

THE MORNING STAR. PUBLISHED DAILY BY WM. H. BERNARD.

Importers must appear personally at the Custom House and make oath to ownership of goods. President has the Manitoba case under advisement.

Imports gain some advantages. A Custom House officer killed a man in Baltimore. Fire at Lake City, Fla. Carlists gain some advantages.

First bales Florida and Georgia cotton going into Savannah. New York markets: Gold 115 3/4; spirits turpentine 42 1/2 cts.; rosin 43 90 @ 95.

Below we give the returns. Returns given in full in another place.

Majority for Amendments 155, with Carver's Creek township to hear from. Five of the eight townships have elected Conservative officers.

Johnsonville, Harnett county, 60 for Amendments, none against. Wayne county gives about 250 majority for the Amendments.

Overwhelming majority for Amendments. The highest vote in any township against was 6, excepting the 4th Amendment which seems not to have been understood in many counties.

We have received an invitation from the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry to attend the eightieth anniversary celebration of that gallant old company on the 23d inst.

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of death on the 10th of June, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

We are afraid we will miss a splendid opportunity of teaching the young idea how to shoot, but it really seems now, boys, that we can't be with you "in the flesh" whatever we do in the spirit.

Fatal Affray and Singular Circumstances. A difficulty occurred in the forks of Wateree, on Friday last, between Messrs. Hayes and Brown, in which the latter was killed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. W. J. TOOMER—W. S. F. E. Co. No. 1. W. M. STEVENSON—Crockery at Cost.

MAYOR'S COURT. The following cases were disposed of yesterday morning: Wm. Myers and Charles Wilson, seamen, charged with disorderly and riotous proceedings near the foot of Dock street on Friday morning last, were found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of \$30 and the costs each.

John Newman and Robert Maginny, charged with fighting and other disorderly conduct on the streets Saturday night, were found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$10 and costs each.

Isaac Hines, charged with drunkenness, cursing and other disorderly conduct on the street, was found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$3 and the costs.

Charles Wilson, charged with insulting Officer Lawrence Allen while in the discharge of his duty, was found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$50. Appealed to the Superior Court.

Colored Odd Fellows' Celebration. The colored Odd Fellows of this city celebrated their anniversary yesterday. The parade through the streets was in fine style.

On the Shoals. The steamer Rebecca Clyde, Capt. Childs, which sailed from this port on Saturday last for Baltimore, got aground on what is known as the Horse-Shoe Shoals, between New Inlet and the Light House on Saturday evening, about 8 o'clock.

For Europe. We learn that Silas N. Martin, Esq., who has been absent at the North for some weeks for the benefit of his health, is expected to leave for Europe on the 23rd inst., the expected relief not having been experienced at the watering place and other health resorts he has visited.

Fruit Thieves. The Wilmington Garden has suffered severely lately from the depredations of thieves. The proprietor lost nearly a bushel of fine pairs from one tree on Saturday night.

ELECTION RETURNS. We continue to give such returns as come to hand. The following is the official vote of Robeson for and against the Amendments to the Constitution:

TOWNSHIP OF LUMBERTON. The following is the result of the election for Township officers in the Township of Lumberton. The Conservatives had no ticket in the field for Township officers:

WILMINGTON—Magistrates, Wm. M. Harris, Anthony Howe, W. J. Kellogg, W. H. Moore, T. M. Gardner, W. A. Green and J. J. Cassidy; Clerk, S. T. Potts; Constable, Sol. W. Nash; School Committee, S. N. Martin, Jas. H. Chadbourne and Alfred Howe.

MASONBORO—Magistrates, Elijah Hewlett, J. G. Wagner; Clerk, Jno. J. Hewlett; Constable, Jeremiah Hewlett; School Committee, H. M. Bishop, H. Leonard, Jno. G. Wagner.

HARNETT—Magistrates, W. W. Humphrey, Del. Nixon; Clerk, Dan. C. Davis; Constable, Joseph Highsmith; School Committee, Sol. Reeves, Jesse Lowe, R. B. Freeman.

CAPE FEAR—Magistrates, H. E. Scott, M. Ward; Clerk, Samuel Robinson; Constable, Wm. Moore; School Committee—H. E. Scott, Isaac Nixon, Wright Dixon.

ROCKY POINT—Magistrates, J. B. McPherson, A. Gamber; Clerk, Geo. Hill; Constable, Geo. Carr; School Committee, A. Gamber, W. Moore and Matthew Carr.

