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**OUTLINES.**  
The vessel sunk nine miles from Bald Head light was the Virginia. The prisoners were landed yesterday from the ship at New York. The New York Herald thinks its correspondent, Mr. Keeler, missing between Santiago and Manzanillo, was murdered. A Cuban dispatch states that he jumped off the steamer. The Virginia prisoners were released on arrival. Seven persons killed in a fight between Americans and Mexicans in New Mexico. New York markets: Cotton, 16 1/2@16 1/4; gold, 110 1/2. South Carolina is agitating the reassembling of the Tax Payers' Convention of 1871.

Caleb Cushing has been selected to represent this Government at Madrid, on account of the serious complication that must inevitably grow out of the Virginia affair. So says a Washington telegram to the Richmond Enquirer. The dispatches of last night indicate that the policy of the Administration will be to suggest reforms in Cuba.

**A MYSTERY.**  
**Rebecca Harding Davis Drowns Herself in a Cistern—Something Strange About It.**  
Mrs. May Robinson, a literary woman, committed suicide in Ypsilanti, Mich., a few days since, drowning herself in a cistern. She was nearly thirty years of age, and had passed an eventful career. Her maiden name was Barlow, and at the age of sixteen she married William Stevens, of Wayne. With him she lived several years, but they lived unhappily, and six years ago they were divorced, she retaining the custody of their children, aged respectively seven and five years. Leaving these with her mother, she went to Ohio, and acted as a detective in the United States secret service. On the 20th of last month Mrs. Stevens was married in Ypsilanti to Wm. J. Robinson of Centerton, Ohio, but still remained with her mother, Robinson intending to move to Texas early the coming year. Robinson testified that his wife told him that a young man named Barr, with whom she became acquainted during her residence in Ohio, had shot at her on three different occasions, the last time while she was living in Ann Arbor, this causing her to move to Ypsilanti, and that she was afraid he would yet kill her. Exactly what the cause of Barr's enmity was is not known, but it is hinted that the deceased as a detective worked up a case wherein Barr was directly concerned, and the exposure of which was to this injury. Mrs. Robinson had but partially recovered from an attack of bilious fever at the time of her death, and it is assumed that she committed suicide while temporarily insane. It would seem, however, that there was an object in her death, for five insurance policies have come to light. The premium notes in each case were made payable quarterly, and upon each policy but a single payment had been made. The policies are all in favor of her children, and by the terms of her will her mother is made executrix.

**Spirits Turpentine.**  
There is considerable talk in Henderson of a new paper, says the Sentinel.  
Col. Geo. H. Wheeler, the historian, is at the Warborough House, Raleigh.  
An unknown colored woman bled to death from ears, eyes and nose in Raleigh.  
The residence of Mr. N. G. Woodell, in Raleigh, was slightly injured, by the furniture, by a fire on Monday night.  
A new post-office has been established at Brown's X Roads, in Sandolph county, and William Brown, Esq., made postmaster.

The body of a colored man was found near the residence of A. R. Hodges on the east of Raleigh, with a bullet hole through his head.  
The stable and crib of Mr. Daniel Sellers at Selma, Johnson county, were destroyed by fire Monday morning. Loss \$500, partly insured.  
Theo. N. Ramsey, Esq., has administered the pledge of total abstinence to one thousand persons in North Carolina during the past twelve months.  
Sentinel: Jno. Morton, of Greenville, has been arrested and jailed at Greenville, charged with having been one of the parties who so severely abused Mr. Henry Holden of the same county.

**Raleigh News:** Sunday night, just a little before the hour of 12, the grist mill and cotton gin of W. H. Bledsoe, Esq., situated about a mile south of this city, was found to be on fire. The fire was the act of an incendiary, and the property was entirely destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$12,000, while the insurance amounts to \$7,500.  
**Raleigh News:** Hon. J. L. Pennington, the present Governor of Dakota, was an apprentice boy in the Raleigh Star office thirty-three years ago. Ex-Governor Holden was foreman in the same office at the time. Andy Johnson, was then a journeyman tailor in Mr. Litchford's tailor shop, on Fayetteville street.

