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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.
April 8, 1872.

Time.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Weather
7 A. M.	30:06	63	S W Light	Fair
2 P. M.	30:02	77	S W Brisk	Fair
9 P. M.	30:03	70	S Fresh	Fair

Mean Temp. of day, 70 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, April 8—4:35 P. M.

Probabilities.

The lowest barometer over Iowa will move northeastwardly into Canada, with fresh to brisk winds over the lake region; cloudy weather, with rain, will probably continue on Tuesday over the New England and Middle States, with easterly to southerly winds; partially cloudy but pleasant weather is probable for the Southern States, with southerly winds; rising barometer, northwesterly winds and clearing weather will extend eastward over the Mississippi valley by Tuesday morning and probably to Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee and the western Gulf States by Tuesday evening.

Dangerous winds are not anticipated.

THE CITY.

The Reading Room

Of the Wilmington Library Association is open daily during the week from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M., from 4 to 6 P. M., and from 7½ to 10 P. M.

PROFITABLE ADVERTISING.

We call the attention of the business men of Wilmington to the superior advantages offered by

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.

We solicit a call from those who wish to place their business prominently before the people of this section, confident that we can offer inducements that cannot fail to please.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DUDLEY & ELLIS, Sign of the Big Boot—"Joyce" Gaiters.

WM. M. POISSON.—St. John's Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.—Emergent Meeting.

SEE new advertisement under the caption "Lost and Found."

The Republican City Convention.

The Republican City Convention for the nomination of candidates for Aldermen to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, which commenced its session at the City Hall yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, finally adjourned about 9 o'clock last night. We expected nothing else than a stormy session. It would have been entirely out of the Radical style of doing business had it resulted otherwise; but we must confess that we were not prepared for such scenes of wrangling and confusion as prevailed, and which disgusted all decent members of the party.

George W. Price, Jr., presided over the meeting and James Heaton acted as Secretary. Several delegates had talked themselves hoarse before an organization was effected, but there were plenty other orators to fill their places, who displayed their oratorical powers and tested the strength of their lungs in the most approved style. Nominations were made and rescinded and made again during the afternoon, the names finally agreed upon being as follows: Owen Burney, colored, from the 1st Ward; Bernard Rumley from the 2d Ward; Joseph E. Sampson, colored, from the 3d Ward; James Wilson, from the 4th Ward; Wm. H. Thurbur, colored, from the 5th Ward, and Ed. R. Brink for the city at large. There were three candidates before the Convention for the latter nomination, viz: E. R. Brink, A. H. Morris and Hezekiah Reid, colored. On the first ballot there was a tie between the two first, when Mr. Morris withdrew his name. At this stage of the proceedings the Fifth Ward delegates withdrew from the Convention, and would have nothing more to do with it. Another ballot was then taken, when Col. Brink received the nomination.

Taking it for granted that all the above candidates will be elected and that the Conservatives will only succeed in electing four members, it is generally conceded that Mr. James Wilson will be our next Mayor. The contest for the Marshalship will lie between W. P. Canaday, the present incumbent; Lewis Nixon, colored, and John Whiteman, colored.

An Involuntary Bath.

Yesterday afternoon, about 6 o'clock, a colored boy, about 15 or 16 years old, was walking on a pile of wood near the edge of the wharf at the foot of Princess street, when the wood rolled and Cuffy was plunged head foremost into the river. Fortunately there were several colored men in the vicinity at the time and one of them reached a pole to the involuntary bather, who seized it and was drawn to the wharf, while another colored man succeeded in fishing him out. It was a narrow escape, as the boy was about exhausted when he reached *terra firma*.

Daily Dispatch.

The first two numbers of the above paper, published at Charlotte, N. C., by Messrs. D. Bradford & Co., have come to hand. The *Dispatch* is of good size, is neatly printed and bears evidence in its editorials and selections that it will be a live, wide-awake sheet. It is Democratic in politics.

Ladies' Benevolent Society.

The officers and visitors of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, are requested to attend the usual monthly meeting of the Society on Tuesday afternoon, the 9th inst., at the residence of John A. Taylor, at 4 o'clock.

— False happiness renders men stern and proud, and that happiness is never communicated. True happiness renders them kind and sensible, and that happiness is always shared.

Local Dots.

— Dolly Varden cock-tails is the latest agony.

— Fish were abundant in market yesterday.

