Mean Temp. of day, 41 deg.
Note.—All barometric readings are reduced
to the sea-level and 10 32 degrees. Fahrenheit. ROBERT SETSOTH, Serg't Signal Service U. S. A.

Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT, Office of Chief Signal Officer, Washington, March 23-4:35 P. M.

Easterly to southerly winds, with cloudy weather and rain, will continue over the South Atlantic States; the area of cloudy weather and snow from Tenucssee northward will gradually extend eastward over the Middle States to night and over the New England States on Saturday, where the wind will back to southerly; rising barometer, falling temperature, clearing weather and northwesterly winds will extend eastward over the Mississippi valley during the night, and over the municipal election, which takes place on the first Monday in May?

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CITY

The Reading Room of the Wilmington Library Association is open daily during the week from 10 A. M. to

PROFITABLE ADVERTISING. We call the attention of the business men of Wilmington to the superior advantages |

1 P. M., from 4 to 6 P. M., and from 716 to 10

THE WEEKLY STAR as an advertising medium. It has, without exception, the Largest Circulation of any pubication in Wilmington; and we can satisfy any one that it has no equal as a medium of communication with the people of the rural listricts now trading with Wilmington. We solicit a call from those who wish to their business prominently before the ople of this section, confident that we can fer inducements that cannot fall to please.

ALW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Barns BERGER'S Live Book Store, 39 Market street.-Standard Works.

DUDLEY & ELLIS, Sign of the Big Boot-Boots and shoes. See advertisement of Southern Express Co.

-new tariff of rates. WALKER MOORE-Opening and refitting of he Old Pilot House.

MCILHENNY & WRIGHT, Druggists and Pharmacists-Medicines. Read the new advertisement under head of

GREEN & FLANNER-Paints, oils, glass and

The news from Robeson yesterday afternoon was very meagre. In fact, we could gather voice is very agreeable, and, despite his youth, nothing further than the intelligence that this gentleman is already an excellent actor. Henderson, the Herald correspondent, was at Mr. Pratt gave, last evening renewed evi-Moss Neck when the train passed. None of dence of his fine abilities as a comedian. He the numbers of the Lowrey gang were pres- maintains his great popularity with our playent, but it was supposed they were somewhere goers. Mr. Crane has made a very pleasant in the immediate neighborhood. The rumors impression, and will rival his associates in the that Boss Strong is certainly dead and that goodwill of those who have been entertained Henry Berry Lowrey has either been killed, by his admirable delineations, or has left the county, are still current, though we have no positive information to that their last entertainment in Wilmington dur-

Parties engaged in digging a sink on the premises of Dr. McDonald at his new residence on the corner of Sixth and Hanover streets, yesterday morning, unearthed a small coffin, about twenty inches long, and which was found about two feet under the ground. Without opening it, Dr. McDonald immedi ately notified Coroner Hewlett of the circumstance, who summoned a jury and will examine into the matter this morning, at 10 o'clock. The coffin had the appearance of having been lately put under the ground.

Southern Express Company. Before going North to lay in their stocks of goods our merchants should call at the office of the Sothern Express Company and examine their tariffs. On small packages not exceeding three inches square, or two pounds in weight, or \$10 in value, for any office of the Southern Express Company East of the Mis. sissippi liver, the charge is now only 25 cents, The low rates established, of which the above is an instance, should influence the public to give the Express Company a trial.

Theatrical Notes. - The Abbott Troupe is in Richmond.

- Nell Warner and wife are in Charleston. - Blind Tom is in Mississippi, atill thump-

ng at the " pecaner." - The Chapman Sisters and Mr. E. A. Loche played at Buffalo, N. Y . last week.

The Berger Family open at Danville, Va.

- Mrs. Chas. Moulton concertized at Springfield, Ill., Let week.

A curious Case. One of the applicants for assistance from the county is a colored woman by the name of

Williams, of Holly Township, whose husband was killed some time during the past year, and who states that she has also children, five of whom are deaf and dumb. The oldest of the children so afflicted is about 15 years old, and we learn that none of the family of which they are the descendants have been known to suffer from a similar misfortune.

The Wilmington Steam Fire Engine Company No. 1 had their annual parade and Ension of which the ceremony of presentation al-luded to in our last issue took place at the Hall of the Company. The presentat on address, which was delivered by Mr. J. C. Steven-

Vol. X-No. 1. WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1872.

The Gld Pilot House.