The consolidation of the Carolina Farmer and the Weekly Star having largely increased the circulation of the latter, advertisers will find it an admirable medium of communication with the farmers and planters of the two Carolinas.  
**BOOK BINDERY.**—The Morning Star Book Bindery does all kinds of binding and repairs in a workmanlike manner, and at reasonable prices. Merchants who order reading Receipts, Books, or other work, may rely on promptness in the execution of their orders.

**Jon Parramore.**—We call the attention of merchants, clerks of courts, sheriffs, lawyers, railroad agents and other officials to the facilities offered by the Morning Star Book Bindery for the prompt and faithful execution of all kinds of job printing. We furnish at short notice Cards, Bill-Heads, Letter-Heads, Programmes, Ball Tickets, Blanks, Pamphlets, Tags, Hand-Bills, Catalogues, Bills of Fare, Show-Bills, Checks, Drafts, &c., &c. Satisfaction guaranteed.

# THE MORNING STAR.

## THE CITY.

**The Mails.**  
The mails will close from this date as follows:  
Northern through (night) mails. . . . . 8 P. M.  
" " through and way (day) . . . . . 5 A. M.  
Southern mail. . . . . 8 P. M.  
Carolin Central mails. . . . . 5 A. M.  
Smithville, Saturdays and Tues. . . . . 6 A. M.  
Fayetteville, river, Mondays and Fridays. . . . . 1 P. M.  
Fayetteville by C. C. R. W., daily 6 A. M.  
Ontonoh C. H., (horse mail) every Friday. . . . . 6 A. M.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
Munson & Co.—Clothing, &c.  
T. C. SEVVOSS.—City Tax Sale.  
J. L. WOOSTER.—Medicines for sale.  
Sole Ad "Deutscher Ball."

**Postponement.**  
Mr. Sevvoos, City Treasurer and Collector, was subpoenaed at the Superior Court yesterday morning and consequently could not correct in time the list of property to be sold for city taxes, and hence the postponement of the sale until Wednesday, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock M.

**Don't Be Alarmed.**  
The fire-alarmer in the steeple of the Second (colored) Presbyterian church, corner of Eighth and Chesnut streets, is to be repaired to-day. Between the hours of 10 and 12 a trial of the alarm will be made and people are advised not to be frightened and start a cry of fire unless it should be rung for more than ten minutes.

**Another Fox Hunt.**  
The party of gentlemen who got up the fox hunt for Christmas day met with such a signal failure on account of the bad weather that they have determined to try it over again to-morrow, the 1st of January. Those who expect to participate are requested to meet at the Toll House promptly at 8 o'clock, when the "toot" of a horn will be the signal for starting for "Hall's Neck," in the vicinity of the Work House, where the hunt will take place.

**Magistrate's Court.**  
Before Justice T. M. Gardner yesterday: Clem Wright was arraigned on the charge that he did on the night of Thursday, Dec. 25th, steal and carry away one cord of wood, the property of Daniel W. Williams, living at what is known as Bear Island, on the Northeast River, in this county. Wright, for perpetrating such a wrong, was required to give security in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at the January term of the Superior Court.

**A Handsome Book.**  
We had an opportunity of examining yesterday a most beautiful volume—the first of "The Waterbury Series," which our old friends, Messrs. E. J. Hale & Sons, formerly of Fayetteville, but now of New York, have commenced publishing. It is admirably printed on fine paper, tastefully bound and beautifully illustrated, reflecting much credit on the enterprising publishers. Mr. W. J. Anderson, of this city, is Agent, and the price of the work is only \$1.50. The series is sold only by subscription.

**Escaped.**  
Mary Murphy, the irrepressible colored damsel who was released from the Work House in the early part of last week, and who was returned to the Guard House in a day or two on a dray, broke out of the Armory-room Monday night, by breaking off the lock, and effected her escape. She had been sentenced by the Mayor to work thirty days on the streets and at night was permitted to occupy quarters in the armory room. At last accounts she was making her way into the country in the direction of Northeast, and if she has left for good it will be accounted a happy riddance.