— Yesterday was decidedly the warmest day of the season.

— There was no session of the City Court yesterday.

— The Court House fence is undergoing repairs.

— The office of the Register of Deeds is receiving a neat coat of whitewashing.

— This is the last month of oysters, and they will not be in season again until September.

— People who advertise only once in three months, forget that most folks don't remember anything longer than about seven days.

— Some assert that the Republican city ticket is strong because it has a Sampson in it; but it is, nevertheless, on the Brink of ruin.

— We are reliably informed that a Conservative city convention will be called in a few days.

— It is announced that the regular ball of the German Association will take place on Wednesday evening next, the 10th inst.

— Henry Berry Lowrey's *widow* was reported in the city yesterday, and it was further rumored that she would leave for Fayetteville this morning.

— The Rev. M. B. Grier preached at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, and in the evening he delivered a discourse at the colored Presbyterian Church, on Chestnut street.

— An exciting runaway occurred on North Water street yesterday morning. The horse had about as much as he could manage, a hogshead of molasses being on the dray at the time, and which kept its position until the animal was stopped.

— A little white child received a severe cut over the forehead on Sunday from the bat of a colored juvenile base ballist. The blow was accidental, but if such games are to be allowed on Sunday those who engage in them should learn to be more careful.

— We heard no less than three "fire-tried" Republicans pronounce the convention held yesterday a *circus*. Now, we want to know what the party propose to do with these recalcitrant brothers.

— At the accumulation of cumulative "sufferers" accumulated at the City Hall yesterday, Col. William Thomas Cutlar made the following eloquent remark: "Some ob dese Republicans is a workin' de diabolicalest wire dat eber *was* worked."

— The New Orleans *Picayune* of the 5th inst. says, referring to the Grand Extraordinary Drawing of the Havana Lottery: The first dispatch received yesterday from Havana already announces one of the capital prizes to have been won in our city, $25,000. The lucky number, 6,917, found itself among orders filled by Mr. Manuel Bornio, first sub-collector for exportation in Havana, through his correspondents, Messrs. Bornio & Brother, 77 Gravier street. 1t

The Oldest Mason.

This question has been agitating the fraternity for sometime past and several places in this State and South Carolina have put in claims to the honor of possessing among its inhabitants the oldest living Mason. From the following it will be seen that as the matter now stands Mayesville, S. C., is entitled to the "championship":

MAYESVILLE, S. C., April 6, 1872.

Editor Star: From the numerous paragraphs lately appearing in the papers relative to the oldest Mason now living, it may be inferred that the subject is one of interest to the fraternity. The Marion papers claim this position for Gen. Wm. Evans, who was made a Mason in 1825.

Salem Lodge No. 141, at Mayesville, S. C., claims to have one member, *a regular attendant* at its meetings, who is several years the senior of General Evans, of Marion. I refer to my venerable father, Matthew P. Mayes, Sr., who was raised to the Sublime Degree in Hiram Lodge No. 40, at Raleigh, N. C., in the year 1816, month and day not recollected, thus making him a Mason of 56 years.

You will please insert this note for the benefit of all interested in the subject.

J. A. MAYES.

Fashion Twinklings.

Bonnets and round hats are so much alike in shape and trimming this season that it is very difficult to tell which is which.

Mosaic and cameo jewelry is very much in fashion this year, and is set with pearls and diamonds in the red burnished gold.

In Germany the dress coat has been discarded, and gentlemen now appear at evening parties in short black frock coats.

Pointed and scalloped flounces are the latest style of trimming dresses, and make the ladies look like small perambulating awnings.

The old fashioned style of necklaces, worn by our grandmothers, of several rows of small gold beads, are all the rage at present.

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

CUMULATIVE "SUFFERERS."

A High Old Time, in the Midst of Which we are Requested to "Git Farder."

"Building Lots for Sale by James Wilson!" This was the Slogan yesterday as those brilliant students of political ethics, the Republicans of Wilmington, assembled in the City Hall. And great was the excitement among the Cumulative "Sufferers."

It was a beautiful spectacle! It was harmony, decency and intellect personified! Words, it was impossible to hear; and the acts of these statesmen cannot be described on paper.