Mr. Walker Moore notifies the public in th issue that he has opened and tentirely refitted he "Old Pilot House," where he will be A few flakes of snow fell here yesterday. pleased to serve them with all the articles usu-- Thirty-seven candidates for the Legislaally kept in a first class saloon. Mr. Moore is ore, on the Republican side, have already dean "old hand at the bellows," and will doubtclared themselves as expecting the nomination. less give satisfaction to his customers. He - There are at this present writing only has in connection with his establishment an thirteen Republican candidates in the field for eating saloon, the larder of which will be kept Register of Deeds, with seven townships to well supplied.

- The Second Quarterly Meeting for Fifth Street M. E. Church commences to-day. Services this morning at 9 and 11 o'clock by Rev. matrimony.

Dr. Closs. steady rain, and last night the streets were in kill time?

Local Dots.

hear from.

All quiet in Sampson.

Sti I no business before the City Court.

on the North side of Market street which should receive attention. Should they get in the notion to fall, somebody's head would be

- The assessors for Cape Fear Township will meet at the Williams' place on Thursday, April 11th; at Jackson Wood's, Thursday, the 18th, and at the Court H use in Wilmington on the 25th. They will revise the list at the Poor House on Thursday, the 2nd of May.

OPERA HOUSE.

Dramatic. Last evening furnished a striking illustration of Mrs. Oates' popularity in Wilmington. Despite the fearfully inclement weather, which under ordinary circumstances, and in the case of any other company, would have made it impossible to assemble a respectable audience, a very flattering house greeted the favorite and pet of Wilming on play goers.

As upon all previous occasions of her appearance in our city, Mrs. Oates won new friends and rendered more ardent the admiration of her old friends. Each performance simply renews the brilliant triumphs of its predecessors. Something little less than marvellous is the vivacity and Elan of this charming actrees. We think it was our friend, De Leon, of the Mobile Register who characterized Mrs. Oates as "a I ttle focomotive in tights." We confess our inability to give any better the Morning Star as a medium for commu characterization of her wonderful and untiring

activity and vivacity on the stage.
In Fortunio, last evening, Mrs. Oates played with great vim and spirit, and was rapturously applauded by her auditors. Mr. Allen, though laboring underserious disadvantages, made a fine display of his vocal powers, and of his talents as an actor. Though comparatively very young man, Mr. Allen is a remarkably faithful and capable actor, and does all that he undertakes very handsomely. Mr. Drew's

This evening the Oates troupe will give ing the present season. The bill is one of rare attractiveness." At the matinee this afternoon there will doubtless be present a large attendance of ladies and children. Fortunio And His Servants will be repeated at the mati-

Philomanthic Association.

A debating society under the above name, comprised of a number of the youths of this city, desirous of improving their minds and intellects and cultivating that self-confidence which is so necessary in the life of usefulness and responsibility which is before them, was organized in the City Court room last evening, under very favorable auspices. The following officers were elected : ** Rob't Strange, Jr., President.

Frank Fremont, Vice President. R. A. Meares, Corresponding and Recording Secretary.

Martin Willard, Treasurer. The following Committees were appointed On Supervision-F. A. DeRosset, Josep Cronly Pembroke Jones. On Finance - F. A. DeR set, E. D. Engel-

hard, T. Wright Meares. Nineteen members enrolled their names, and Friday evening next was selected for the first debate.

Steamboats on the Cape Fear. The Fayetteville Eagle says: We hear that Saml E Hall, W H Hardy, Willdy Howard. the Cape Fear Line and People's Line of steam-ers on our river are about to consolidate into Johnson, Rachael Johnson one company. A meeting of Stockholders has been called to consider the matter, but we are not advised of the terms proposed nor the result of the meeting. If this union be made it would place five boats in one line and enable this line to run a fast daily line to connect with the railroad here. We would be pleased to have a tri-weekly mall by the river, and we are certain it would be of great bensit to all the sau price.

Johnson, Rachael Johnson

K—Annie Kenan,

L—Elizabeth Locusts, R H Leek,

M—Emma McKinsey, Annie Mince, Catharine Mitchell, Calhoun Miller, Eliza McDaniel Francis Mason, Edward McCulloch, James C Moore, Michael McKenzie, Mary Jame McGrath, Sarah J Masting.

N—Jas Nash, H B Newell.

O—Henry Obrien.

P—Annes Pilkinton, Florence Patterson, John Pate, Isaac Pearsall, John W Potts, Susau Price.

Magnolia, N. C.