**Colored Schools.**  
There was a meeting of the colored people and friends last Saturday, at Millington, for the purpose of taking into consideration the establishment at that place of a permanent school that shall not only give to the colored people of this and adjoining counties opportunities such as it is not possible for them now to enjoy, but also in connection with it to have a normal department which, if successful, will in a few years help to supply the great demand for teachers in the country. Rev. H. B. Blake, of this city, was present and addressed the meeting, showing the need of such a school and how it might be conducted. We are glad to hear there was a goodly number present, that much enthusiasm was manifested, and we trust good results will follow.

**Superior Court.**  
Court met at 10 o'clock and disposed of a considerable amount of business. The following cases were disposed of:  
In the case of George Waddell, charged with assault and battery, the jury, after remaining out all night, returned a verdict of guilty.  
State vs. Duncan Holmes and W. H. Moore, charged with an affray, being an appeal from the City Court. Verdict of guilty rendered.  
State vs. Amos Wright, charged with larceny. Mistrial.  
State vs. H. Burnett, charged with assault and battery. Judgment suspended on the payment of bond.  
State vs. Sam Gordon, charged with larceny. Guilty.  
State vs. John Yaretha, charged with assault and battery. Not guilty.  
State vs. H. Marcus and Charles Marcus, charged with forcible trespass. Ordered by the court that the indictment be endorsed "not a true bill" and that it be dismissed.  
It was ordered that the Sheriff summon a venire of one hundred and fifty men for Friday, the 3d inst., in the case of the State vs. Elizabeth Carter.

**The Kaintuck District.**  
We are glad to learn that an arrangement has been effected between our enterprising Postmaster, Col. Brink, and Capt. R. P. Paddison, of the Steamer *Northeast*, whereby the good people of the Kaintuck district, in this county, will hereafter be supplied with a weekly mail. A Postoffice by the name of *Shil Bill*, with Mr. R. P. Allen as Postmaster, has been established, and the arrangement will go into effect on the 1st of January. The people of that section have been denied proper mail facilities so long that it will be quite a treat to them to once more receive their letters and papers regularly.

## FIRE.

**The Fire Fiend Let Loose—Four Alarms in One Day—The Fire Department Kept Busy, &c.**  
The fire bells yesterday kept the community in a feverish state of excitement. There were four different alarms, in three of which the fire department was called out. The first originated in the partial burning of a small quartern house, about 9 o'clock, on what is known as "Chadbourne's Hill," north of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad. The employees of the Messrs. Chadbourne's mill, with other persons in the vicinity, went manfully to work and soon succeeded in extinguishing the flames, the damage being immaterial. The firemen and hook and ladder company were promptly on the route to the scene of the conflagration, but were turned back before reaching it with the intelligence that the fire was out.

About half past 10 o'clock the house of Jeff. James, a colored man, situated on Sixth, between Walnut and Red Cross Streets, was discovered to be on fire. It happened that the city street brigade were engaged in grading the street in that immediate vicinity and by their united efforts the building was saved. There was no general alarm in this case.  
Just after the 1 o'clock bell was rung for dinner and many of the business men were on their way to their homes the startling peals of the fire bells were again heard and the excited throng which soon filled the streets hastened in the direction of Eighth and Castle streets, where, on the Southeast corner of those streets, the one-story dwelling house belonging to Mr. John Sedberry was found to be in flames. The fire is said to have been discovered about 25 minutes past 12 o'clock, but owing to the length of time taken to get the alarm down town in the vicinity of the engine houses, the difficulty in procuring water and from other causes it was fully three-quarters of an hour before a stream could be got on the fire and by that time the building was a mass of ruins. The neighbors all lent a helping hand and succeeded in removing all the furniture from the building, and Messrs. Thos. Gray, Edward Griffith, R. H. Gray, Jr., and J. Harvey, all young men, mounted the building adjoining, also the property of Mr. Sedberry, and by almost superhuman efforts, with water passed to them in buckets, succeeded in preventing the flames from communicating to it. Mr. Griffith, we learn, had the side of his face badly scorched. Mr. Sedberry, who was absent from home at the time, and who only reached the scene of the fire when the walls had all fallen in, informs us that the loss on his building, which was comparatively new, will amount to about \$2,000, upon which there was an insurance with Messrs. Taylor & Giles of \$1,300. He had but lately completed an addition to his building. The fire is supposed to have originated from a stove-pipe in the dining-room. There was no lack of promptness on the part of the fire department and all worked with their usual energy and spirit and did all the service that could be expected of them under the circumstances.

