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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.
Nov. 27, 1871.

Time.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Weather.
5 A. M.	30.89	67	W Fresh	Cloudy
8 P. M.	30.74	78	W Fresh	Cloudy
9 P. M.	30.83	65	E Fresh	Cloudy

Mean Temp. of day, 68 deg.
Note.—All barometric readings are reduced to the sea-level and to 32 degrees Fahrenheit.
ROBERT S. YOUNG,
Serg't Signal Service U. S. A.

Weather Report.
Office of Chief Signal Officer,
Washington, Nov. 27.—4:35 P. M.

Probabilities.
Brisk northwesterly winds will probably diminish to night and veer to northeast in the Middle and Eastern States by Tuesday noon; pleasant weather prevail in the South. Atlantic States; an area of low barometer develop west of the Mississippi, with cloudy and threatening weather extending eastward to the Blue Ridge; partially cloudy weather, with light winds, prevail on the lake.

Cautionary signals continue at Norfolk, Cape May, New York and New London.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
HENSBERG'S Live Book Store, 39 Market st.—"The Pen is Mightier than the Sword."

MUNSON & Co.—The Alexis Collar.

WM. M. POISSON.—St. John's Lodge F. & A. M.—Emergent Meeting.

BUNTING & McQUIKE, Auctioneers.—Sale of N. C. Bacon Sides, &c.

DUDLEY & ELLIS.—Bronze Buttoned Boots for Ladies and Children.

MERCHANT.—A Young Man, with knowledge of the Hardware Business, Wanted.

Skating Rink.
There will be skating at the City Hall this evening, as usual. Notwithstanding the attractions at the Theatre a large crowd is expected to be present. Come out and try the skates and you will not regret it.

The Troops in Sampson.
A gentleman at Clinton, Sampson county, writing to a friend in this city, whose letter we have been kindly permitted to read, reports that he has learned from a reliable source that over one hundred persons have been arrested and are being examined by the troops. Some have been discharged, while others are held and bound over for their appearance in Raleigh.

Assault and Battery.
David McPherson, colored, was arrested yesterday, on a warrant issued by W. H. Merriek, J. P., charged with assault and battery on the person of Joe Chapman, also colored. He was committed to jail, in default of security in the sum of \$100, to await an examination before the above named magistrate this morning.

Festival.
Our city readers should remember that there will be a Festival at City Hall on Thursday (Thanksgiving) evening, the proceeds to be appropriated to the fitting and properly repairing of St. Paul's (Episcopal) Church, corner of Fourth and Orange streets, where a new congregation will soon commence worshipping.

Superior Court.
By reference to the legislative proceedings, in another column, it will be seen that the bill alluded to by us a few days since, changing the time of holding the Superior Courts in New Hanover county, passed its several readings in the House on Saturday. See proceedings for the provisions of the bill.

Knights of Pythias.
We learn that the Tremaine Brothers and Mr. John G. Pierson will give a benefit to the Order of Knights of Pythias in this city on Thursday night next. Messrs. Jno. J. Fowler, J. McD. French and E. S. Woodford have been appointed by the Order as managers, with Mr. J. J. Fowler as Chairman. There will no doubt be a large crowd present on the occasion.

Fine Oysters.
We set down to us as a "bait" of oysters last night as we have ever seen in this or any other market. They were put up by Mr. D. J. Gilbert in his usual good style, and were not "hard to take." Mr. Gilbert has a lot of these large, fat and succulent oysters on hand at his saloon on South Water street, and those in want of a splendid "stew" should give him a call.

How to Preserve Smoked Meats.
Take ground black pepper, the finer the better; wash all the meat or skin off from the hams or beef, and while they are damp, rub them thoroughly with the pepper. Two pounds of pepper will keep thirty pounds of meat free from flies or insects of all kinds. It can remain after being thus treated, in the smoke house or wood-house, and not a fly will approach it. It also improves the flavor of the meat.

A Runaway.
A horse, attached to a buggy containing the driver and two ladies, runaway in the vicinity of Union Depot on Saturday night. Soon after starting one of the hind wheels of the buggy came off, and the ladies were thrown out, but fortunately received very little injury. The horse, with the damaged vehicle, ran for some distance in the direction of the depot, when he turned and retraced his steps toward the bridge, being finally halted in his mad career by a colored man by the name of Geo. Merriek, who thus saved the ladies from probable destruction and possibly the life of the horse.

Indestructible Ink.
The Indestructible Ink is a great convenience to merchants. It answers the combined purpose of a direction label and business card. Call at the STAR Printing and Publishing House and supply yourselves.