Printing and Book Paper. We can furnish printing paper in small quantities, say from two to ten reams, at Hall of the Company. The presentat on address, which was delivered by Mr. J. C. Stevenshop, is said to have been very next and approPrime.

Quantities, say from two to ten reads,
reasonable prices for all strictly cash orders.
We have on hand the following sizes of news,
viz: 22231, 24238 and 24238. Also, fine Book
Paper 22238 and 26239; and 8 good assortment
of other papers and cards.

Our Chip Basket. - Woman's rights in leap year-the rites of

- Who always sits with his hat on before the Queen? Her coachman.

- 1s it murder to drown your sorrows, or to

- Bad habits are thistles of the heart, and every indulgence of them is a seed from which will spring a new crop of weeds. - The number of women studying at the University of Zurich has so greatly increased

of late that they now form a tenth of the ma triculated students. - A hungry New Yorker ran his landlady and her daughter into the street with a Bowie knife because his dinner was late. They should

put a spider in his dumpling. - The latest case of absence of mind is tha of a young lady who, on returning from a walk with her lover, the other evening, rapped him on the face and bade a good night to the door.

- As a stout old lady got out of a crowded omnibus in front of the Astor House, the other day, she exclaimed, "Well, that's a relief any how." To which the driver, eyelog her ample proportions, replied, "So the 'osses think,

Advertising for the People. We would call the attention of the public to tisements, 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 nicating with their several but unknown cus

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.

- Shipping articles for sale at the office of the MORNING STAR.

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LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the City Post Office, March 23,

A-Weslie Avan, Chas Armstrong, Alfred J B-Henry Bessant, Sallie Bell, Maria Bur-on, Margaret Barry, Francis Bruis, Elien ton, Margaret Barry, Francis Bruis, Elien Brantly, Betsy Brown. C-Wm Coppler, Eliza Corbett, Margaret A Chadwick, H H Carter, Elias Cammel, Eliza:

D-Lucinda Davis, Oliver C Deluce, Benja

certain it would be of great benofit to all the country along the river and for many miles on each side. The river mail is semi-weekly at present.

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SHIP LETTERS. Geo H Trott, on board G W Rawley. Capt. Wm. Shepherd, schr Venilla. J J Kennerly, schr Grace Girdler 2. Persons calling for letters in this List will please say "Advertised." Will be sent to Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C., in

30 days, if not called for. ED. R. BRINK, P. M. Wilmington, N. C., March 28, 1872,

- Snow in Salem last Sunday.

A reading club is talked of in

-There is not an unoccupied house in Magnolia, - Falkland, Pitt county, is to

have a Democratic paper. - The skating rink in Raleigh - The Penitentiary muddle at

Raleigh still continues. -Greensboro' rejoices in the possession of a two legged cat. Wonder if she is a good Mouser.

- A horse thief by the name of John Coley was captured in Nash county on Sunday night last.

The Battleboro' Advance says: Alexander Walker, of this county, son of the late Bolling Walker, was killed on the 9th inst., near Nashville, in a difficulty with John Brown. From what we can learn Brown acted entirely in self defense.

-Joseph S. Hobgood, aged 16, son of Capt. Ligon Hobgood, of Granville, died last Thursday from the effects of the terrible burns he received at a kerosene lamp explosion, some months since .-Another sad commentary on the use of explosive oits. So says the Battleboro Ad-

The Magnolia Advertiser says: By a communication received from Rev. Mr. Kennedy, we learn that Mrs. Zilpha Guy, an aged widow lady, dropped dead on the steps of the Baptist Church at Warsaw, on Saturday, the 16th inst., as the congregation was retiring from worship. the Morning Star's charges for short adver- Appoplexy is the supposed cause of her

- The Newbern Times says: On Wednesday the fishing boat Panny Allen, was capsized by a sudden flaw of wind, about a mile from the city, and but for the timely assistance rendered by Capt. Wm. Watson, who went to the rescue of the crew and towed the boat, to which they clung, to the shore, might have perished, as the weather was very cold.

The Danbury Reporter says that a school teacher in Surry county, who carried his dinner with him to the schoolhouse, frequently found his supply of bread short, and suspecting his scholars of appropriating a portion of his staff of life to their own use, had resort to a little tarter emetic in his bread, which soon had the desired effect of exposing the little pilferers to the admiring gaze of the school! The boys who ate the school master's bread, went home hungry.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Southern Express Co., WILMINGTON, N. C.