After a disgraceful wrangle of an hour's duration in the City Hall, the assembled wisdom of the Republicans of Wilmington adjourned to the City Court Room below, where, with Spartan courage and more than tragic air, Cheap Jimuel Heaton arose and moved that, in order that the Convention might go into secret caucus, all Democrats be requested to leave the room. Colonel William Thomas Cutlar, the orator of the day, said he was opposed to this motion because Mr. Washington (supposed to be a vague reference to the old General) had said that all men were free and equal. But the dele-*gates* were remorseless. They had a *big heat on*; and having "smelt the blood of an Englishman, dead or alive they must have some." So the motion was put, and a few feeble nays formed the only ray of consolation to the Democratic martyrs who were thus sacrificed.

Crest-fallen and subdued, with rueful countenances and moistened eyes, seven Conservatives and Democrats took up their beds and "got further."

It was a sorrowful sight—them seven Conservatives and Democrats "getin' further"—and thirteen of the brethren, near the door, each of whom wanted our votes on a split-ticket for Sheriff, said it was de d—dest outrage eber dey see.

But the climax is yet to be reached: twenty-two venerable colored gemmans who derive their intellectual sustenance from a daily perusal of the MORNING STAR, drew their bandannas from their heads; and then flowed the tears of pearly dew.

We couldn't stand that; so we continued to "get further," soliloquising as we wandered, *Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori.*

Our Chip Basket.

— Receipt for rosy cheeks—out-door exercise.

— Which is the uglist hood ever worn? Falsehood.

— The mother's heart gives 4th joy at the baby's 1st 2th; and "y" not.

— "Come where my love lies dreaming," and see how she looks without paint on her face.

— When is butter like Irish children? When it is made into little Pats.

— Sir John Davie, in a poem on dancing, written in 1396, describes the polka minutely, just as it is danced among us now.

— A boy named his dog "Paste." "Why do you give him such a name?" he was asked.—"Because I want him to stick to me," was the reply.

— The "Leap Year" or new mode of eating philopœnas is, for the young lady to hold the almond between her teeth and the young man to bite it off.

— A poem entitled "The Strains the Angels Sing" is going the rounds. If it strains the angels as much to sing it as it does the mortals who read it, they don't sing it often.

— A lady who loved Bulwer, entered a bookstore just as one of the clerks had killed a large rat. "I wish to see 'What will He Do with It?'" said she to a boy behind the counter. "Well," said the boy, "if you'll step to the window you will probably see him sling it into the back lot."

— A painter, being asked to estimate the cost of painting a certain house, drew forth pencil and paper and made the following calculation: "A naught is a naught; three into five twice you can't; I'll paint your house for fifty dollars."

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the City Post Office, April 8th, 1872:

B—Miss Adeline Beasly, care Wm Bell, Stanley Boyd, Mrs Cynthia Brown, Richard A Brown, Nick Brown, Mrs Mary M Bridlow, Miss Louisa Brown, L A Badger, Iria Bryant, John P Berry, James Best, Wm Davis, care Chas Bradley, Doctor Baker, Ben Brooker, Bennett Boon, 2; Bronson & Brothers, Ann Bradley.

C—Addison Clark, Mrs Maria Curden, Miss Sophia Harts, care W Chinnis; A P Cropper, Congdon, Hazard & Co.

D—Aaron Davis, Isaac M Davis, Jacob Dinsmore, Noah Dickson.

E—Louisa A Jackson, care Mrs Nancy Evelyn; Mrs Caroline Eaton, Susan G E Elson.

F—Thos Fox, 3.

G—James Guthrie, 2; J D Griffin, S K Green, John Grainger, T Gibson.

H—Miss Annie Harper, Miss Amey Heath, Chas Hooper, Dolly Hagerty, Elizabeth Huhn, Harriet Perkins, care John W Hunter; J C Hawthorn, John Howard, Isaac Harrison, Wm Hook, Isaac Hutchinson, Joshua Harris.

J—Ned Jones, Clara Jones, John Chavis, Thos Jenkins, Cora Jackson, Miss Bettie L Jackson.

K—Kassidy & Co, Wm King, Geo Keenega, Mrs M F King.

L—C C Lucas.

M—Robert Moore, Miss Mary A Miller, Mrs Martha A Melton, J P Maslebeau, J B McMillan, John Murrell, John Merritt, Daniel McNeil, Charles Troy, care Dick McRae; Stephen Morton, Miss Bettie Millan.

N—Winslow Nixon, Ann M Craig, care J M Newton, 2.

O—Geo Overbaugh, Isaac Outlaw.