The wind blew almost a perfect gale all day, which made the sound of the alarm bells so much more startling.  
Last night, about a quarter past 7 o'clock, when the wind had died out and the apprehensions of the community had somewhat subsided, the alarm was again heard, and the firemen and hook and ladder company were again called into regulation. The flames this time were found to proceed from the carriage house of Bishop Atkinson, on Orange, between Fifth and Sixth streets, City Marshal Price, who lives near, was quickly on the ground and with the assistance of other persons who had reached the scene succeeded in removing the horses from the stables. The hook and ladder company labored faithfully in removing combustible material from the vicinity of the fire, and in keeping it from communicating to other buildings close by until the arrival of the engines. These were quickly on the ground and commenced a vigorous onslaught upon the burning building, soon succeeding in arresting the flames. The carriage-house, wood-house and stables were destroyed, the latter being pulled down. The loss on the buildings did not amount to much, but the buggy and rockaway belonging to Bishop Atkinson, which were in the carriage-house, were consumed. It is difficult to tell how the fire originated, but it is supposed to have been caused by a spark from a chimney. The fire department certainly did most excellent service in this instance, the Cape Fear (colored) Company claiming to have put the first stream on the fire.

While the above fire was in progress information came to City Marshal Price that his stables had caught from the flying sparks, but a few buckets of water availed to bring the flames in this quarter under subjection.

**Local Note.**  
The New Year is at hand.  
The Schooner *Jennie P. Gilkey*, Gilkey, sailed from Boston for this port on the 27th inst.  
The Schr. *Lizzie Carr*, Teal, sailed from Belfast, Me., for this port on the 19th inst.  
The Schr. *Ella M. Pennell*, Mitchell, arrived at Pocomoke from this port on the 23d inst.  
The British Schooner *M. L. St. Pierre*, Carter, arrived at Matanzas from this port on the 19th inst.  
Our German friends will have one of their pleasant balls at Mozart Hall, Front street, this evening. Read their advertisement in another column.

The only case before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning was that of W. H. Montague, continued from Monday, who was found not guilty and discharged.  
The Schr. *Webster Barnard*, which put in here in distress some weeks since, has received the necessary repairs and is expected to leave for Jacksonville, her original destination, to-day.  
While the Cape Fear steam engine was proceeding to the fire yesterday at 1 o'clock, one of the horses became disabled by a piece of glass bottle sticking in his footlock. Another horse had just been secured and put in the stables as a temporary substitute when the fire bells rung last night.

**Distressing Accident.**  
Miss Mary Cutts, daughter of Capt. A. H. Cutts, of this city, was severely if not dangerously burned yesterday morning, about 9 o'clock by the accidental ignition of her clothing. We are glad to learn that the physicians in attendance do not consider her injuries necessarily dangerous.

**Orphan Asylum.**  
The raffle for the beautiful quilt and cushion for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum, heretofore alluded to in these columns, will take place at Mr. P. Heinsberger's book store, this evening, commencing at 7 o'clock. The Committee in charge of the matter is composed of Messrs. P. Heinsberger, Jas. M. Brown, Donald MacRae and W. B. Binford.

**Amusements.**  
There has been quite a dearth of amusements in this city lately, which we learn will not probably be interrupted until the 10th and 12th of January, when the "Georgia Minstrels" propose to hold forth at the Opera House, having changed their original dates.  
It has not been definitely ascertained as yet that Mrs. Oates will visit us this season.

**The Masquerade Ball.**  
This most brilliant and interesting affair of the season came off at City Hall last night and was witnessed and enjoyed by a large number of spectators. We regret that the pressure on our columns this morning prevents us from saying more than that it came up to public expectation in every particular, the costumes of the gay masquers being magnificent and striking.

**The Steamship *Metropolis*.**  
Considerable uneasiness is felt in some quarters in regard to the safety of the Steamship *Metropolis*, from New York for this port, now two or three days overdue. Gentlemen of experience in such matters seem, however, to feel but little apprehension. The *Metropolis* is a fine, staunch vessel, with a most excellent and trustworthy commander, and their impression is that she has weathered the storm, but has been driven probably entirely across the Gulf.