A HE particular attention of merchants and business men generally is called to the New Tariff of Rates established by the Southern Express Company. By reference to the table it will be seen that a considerable reduction has been made on the rates formerly in force :

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Old Pilot House.

WALKER MOORE takes pleasure in an-nonneing to his friends and the citizens general that he has opened and stirely re-

OLD PILOT HOUSE, Where he will keep on hand a full assortment

min Durant.

E-Catey Ellerby, John Epps, J W Ellis, J Ellis, Moses Ebon, Wm Ettinger, F-Susan Feariar, Samuel B Foy.

G-E S Garner, J Gatllo, Jas Gale, Pentan Gardner, Willie Green, Venus Gallowsy, Wm A Guthrie, register of bankruptcy.

H-C Henry, Caroline Harriss. Corey Hill, Sami E Hall W H Hardy Willdy Howard.

his patrons with the very best the market Medicines! Medicines!

WE ARE RECEIVING PER STEAMER: ladway's Sarsaparilla, Radway's Relief and

Pills, Simmon's Liver Regulator, Holloway's, Flemming's and Bardotte's Form Confections, Vermifuges, &c., &c., &c. 10,000 CORN BAGS, Also, a superbarticle of Bay Rum, Florida

Paints, Oils, Glass and Putty. | 500 BBLS. MESS PORE,

For sale low at GREEN & FLANNER'S

Boots and Shoes T LOW PRICES

And Warmated to be Good DUDLINY & BLEIS, lign of the Big Bo

SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Standard Works.

- Elizabeth City wants a cotton ALLIBONE'S DICTIONARY of AUTHORS. A critical Distionary of English Literature, and British and American Authors, Liv. ing and Deceased.

CYCLOP EDIA of ENGLISH LITERATURE, By Robert Chambers, in two volumes, in ow presented to the public in a thoroughly revised and considerably improved form. HEINSBERGER'S For sale at Live Book and Music Store. mar 22-tf

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LL KINDS OF SADDLES, HARNESS TRUNKS, TRAVELING BAGS, And everything in the line of Saddlery Goods cheap for cash at

J. S. TOPHAM & CO.S. No. 8 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C. feb 6 tfnac

Havana Royal Lottery.

GRAND EXTRAORDINARY DRAWING

To Take Place April 4, 1879.

HIS DRAWING will be composed of only 20,000 TICKLTS. The number of Tickets will be from No. 1 to No. 20,000.

The amount to be distributed will be 750.

600 Dellars, divided into 648 PRIZES, ih

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648 PRIZES \$750,000 PRICES OF TICKETS IN THIS DRAWING : No orders filled for less than One-Tenth Ticket

Idress all orders to BOKNIO & BROTHER, 77 Gravier St., New Orleans, La.
Remit in Registered Letter or Post-Office
Money Order.
Official copy of Drawing sent to every ticket
holder. [feb 28-naclm

MISCELLANEOUS



SEGARS.

Sign of the Indian Chief. No. 6 Market St.

Fayetteville Hotel. THE UNDERCIGNED begs to inform the citizens of Wilmington that he has removed to the large and commodious building, on Hay Street, Fayetteville, N. C., known

FAYETTEVILLE HOTEL The house is now being repaired and will

be farnished throughout with new farniture. Every effort will be made to insure comfort to guests. A. OVERBAUGH, Proprietory

STREET RAILWAY! New Schedule ON AND AFTER THIS DATE, THE FOL-lowing Schedule will be run on the Street

mh 22.1m Late of Exchange Hotel.

Cars will leave corner of Red Cross and Front streets, for Union Depot, at 3 A. M., daily, to meet the Southern train, stopping at the various Hotels and Boarding Houses on the route—leaving the Depot on the arrivation the Northern train. Will leave corner of Front and Red Cross streets again at 5% A. M., for Union Depot, in order to connect with the Northern bound train, making the usual stoppages at the hotels and boarding houses—leaving Union Depot on the arrivat of the Southern train. In the evening will leave corner of Front and Red Cross streets at 6 P. M., making the usual steppages, leaving Union Depot on the arrivat of the Northern train.

buring the day the cars will run the usual schedule, commencing at Wilmington Garden at 7 o'clock, arriving at corner of Hed Cross and Front at 7:20 o'clock, leaving at 7:22% and arriving at Wilmington Garden at 7:42, allowing 15 minutes between each turnout during the day.

Fare 10 cents, to or from Union Depot. Other charges same as formerly.