P—Miss Ann Palmer, Miss Caroline Potter, Gaston Price.

R—Alonzo Redd, Gilbert Roberts, Mrs Mary Robinson, Miss Susan Robeson.

S—Mrs Agnes Sanford, Emanuel Smith, Mrs Elerbee Steward, J J Sawyer, Mrs Wm Stewart, Wm R Smith.

T—Ellis Timerlo, Mrs Amy Thomas.

W—Andrew Walker, Mrs C V Welton, Jno H Wilder, Nancy Waters, Victor Wolf, Rev Woalt Walker.

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., April 9, 1872.

SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE.

— Statesville want a good tailor.

— Capt. W. H. Harrison is a candidate for re-election to the Mayoralty of Raleigh.

— Newbern supplies the Raleigh fish market.

— Gen. Bradley T. Johnson and lady are in Raleigh.

— Newbern claims that its fish market is superior to any in the State.

— The young men of Goldsboro' are to have a grand picnic on the 2nd day of May.

— Ex-Sheriff W. S. Ballinger died at his residence in Craven county on Friday night.

— Col. J. F. Hoke is spoken of as a candidate for Congress in the Charlotte district.

— The Elm City Boat Club of Newbern are getting ready for their Spring exercises.

— Mr. T. R. Waring, well and favorably known in Raleigh, is the local editor of the Charlotte *Democrat*.

— The Board of Directors of the Penitentiary have ordered work to commence in building the outer wall.

— R. F. Furman, Esq., of the Louisville *Courier*, is "talked of" for Secretary of State.

— Andrew C. Syme, of Raleigh, is prominently mentioned as candidate for Secretary of State.

— T. B. Bailey, Esq., is to deliver the address on the occasion of the I. O. O. F. celebration in Raleigh on the 26th inst.

— The Kinston *American Gazette*, in its last issue, announces that henceforth it will advocate Democratic principles. Good!

— The Goldsboro *Messenger* says: The farmers in this section are very backward in their crops. We also hear complaints about the scarcity of laborers.

— The ladies of Snow Hill propose to revive the Sabbath school at that place, which was discontinued during the winter months.

— There is to be a grand temperance demonstration in Raleigh on the occasion of the lecture of Hon. S. F. Carey, of Ohio, on the 16th inst.

— The annual pony pennings on the banks below Beaufort takes place May 10th, June 10th, July 10th, and August 10th.

— Intelligence arrived at Statesville, Thursday morning, that a woman had been found somewhere in the northern portion of the county, with her throat cut and life extinct.

— On Friday the State Treasurer paid $15,000 to the Board of Directors for the State Penitentiary. The requisition was signed by the Governor and approved by what is known as the Caldwell Board of Directors. So says the *News*.

— Col. S. D. Pool of the Newbren *Journal of Commerce* is under political disabilities, and will not allow his name to go before the Greensboro Convention in connection with the office of Secretary of State.

— The Charlotte *Democrat* says: After expending $40,000, developing the long abandoned Portis gold mine, in Nash county, Col. Sturges, a Northern man, has struck a new vein which is likely to yield some millions of dollars of the "filthy needful."

— Lewis Witherspoon, of Catawba county, who turned State's evidence before Judge Bond's Ku Klux Court in Raleigh last fall, has gone hopelessly insane, and is now an inmate of the Asylum at Raleigh. So says the Charlotte *Dispatch*.

— The *Sentinel* says: "We learn from Capt. Exline, of Chatham, that the new steamer, George Lobdell, will be launched at Lockville, on the 15th inst., and make her trial trip the same day to Buckhorn." The *Sentinel* thinks the new steamer should be called after Judge Archibald Murphy, who, fifty years ago, first conceived the idea of navigating the Upper Cape Fear.

— The Raleigh *News*, referring to the Deaf and Dumb Asylum, says: A meeting of the Board of Directors for this institution was called for Saturday evening for the purpose of taking the necessary steps for a partial closing of the institution, a move rendered imperative from the fact that the Governor refuses to furnish the funds to carry it on. The Board will, however, as they are in duty bound to do, remain in possession of the institution and grounds, depending upon the charities of our citizens for the support of a few of the inmates dependent upon the State for support.

DIED.

HALL.—In this city, on Sunday, April 7th, of Typhoid Fever, Charles Bahnson, little son of Samuel G. and Mary F. Hall, aged 4 years, 2 months and 24 days.

