drowned in Black River, about twenty miles from this city, on Tuesday of last week. It seems that deceased, whose name is unknown, was engaged in this city to cut cane for the Cape Fear Fibre Company of this place, and on arriving at his destination, the evening of the same day he left here, he attempted to step from one flat to another when he made a misstep and fell between the two flats into the river, from which all attempts to rescue him proved unavailing, and he was consequently drowned. No evidence came out on the inquest by which he could be identified, with the exception of the fact that one of his fellow employees, who was engaged at the same time he was, stated that a colored woman of this city, by the name of Henrietta Mack, did some washing for them on the eve of their departure for Black River and that she was doubtless acquainted with him. The inquest was held on Tuesday of this week and a verdict was returned that deceased came to his death from accidental drowning.

Installation of Officers.

The following list of officers, recently elected for the ensuing term, were duly installed by G. W. Sealey, D. M. W. T., on Monday night last, in Friendship Temple of Honor and Temperance, No. 1: W. L. Tart, W. C. T.; J. W. King, W. V. T.; H. E. Foster, W. R.; Jas. W. King, W. A. R.; Wm. T. Spooner, W. F. R.; W. Hurst, W. T.; John B. Robinson, W. U.; John G. Black, W. D. U.; G. L. Mintz, W. G.; Jos. W. Barnes, W. L.; G. W. Sealey, W. C. P. T.

We learn that this order, which has but recently been established in our midst, is already in a flourishing condition. Applications for membership are almost constantly coming in, and hopes are entertained that great good will ultimately be accomplished through its agency.

Arrival and Incarceration of an Alleged Murderer.

Sheriff McMillan, of Robeson county, arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, having in his custody Thos. Brady, a United States soldier, charged with the wilful murder of a colored man by the name of Stephen Locklear, which took place at Scuffletown, in that county, some time in the month of September or October last, an account of which was published in the STAR immediately after its occurrence. He was brought here for the purpose of lodgment in our county jail for safe-keeping, he having made a violent attempt at escape from the jail in Lumberton on Tuesday night last. Sheriff McMillan had previously made oath before Magistrates James Sinclair and E. K. Proctor, of Robeson, that the jail in Lumberton was totally and notoriously insecure, the magistrates having thereupon ordered the removal of the prisoner to this city. He was given a birth in Nash's Hotel, until called for to appear in Lumberton for trial at the next term of the Superior Court of Robeson.

Our Chip Basket.

— Next to nothing—1 to 10.

— Permanent headquarters—The shoulders.

— The question of the hour—What time is it?

— Those that boast most, fail most; for deeds are silent.

— What do great liars do when they die? They lie still.

— A boy who had read of sailors heaving up anchors, wanted to know if it was sea-sickness that made them do it.

— Why cannot two slender persons ever become great friends? Because they will always be slight acquaintances.

— Why is clargymen like a locomotive? Because you are to look out for him when the bell rings.

— It is somewhat strange that a man who can neither read nor write is one who is bound to make his mark.

— To flatter persons adroitly one must know three things—what they are, what they think they are, and what they want other people to think they are.

Advertising for the People.

We would call the attention of the public to the MORNING STAR'S charges for short advertisements, especially for the accommodation of the growing demand for the publication of brief notices such as "Wants," "To Let," "For Sale," etc. Most advertisements of this character can be reduced to five lines space, and the charge for them being but half our regular rates when paid for *strictly in advance*

This offers increased inducements for servants wanting places, for families wishing domestics, for farmers having a horse, or a cow, or an old wagon for sale, landlords wishing tenants, and tenants wishing landlords, to use the MORNING STAR as a medium for communicating with their several but unknown customers.

Storekeepers can also make equal avail of these rates for short advertisements, to invite public attention to any specialty in trade, or any change in their places.

The use of the daily newspaper, as the agency for communication between people of all classes, is constantly increasing, and illustrates one of the ways in which modern civilization is saving time, labor, and money, in carrying on the business of life. tf

DIED.

GREGORY—In this city on the 8th inst., Sue L, daughter of Wm. H. and Susan A. Gregory, aged 9 years, 3 months and 28 days.

Her funeral will take place at 3½ o'clock P. M. to-day from the Second Baptist Church.

Farewell! sweet one; in Heaven, where thou art shining now,
I know that sin and sorrow are banished from thy brow;
And though it were worse than death to part,
I yield thee up to God,
Who hath taken thee, my darling, to his ever blest abode.
I give thee back to Heaven, my pure and gentle one;
Thy sands of life are numbered; thy little race is run;
And thou art joining now in the anthems of the blest,
In yon bright world of glory—the land of peace and rest.

OFFICIAL.

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING BONEY'S BRIDGE.

WHEREAS, It is considered unsafe to drive or ride on Boney's Bridge with any horse, cart or carriage, or any conveyance whatever, out of an ordinary walk, the Mayor and Aldermen DO ORDAIN that, if any person, by himself, agent, or servant, shall ride on any horse or mule, or shall drive any buggy, dray, carriage, cart, omnibus, or any other vehicles over or on said Bridge, out of an ORDINARY WALK, the proprietor or owner of said horse or vehicle shall be subject to a FINE OF FIVE DOLLARS. Any ordinance or part thereof conflicting are hereby repealed.

The above ordinance was passed by Board of Mayor and Aldermen of city of Wilmington on Monday evening, November 6th, 1871.

Attest: T. C. SERVOSS,
Wilmington, Nov. 9-2t City Clerk.

Notice.

THE copartnership heretofore existing under the style of Johnson & Crow is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued under the name of L. E. Johnson, who will settle all the debts of the late firm and who is authorized to receive all monies due them.

L. E. JOHNSON,
J. E. CROW.
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 8, 1871. 1w

Cape Fear Agricultural Association.

THE THIRD ANNUAL FAIR of this Association will be held on the days of November 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th inst.

Every effort will be made to secure the comfort and convenience of exhibitors and other visitors.

The Executive Committee have reason to expect an exhibition of more than usual interest.

Prices of Admission:

Single Ticket,	50
Three Single Tickets,	1 00
Family Ticket, admitting five,	1 50
" " " ten,	2 50
Season Ticket, admitting one person during the Fair, (not transferrable)	2 00

LIFE MEMBERS MUST PROCURE FROM THE TREASURER A TICKET FOR EACH MEMBER OF THEIR FAMILIES.

Tickets for sale at all the Drug and Book Stores, at the entrance of the Fair Grounds and at the office of the Treasurer.

JOHN WILDER ATKINSON,
nov 8-1wnac Treasurer.

Notice.

I HAVE appointed Mr. John R. Turrentine to aid me in collecting all due me by notes and accounts. He or I will be at my office, in my former Dry-Good Store, every day during business hours. Hope all those in debt to me will promptly pay, as I require the money.

JOHN DAWSON.
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