BANIEL KLEIN,

JUST ARRIVED:

100 BAGS COFFEE,

5,000 BUSHELS CORN, 100,000 POUNDS BACON.

1,000 BBLS. FLOUR, all grades,

AT LOW FIGURES TO THE TRADE. TRY OUR OWN BRANDS FAMILY FLOUR mar 13-dawtf] BINFORD, CROW & CO.

We Have Just Received 30 BBLS. AND HALF BBLS. CHOICE

Dried Peaches, Dried Apple Prunes, Preserves, Jellies, &c., WEST & HARRISS.

ill be charged. Trans—Cash on demand. AMUSEMENTS.

WILMINGTON OPERA HOUSE.

MRS. J. A. OATES Lessee and Manageress.

POSITIVELY EAST DAY of Mrs. JAS. A COMIC OPERA COMPANY.

Saturday. March 98d, Two Grand Perform ances. In the afternoon, at 2 o'clock—Admission 50 cents, Ohldren 25 cents—the Austra Fairy Extravagance. Fortunto and Ris Gifted Servants.

In the evening, at 8 o'clock, Planche's Beau-tiful Musical Comedy, the PLOWER GIRLS OF PARIS.

During the piece Mrs. Oates will sing, by request, her famous song GOOD-BYE, SWEETHEART.

march 13-11

WILMINGTON OPERA HOUSE.

FIVE NIGHTS AND ONE MATINEE, Commencing Tuesday, March 26th.

DeCastro,



LLUSIONIST and VENTRILOQUIST, WIL appear and produce effects strange, mys-tical and incomprehensible, and will also give away each evening

100 COSTLY GIFTS.

Positively the most Liberal Gift Entertainment traveling.
Admission—Dress Circle and Parquette, 50 cents; Gallery, 15 cents. Ar Private Boxes 84 and 86.40 Seats can be secured at P. Heinsberger's Book and Music Store at an additional charge

GRAND MATINEE On Saturday at 2 o'clock. Every child attending will secure a handsome present.

Admission to all parts of the House 25 cents. march 21-tf

AUCTION SALES

VALUABLE Sound Property for Sale.

By BUNTING & McQUIGO. WE WILL SELL at EXCHANGE CORNER on SATURDAY, the 23d instant, at 11 o'clock A. M., to close a Mortgage, that VALUABLE FARM on MIDDLE SOUND, adjoining the lands of C. C. Morse and Wm. B. Giles, containing one hund, ed acres, forty of which is in a high state of cultivation, with Two-Story Ewelling, Kitchen and necessary out buildings. Also ten lots, each containing ten acres, near the above.

TERMS.-Half Cash, balance one and two

MISCELLANEOUS. The Newest Style: THE BROADWAY SILK HAT!

CLOTHING! FINE DRESS SUITS!

Suits Made to Order.

GLOVES, TIES, &c., SPRING OVERCOATS. MUNSON & CO.,

City Clothing Store, 38 Market St

" ROCKINGHAM

THE ABOVE GOODS-4x4 WIDE-MANU-factured by the "Great Falls M mufactu-ring Company" of Bockingham, N. C., are UNSURPASSED IN QUALITY AND FINISH By any Brown Sheetings Made in this Countar.

As Agents of the Company we keep a sup-ply constantly on hand, handsomely put up in Bales of L(to Yards each, FOR SALE AT FACTORY PRICES orders are respectfully solicited. DEROSSET & CO. march 20 dtf nac2taw-We Sat-Wim

WANTS.

WANTEB-26 MEN, at Kidder's Brick Yard; wages, \$1 00 per day; none but good men need apply. MATHAS & CO.

WANT TO SELL-2,000 Yards of MAT-TING White, Fancy and C R., all sizes, 4x4, 5x4, 6x4-just received by steamer. march 21-3t GRANT & COWAN.

WANTED Five Boot and Shoe Bakers, to which good wages and steady employment will be given; none but good workmen need apply.

J. W. HEWETT, mh 16-Iw* Lippitt's Building, S. F. St.

WANTED-IMMEDIATELY-A No. 1 Turpentine Distiller and four Pise Barrel
Coopers. Apply to J. R. PHILLIPS & BRO.,
Cartersville, W., C. & A. R. R., S. C., or
To Struct & Hisson, Wilmington, N. C.

FOR SALE OR RE

WANTED-From 5 to 20 Cords White or Red Oak Bark, by the 1st of May. J. W. HEWETT, m 16 lw* Lippitt's Building, S. Front St.