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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD, Dec. 30, 1871. Time, Barom. Ther. Wind. Weather

Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT, Office of Chief Signal Officer, Washington, Dec. 30—4:35 P. M. Probabilities.

THE CITY.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

St. James' (Episcopal), CORNER THIRD AND MARKET STREETS. St. John's Church (Episcopal), CORNER RED CROSS AND THIRD STREETS. Second Baptist Church, CORNER SIXTH AND CHURCH STREETS.

PROFITABLE ADVERTISING.

THE WEEKLY STAR as an advertising medium. It has, without exception, the largest circulation of any publication in Wilmington; and we can satisfy any one that it has no equal as a medium of communication with the people of the rural districts now trading with Wilmington.

Local Notes.

Sealskin pocket books are also for the weaker sex. Condensed milk is made by evaporating, and adding loaf sugar. A grammatical puzzle: What's the plural of "Tom and Jerry"?

Amputation.

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Board of Aldermen.

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A Private Masquerade.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen held a fancy dress masquerade sociable at the private residence of one of our citizens on Friday evening.

Returned Home.

We see from the Newbern Journal of Commerce that Prof. Edward G. Daves, of that city, who has lately returned to his home after an absence of several years in foreign countries.

Vessel Destroyed by Fire.

By cable telegram from London, we are informed that the ship Fys, from this port, with a cargo of 2,300 barrels of turpentine, was burned while lying at South End on the river Thames, on Friday last.

New Firm.

We have heretofore neglected to note the fact that J. W. Schenck, Jr., & Co., have established a general commission and commercial business at the corner of Dock and Water streets.

Resigned—New Bank.

We learn that Capt. Isaac B. Grainger, so long and favorably known as the Cashier of the Banking House of James Dawson, Esq., has resigned his position at that institution.

Myrmemorial.

Upon consulting the records in the office of the Register of Deeds, we find that the following marriage licenses were issued for parties in this county during the month just closed:

Colored.

David Devane and Adelaide Newton, John Fenny and Grace Moore, Jacob Highsmith and Becky J. Murphy, Rich. Hooper and Charlotte Thally, Robt. Pristoe and Emma Jones, John Davis and Susan Flowers, Holmes Simpson and Becky McAllister, Jno. W. Mitchell and Emily J. Blackledge, Jos. D. Sampson and Mary E. Hall.

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The Mention Concert.

Mrs. Charles Moulton, as has already been announced, will give one of her charming concerts at the Wilmington Opera House to-morrow (Monday) night.

MARRIED.

KING—WILLIAMS.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the evening of the 28th inst., by the Rev. Dr. E. S. Moran, Mr. J. Williams King and Miss Carrie V. Williams, all of this city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1872! ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, we will offer our magnificent stock of DRY GOODS

At New York City Prices.

Buyers will find the greatest bargains of the season in DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES and HATS. Our Stock of Dry Goods, embracing Black and Colored Silks, Merinoes, Poplins, Alpaccas and Figured and Plain Mohairs, must be sold, and will be offered at Prices which will defy competition.

DOMESTIC AND HOUSEKEEPING GOODS

will be sold at Retail at LOWEST WHOLESALE PRICES

We request the attention of the Ladies to our stock of FURS, CLOAKS, FANCY ARTICLES, REALITIES, etc. A square reduction of twenty-five per cent. from usual prices will be made to CASH BUYERS. The public are invited to give us a call.

Wood and Coal Yard.

WOOD. PER LOAD. PER CORD. Hickory, \$1 25 \$1 25 Pine, 1 00 2 00 Ash, 1 00 2 00 Swamp and Pine, 90 3 00

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Those who neglected to give Christmas Presents, have the opportunity now of selecting a handsome New Year's Present from our choice stock of

ROOTS AND SHOES.

DUDLEY & ELLIS, Sign of the Big Boot.

Prime Hay.