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Tax on Amusements.

The Editor of the Raleigh Sentinel, like ourselves, has had his attention called to the excessive tax upon concerts, theatrical and operatic exhibitions. That paper says: "We do not, nor do we suppose many persons, know how heavy the taxes are. The tax, State, county and city—is twenty-five dollars for the first night and fifteen for each subsequent night—and the county is allowed to lay double the State tax. When State, county and city tax are all to be collected, it amounts to almost prohibition. If the people are willing to pay their money, let them be amused, especially when less tax would bring in more revenue than one amounting to prohibition."

The present General Assembly will no doubt reduce this tax.

Laying the Corner Stone.

The ceremonies attendant upon the laying of the corner stone of Tillet Normal School House on Thursday are expected to be of a very interesting character. The members of St. John's Lodge No. 4, Free and Accepted Masons, are expected to meet at their Hall at 8 o'clock, in order to allow those who may be present an opportunity of attending the various churches where religious exercises are expected to be conducted. The address on the occasion will be delivered by Hon. A. M. Waddell.

Lost.

If you have lost anything, advertise it in our new department, under head of "Lost and Found," at half our regular rates, for advertisements not exceeding five lines.

Tremaine Brothers.

The celebrated Tremaine Brothers and Mr. John G. Pierson, commenced their engagement at Thalian Hall last night before a very large and appreciative audience. The leading members of this excellent company are no strangers to the music-loving portion of the community, who were prepared in advance to enjoy a rich musical treat. In this they were not disappointed, as the frequent plaudits of the large assembly abundantly testified. The singing of the Tremaine Brothers, Pierson, Inslee and Master Willie Kellogg was simply splendid, while the accompaniment on the fine Bartlett Organ belonging to the company added greatly to the general effect. Mr. Pierson's lecture was exceedingly humorous, while in the Burlesque Opera of "The Two Lovers," which concluded the entertainment, and which was admirably rendered, Master Willie Kellogg played the part of "Lisette, the Country Girl," to perfection.

They give another of their superb entertainments this evening, when no doubt they will be greeted by a crowded house.

The Fayetteville Fair.

One of the Editors of the Raleigh Carolinian, who was present, speaks as follows of the Fayetteville Fair:

The stock exhibited was fine, while the many agricultural implements, the improved machinery, &c., compared favorably with that on exhibition at many State fairs.

The trotting was good. We noticed "Loafers" driven by Mr. Pomeroy, and "Bob Lee," with Mr. Paxson "handling the ribbons."

The latter was the winning pair—time: first heat, 3:02; second 2:55; third, 2:50.

The much talked of road steamer was at the Fair, and on Thursday a rush was made to see it. The steamer is considered practicable by many, whilst some are disposed to doubt the successful working of it. However, it moved around the track at a goodly pace.

Star Book Bindery.

The attention of the public is called to the superior facilities we now have for executing cheaply, promptly and skillfully all kinds of Binding and Ruling. Our business in this department has steadily increased, an evidence that we have not labored in vain in our effort to establish a Book Bindery equal to the demands of our growing city. But we are determined to do still more; and as our business grows so will our facilities be increased. Give us a trial.

Our Chief Bookkeeper, colored, has been tested.

—A cowardly assault.—To beat a black.

—A reliable piece of machinery.—A determined stand.

—"Padded steps" are announced as fashionable.

—Good husbands are said to be like dough.

A young lady, evidently well informed, says: "The men are a set of us set."

A young lady recently tried to do up her back hair with a money comb to make it look "swell."

A young lady who went to Europe last summer, taking with her only a small carpet-bag, has returned with sixteen well filled trunks.

—Men are frequently like tea, the real strength and goodness are not properly drawn out of them until they have been for a short time in hot water.

—There is a young lady living near Albion, Michigan, whose grandmother's grandmother is still living—a hale, active old lady, and the young lady herself old enough to be married.

—It is considered the thing for young gentlemen to have their overcoats made with a pocket in one side lined with flannel or fur, in which they may slip their hand when walking or cold.

—It is recommended to see one's hair blossoming for the grave too early. More especially women feel this solicitation, and it is even suggested that they remove it and restore the hair sometimes, by using original color always.

The Florida have been so much imposed upon by several worthless Sarsaparillas, that we are glad to be able to recommend a preparation which can be depended on as containing the virtues of that invaluable medicine, and in witness of the public confidence, Doctor AYER'S Sarsaparilla cures when anything can cure the diseases that require Sarsaparilla.

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