COLUMBIA—Magistrates—Geo. W. Bordeaux, C. M. Galloway; Clerk, R. W. Moore; Constable, C. J. Costin; School Committee, R. H. Murphy, Henry Moore and Archibald Walker.

CASWELL—Magistrates, Jas. Thompson, Jas. J. Pridden; Clerk, Henry Hall; Constable, A. W. Horrell; School Committee, J. W. Colvin, Cubit Berry and Alonzo Brown.

UNION—Magistrates, S. C. Fillyaw, Rufus Garrison; Clerk, Jno. D. Powers; Constable, W. L. Rivenbark; School Committee, Edward Garrison, Jno. W. Malpass, I. H. Alderman.

Local Dots. The Schtz J. D. Williams sailed from New York for this port on August 8th.

MURDER IN ROBESON. Floyd Oxendine, son of Jim Oxendine, both well-known mulatto residents of Robeson county, was shot and killed yesterday morning, about 7 o'clock, near his father's residence at Baroka station, on the Carolina Central Railroad, in that county.

Explosion of a Can of Kerosene Oil. A narrow escape from death, and a colored woman by the name of Johnson, residing on Fifth, between Red Cross and Campbell streets, was severely injured yesterday by the explosion of a can of kerosene oil.

Mr. Butler, of Bladen. Some week or two since we announced the fact, as it had been reported to us, that Messrs. Needham Bryant and son, of Bladen county, had been arrested on suspicion of having committed the assault upon Mr. John Butler, near Bladenboro.

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For Smithville. STRAIGHT FIRE FLY WILL LEAVE O. G. PARLEY & Co's wharf on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday EVENINGS, at 4 o'clock, precisely.

WIL. STEAM F. E. COMPANY NO. 1. AN ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE ENGINE HOUSE (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Crockery at Cost. FOR A FEW DAYS I WILL SELL MY ENTIRE STOCK AT COST FOR CASH.

Ladies' Belts. ADAMS' AND GENT'S TRUNKS, SATCHELS, SHAW STRAPS, BELT-SATCHELS, &c., at the Saddle and Harness Factory of J. S. Toppin & Co., No. 5 South Front St., Wilmington, N. C.

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Spirits Turpentine. Goldsboro' young men propose a military company.

The Charlotte Military Institute will be revived under the superintendency of Col. J. P. Thomas, with Gen. D. H. Hill for Professor of Mathematics, so says the Observer.

The following new Postoffices are announced: Ashpole, Robeson county; Wolf Knob, McDowell county; Chimney Rock, Rutherford county; Lee, Madison county; Centfort, Jones county; Fall Creek, Onslow county.

The Newbern Times relates a death from a singular cause. Robert S. Taylor, of Craven county, left Newbern Saturday before last in company with Mr. Thomas Grover, in the latter's boat.

STATESVILLE INTELLIGENCER: John J. Snider recently died at the poor house in this county at the advanced age of one hundred and six years.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING. One Square one day... \$1 00. One Square one week... \$7 00. One Square one month... \$24 00.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. The Mystery Solved at Last! At Cost! AT COST! AT COST! At Solomon Levy's Store! Save at Least 25 per Cent.

MISCELLANEOUS. FOR RENT, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, FOR ONE YEAR. ROOMS, situated on the south side of Water, between Front and Second streets, Kitchen, Bath, &c., upon the premises.

Fresh Arrivals! CALL AND EXAMINE CHARLES D. MYERS & CO'S SEASONABLE LIQUIDS, Consisting in part of Strawberry, Raspberry and Lemon Syrups.

CORN! BACON! SYRUP! MOLASSES! Just Received, 20,000 Bushels Mixed and White CORN, 25,000 lbs. Smoked C. R. SIDES, 25,000 lbs. SHOULDERS.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY OF WILMINGTON. PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE UNTIL WEDNESDAY, the 12th inst., for keeping all the ditch inside of the limits of the city cleaned out.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C. ALL BILLS CONTRACTED BY AUTHORITY of the late Board of Aldermen, previous to the 1st of May, 1873, will be presented at once for payment.

2d Market. I WILL OFFER TO THE FRIENDS AND PATRONS OF 2d Market some of the FINEST BEEF of Western North Carolina, on Saturday, 9th inst., and running through next week.

GREEN & FLANNER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Varnish, GLASS, PUTTY, GOLD LEAF, PATENTS AND VARNISHES, BRUSHES, SEEDS, MINERAL WATERS, &c.

CORN AND OATS. 10,000 BUSHELS WHITE AND YELLOW CORN, 1000 BUSHELS OATS. Now landing ex schooner Stephen G. Hart.