Beyond the leopard's haunts and the lion's den the little fellow is now playing.

DR. SAGE'S CATARRH REMEDY is no Patent Medicine humbug, gotten up to dupe the ignorant and credulous, but is a perfect Specific for Nasal Catarrh, "Cold in the head," and kindred diseases.

A Glorious Record.—Twelve years ago a few modest lines in a New York Journal invited public attention to a new Vegetable Restorative, and solicited a trial of its merits as a remedy for indigestion, biliousness, fever and ague, debility, nervous disorders, rheumatism, and all complaints requiring invigorating and regulating treatment. In this quiet, unpretentious way, PLANTATION BITTERS was introduced to the world. It was a success from the beginning. All that was claimed for it as a tonic, a corrective and antidote to malarious fever, was found to be strictly true. Within five years the annual sales of this article amounted to over *One Million of Bottles. A few years more and the* demand had swelled to *five millions*. The annual consumption of the bitters has now reached the almost incredible aggregate of SIX MILLIONS OF BOTTLES, and for every bottle sold a copy of the ILLUSTRATED MEDICAL ANNUAL, published by the proprietors, at a cost of $150,000, is given away. [Tu Th Sat

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge, No. 1.
F. & A. M.

EMERGENT MEETING THIS (Tuesday) Evening, at 7½ o'clock, for work in the Master's degree.
By order of the W. M.
WM. M. POISSON,
ST. JOHN'S HALL, April 9-1t Secretary.

"Joyce" Gaiters!

THESE fashionable Gaiters, of the finest serge—both laced and Congress—made to our order—give the best satisfaction wherever sold.
For sale by DUDLEY & ELLIS,
ap 9-tf Sign of the Big Boot.

German Ball.

THE regular Ball of the German Association will be held on Wednesday evening next, April 10th.
Only members admitted.
H. OHLANDT,
WM HOTTENDORF, } Com.
C. SCHULKEN,
ap 9-2t

Saddlery.

ALL 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,
feb 6-tfnac Wilmington, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

AT A. D. BROWN'S,

THE LARGEST ASSSORTMENT OF MILLINERY and Millinery Goods in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE largest assortment of Ribbons and Flowers in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE handsomest assortment of PARASOLS in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE handsomest assortment of WHITE GOODS in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE largest assortment of CORSETS in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE largest stock of KID GLOVES in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE largest assortment of LADIES' UNDER-GARMENTS and HOOP SKIRTS in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE largest assortment of LADIES' HAIR FIXINGS in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

THE best assortment of WHITE TRIMMINGS, HOSIERY and NOTIONS in the city at A. D. BROWN'S.

ONE PRICE! TERMS CASH!
apr 7-tf Exchange Corner.

IN STORE,

12,000 BUSHELS CORN, 8,000 Bushels Oats,
1,200 BBLS. FLOUR, 200 Barrels Pork,
95 BOXES D. S. SIDES AND SHOULDERS,
50 HHDS. SMOKED SIDES and SHOULDERS,
75 BBLS. WHISKEY and BRANDY, 25 Bbls Kerosene Oil,
550 SACKS COFFEE, 150 Hhds. and Bbls. Sugars,
1,500 SPIRIT CASKS, 2,300 Bundles Hoop,
150 BBLS. GLUE, 100 Tierces, Kegs and Tubs Lard,
200 BOXES CANDLES, 250 boxes Oysters,
100 CASES FRESH PEACHES, 200 Cases Brandy Peaches,
150 BOXES and BBLS. CRACKERS, 250 Hhds. and Bbls. S. H. Molasses,
150 HHDS. and BBLS. CUBA MOLASSES, 100 Tierces and Barrels Rice, &c., &c., &c.,
For sale by F. W. KERCHNER,
ap 7-tf 27, 28 and 29 North Water St.

H. BURKHIMER,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL DEALER IN
Tobacco, Snuff AND SEGARS.
Sign of the Indian Chief,
april 7-tf No. 6 Market St.

Citizens' Market—Removal.

THE CITIZENS' MARKET, formerly located on Market street, has been removed to the corner of Second and Princess Streets, adjoining the Carolina House. Fresh meats of all kinds always on hand, and will be delivered anywhere in the city.
april 7-1w FLETCHER TILLEY.

Onion Setts!