**The Virginia.**  
The far-famed steamer *Virginia*, the seizure of which by the Spanish war vessel *Tornado*, and the inhuman butchery by Spanish officials connected with the transaction, created such a tremendous furor in the United States and caused such a thrill and outburst of indignation throughout the civilized world a few weeks ago, now peacefully rests beneath the blue waves, which wash the banks at the entrance to our harbor. We stated in our last that the impresario had become very general that the impresario vessel off Bald Head and the *Virginias* were one and the same, and our dispatches this morning confirm the supposition. For full particulars connected with the sinking of the vessel, so near our own port, which had become so famous in the annals of our country, we refer our readers to our telegraphic columns, on the fourth page.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**CITY TAX SALE.**  
Office, Treasurer & Collector,  
CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,  
December 30, 1873.  
THE CITY TAX SALE ADVERTISED FOR this day, at 12 o'clock M., in front of City Hall, is POSTPONED UNTIL TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) 31ST INSTANT, at same hour and place.  
T. C. SEVVOSS,  
Treasurer & Collector.  
dec 30-11

**BARGAINS.**  
ARE YET MADE BY PURCHASERS OF  
**CLOTHING,**  
HATS, CAPS, SHIRTS,  
DRAWERS, &c.,  
—AT THE—  
"City Clothing" Store  
OF MUNSON & CO.  
dec 31-11

I OFFER FOR SALE MY ENTIRE STOCK OF  
**Drugs and Medicines**  
NOW IN STORE ON  
**Corner of Market and Front Sts.**  
Reasonable terms will be given, with the privilege of leasing the building which is most favorably located for the business.  
Apply to the undersigned, or Chas. M. Stedman, Attorney at Law, for particulars.  
J. L. WOOSTER.  
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**Deutscher Ball.**  
DEN ALGEMEENEN DEUTSCHER BALL FINE datte hante Abend in der Mozart Hall, waeren alle Deutschen freundlichst eingeladen werden.  
die Committee, A. KOEHL, JOHN HARAR, JR., F. MARTENS.  
dec 31-11

**Ladies' Belts.**  
LADIES' AND GENTS' TRUNKS, SATCHELS, Shawl Straps, Belt-Satchels, &c., at the Saddle and Harness Factory of  
J. S. Topham & Co.,  
No. 8 South Front St.,  
Wilmington, N. C.  
may 8-11 ac

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**Visiting Cards.**  
FOR NEW YEAR'S CALLS.  
Supply yourselves at  
HEINSBERGER'S.  
DIARIES FOR 1874.  
A large assortment for sale at  
HEINSBERGER'S.  
1,000 SHEETS OF GOLD & SILVER PAPER for Masqueraders, &c., &c.  
For sale at  
HEINSBERGER'S  
Live Book and Music Store.  
dec 30-11

**For Sale.**  
4,000 SACKS G. A. LIVERPOOL SALT.  
1,000 Sacks Turk's Island Salt, cheap.  
1,500 New and Second-hand Spirit Casks.  
50 Tons English Hoop Iron, best quality.  
V. C. & B. B. BARNES,  
dec 30-11

**Buckwheat,**  
SILVER DRIPS SYRUP, NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES and COFFEE roasted and ground EVERY DAY, at  
J. C. STEVENSON'S.  
dec 30-11

**Repairing of Old Hats and Bonnets.**  
OLD HATS AND BONNETS RECLEARED, pressed and made to  
**Look as Well as New.**  
For particulars call on MRS. JENNIE ORR, 4th Street, between N. and Ch. ch. nov 29-11

**Hay! Hay!**  
IN LOTS TO SUIT—  
For sale by  
ADRIAN & VOLLES.  
dec 30-11

**Old N. C. Hams.**  
CHAS. D. MYERS & CO.,  
5 and 7 North Front St.  
dec 30-11

**Nelson's & Cox's Gelatine.**  
CHAS. D. MYERS & CO.,  
5 and 7 North Front St.  
dec 30-11

**Bennet's Fruit Extracts.**  
CHAS. D. MYERS & CO.,  
5 and 7 North Front St.  
dec 30-11

**New Goods For Cash.**  
WE INVITE THE ATTENTION OF THE Public to our  
**STOCK OF GROCERIES**  
which we will sell unusually close to CASH BUYERS.  
EDWARDS & HALL.  
nov 18-11