100 BALES HAY—SUPERIOR QUALITY. Ex Star Metropolis, for sale by F. W. KERCHNER, 27, 28 and 29 North Water St.

Molasses! Molasses!

250 Hds. S. H. Syrup, 100 Bbls. " 75 Hds. Cuba Molasses, For sale by F. W. KERCHNER, 27, 28 and 29 North Water St.

Gunny and Burlap Bags.

25,000 BURLAP BAGS, 20,000 GUNNY BAGS, For sale by F. W. KERCHNER, 27, 28 and 29 North Water St.

The American Button Hole

OVER-SEAMING SEWING MACHINE. PATENT at the head of the list as one of the best Family Sewing Machines in the Market—it is thoroughly constructed of the best material and has no rival as a light running machine.

Kindness.

CONSCIENTIOUSNESS, and a disposition to do right, with a calm, attentive consideration of the whole subject, in a case of infirmity, are a good preparation for learning the will of God concerning it.

At the regular weekly meeting held on Friday evening, at Temperance Hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term and will be installed on next Friday evening, at 7 1/2 o'clock:

- W. J. Calais, Ex President. James Alderman, Associate. W. H. Gregory, Chaplain. James W. King, Recording Secretary. W. M. Hays, Financial Secretary. C. W. Yates, Treasurer. J. W. Hanby, Conductor. W. F. Corbett, A. Conductor. O. Kelley, Jr., I. S. J. E. Robinson, O. S.

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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 " one week, 3 50

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Havana Royal Lottery.

ORDINARY DRAWING.

The ORDINARY DRAWING of the 23d January next takes place with THREE CAPITAL PRIZES: One of \$150,000 One of 50,000 One of 25,000

NOTICE!

Howard Relief Fire Engine Company No. 1. MEMBERS: Remember your next monthly meeting will be held on the 8th of January.

Liverpool Salt!

3,000 SACKS LIVERPOOL SALT, Now landing Ex Brig Stockholm, For sale low by F. W. KERCHNER, 27, 28 and 29 North Water St.

Ladies Turkey Morocco Bags.

GENTS BILLS NOW DUE. SUP. BLACK DRESS TROCKS, We are Settling Up with Everybody Now.

FURNISHING GOODS,

ALL KINDS FOR GENTS, at

MISCELLANEOUS.

65 FIRST PRIZE MEDALS AWARDED.

THE GREAT



WM. KNABE & CO., MANUFACTURERS OF GRAND, SQUARE and UPRIGHT PIANO FORTES, Baltimore, Md.

These instruments have been before the Public for nearly Thirty Years, and upon their excellence alone attained and unopposed prominence, which pronounces them unequalled in TONE, TOUCH, WORKMANSHIP and DURABILITY.

EVERY PIANO FULLY WARRANTED FOR FIVE YEARS.

We are by special arrangement enabled to furnish PARLOR ORGANS and Melodions of the most celebrated makers, Wholesale and Retail, at Lowest Cash Prices.

Illustrated Catalogues and Price Lists promptly furnished on application to WM. KNABE & CO., Baltimore, Md. Or to F. HEINSBEGGER, Sole Agent, 27, 28 and 29 North Water St., Wilmington, N. C.

For Freight or Charter.

THE SWEDISH BRIG SOKOMMEREN, Capt. WESTERGAARD.

DRY SALT BACON

Sides and Shoulders.

50 BOXES IN STORE.

50 BBLs. C. M. FORT.

For sale low by

25 TUBS THE VERY BEST.

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Butter, Butter

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North Carolina House,

Corner Second and Princess Sts., J. & H. HAAS, Proprietors.

Wines, Liquors, Ales and Porter, Lager Beer Cigars and Tobacco, of all kinds.

OPENED IN SEASON.

WANTS.

Boarding—Good Board with or without room on 2nd, near corner of Ann and door from corner, on left hand side going South. Terms moderate, by week or month. Address No. 2, 215 City P. O. dec 7-11