PIERCE'S MEDICAL GOLDEN DISCOVERY,
Garden Seed!
PAINTS, OILS, DYES, GLASS AND PUTTY, AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
GREEN & FLANNER,
april 6-tf Market Street.

AUCTION SALES.

Commissioner's Sale.

CRONLY & MORRIS, AUC'TRS.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE SUperior Court of New Hanover county, made at June term 1871, the undersigned Commissioner will sell, Tuesday, April 23, 1872, at public auction for cash, at Exchange Corner, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following described piece of

REAL ESTATE,

situated near the limits of this city:
Beginning at a stake in the Old Newbern Road at James L. Mills' corner, running thence North 0.40m. East thirty-seven chains and eighty-five links; thence South 89 degs. 40m. East fifteen chains and eighty-seven links to a stake; thence South 0.40m., West thirty six chains and fifty-five links to a stake in the Old Newbern Road, thence along said road South 87, West fifteen chains and eighty-seven links to a stake, thence South 70 degs. 45m West, four chains and fifty links to the beginning, containing 60 ACRES, more or less.
The above described property is situated upon the North side of Old Newbern Road, and is a portion of what is known as the

WEST HALL TRACT,

containing SIXTY ACRES, portion of which is under fence, with a good

NEW DWELLING HOUSE

thereon and all necessary OUT-HOUSES.
Parties desirous of purchasing will be shown the property upon application to
M. CRONLY, Com'r.
Wilmington, N. C., March 19, 1872.
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Auction Sale.

By BUNTING & McQUIGG,
AUCTIONEERS AND AGENTS.

ON TUESDAY, April 9th, 1872 at half-past 9 o'clock, A. M., we will sell at our Sales Room, No 3. North Water street, a large consignment of

Clothing and Dry Goods,

All new and in prime order, consisting of
Coats, Pants, Vests, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Calico, Pants Cloth, Shirts, Socks and Notions. Dealers Will Please Notice.
SALE POSITIVE—TERMS CASH.
ap 7-2t

Molasses and Syrup.

650 HHDS.
Muscovado Molasses
—AND—
S. H. SYRUP.
For sale very low by
june 21-tf WILLARD BROS.

For Sale,

THREE PRIME DRAY HORSES—
NO BETTER IN THE CITY.
Apply to
march 31-tf O. G. PARSLEY & CO.

For Sale and for Rent.

A DESIRABLE HOUSE, in a good locality, with good well and cistern water on the premises, can be rented.
The FURNITURE, which is very desirable and nearly new, will be disposed of at private sale at a bargain. Apply at the STAR office.
april 3-3t

Union Boarding House,

ON THE CORNER of FOURTH and HARNETT STREETS, five minutes walk to Union or Charlotte Depots.
Single Meals, 50 cents; Lodgings, 50 cents, and $25 per month for regular boarders.
april 6-1m* THOMAS JENKINS.

5,000 Pounds
N. C. HOG ROUND;
ORANGES AND LEMONS,
—AT—
J. C. STEVENSON'S,
apr4-tf Market, bet. Front and Second.

SPRINGS AT HOME!
Mineral Waters!!

SARATOGA WATER, on draught and in bottles, on ice; Vichy and Kissengen Waters.
Also, Wilbor's Cod Liver Oil, Horsford's Acid Phosphates, Atwood's Quinine Tonic, Ferrated Bark, Camphor, Castor Oil, and a large lot of English and American Soaps and Toilette Goods, sold by
McILHENNY & WRIGHT,
Wholesale Druggists and Chemists,
(Lippitt's Old Stand,)
ap 5-tf N. E. Cor. Front and Market Sts.

Just from Steamer,

FLOUR, CIDER, APPLES, TURNIPS,
Onions, Lemons, Beans, Potatoes,
Cheese, Candy, Prize-Candy,
Paper Bags, &c., &c.
IN STORE,
Snuff and Tobacco,
Wood and Willow Ware,
Candies, Matches, Canned
Goods, Pickles and Preserves,
STATIONERIES, &c.
mar 28-tf HEIDE BROS.

P. O., WILMINGTON, N. C., March 31, 1872.

From this date the mails will close as follows:

Northern Morning Mail.....5 A. M.
Northern Night Mail.....8 P. M.
Southern Mail.....3 P. M
mar 31-tf ED. R. BRINK, P. M.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Saturday evening, in the street, our Cash Book. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it.
ap 9-1t* BUNTING & McQUIGG.