**Bacon! Bacon!**  
100,000 LBS SHOULDERS AND SIDES  
For sale by  
WILLARD BROS.  
dec 31-11

**Wood is Now Cheap.**  
BLACK JACK, SPLIT OAK, ASH AND PINE, of the best quality, for sale from wharf or DELIVERED PROMPTLY IN ANY PART OF THE CITY, long or cut up.  
O. G. PARSLEY & CO.  
dec 30-11

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**GIFT ENTERPRISE!**  
The only Reliable Gift Distribution in the country!  
**\$75,000 00**  
IN VALUABLE GIFTS!  
TO BE DISTRIBUTED IN  
**L. D. SINE'S**  
1868 Regular Monthly  
**GIFT ENTERPRISE!**  
To be drawn Monday, February 22d, 1874.  
**Two Grand Captains of \$5,000 IN GREENBACKS!**  
Two Prizes \$1,000 each in Greenbacks!  
Five Prizes \$500 each in Greenbacks!  
Ten Prizes \$100 each in Greenbacks!  
1 Horse and Buggy, with Silver-mounted Harness worth \$600; 1 Fine-toned Sewing Machine, worth \$200; Ten Family Sewing Machines, worth \$100 each; Five Gold Watches, worth \$500 each; Five Gold American Watches; Gold Hunting Watch, worth \$100 each. 1000 Gold and Silver Caskets or Boxes (in all worth from \$20 to \$500 each); Gold Chains, Silver Ware, Jewellery, &c., &c.  
**Number of Gifts, 7,500.**  
**Tickets Limited to 75,000.**  
Agents wanted to sell tickets, to whom liberal premiums will be paid. Six Tickets \$1; Twelve Tickets \$2; Twenty-Two Tickets \$5. Circulars containing a full list of prizes, a description of the manner of drawing, and other information in reference to the Distribution, will be sent to anyone ordering them. All letters should be addressed to  
**MAN OFFICE L. D. SINE, Box 68, 101 W. Fifth st., Cincinnati, O.**  
Dec. 30-11 Feb. 18, 1874.

**Just Published!**  
**THE AMERICAN School Music Reader.**  
BOOK 1 FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS! PRICE 35 CTS., OR \$3.00 PER DOZEN.  
The first of an excellent series of GRADES SCHOOL MUSIC BOOKS, by L. O. EMERSON and S. S. TILDEN.  
**EMERSON'S SINGING SCHOOL.**  
PRICE 75 CTS., OR \$7.00 PER DOZEN.  
Is a complete, cheap, and useful book for Singing Schools.  
**Clark's Dollar Instructor for Reed Organs, Clark's Dollar Instructor for Piano, Clark's Dollar Instructor for Violin.**  
For beginners and amateurs. Full of useful, instructive, and at the same time brilliant music.

**Father Kemp's Old Folks' Concert Tunes.**  
PRICE 40 CTS., OR \$3.00 PER DOZEN BOOKS.  
Sung everywhere with great applause from young and old.  
Sold everywhere. Sent, postpaid, for retail price.  
**Oliver Ditson & Co., C. H. Ditson & Co., Boston, N. Y. City, Phila., Wash., D. C.,**  
dec 31-11

**NOTICE OF Sale of Real Estate Under Power Contained in Mortgage.**  
BY VIRTUE AND IN EXECUTION OF THE Power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by certain parties and his wife to The Wilmington Building Association, bearing date the 30th day of May, 1873, and registered in the office of the Register of the County of New Hanover in Book G. G. at page 614 and following, default having been made in the payments required under the provisions of said deed, the Wilmington Building Association will, at 12 o'clock M. on Friday, the 10th day of January, next, sell by public auction at the Court House in the city of Wilmington, the land and premises conveyed by said deed, and all certain pieces of parcel of land situated in the city of Wilmington, beginning in the Southern line of Market street, at the foot of Dock Street, and thence Northwardly and Eastwardly, and thence Northwardly and parallel with Seventeenth street three hundred and ninety feet, to the City of New York street one hundred and ninety-eight feet, and thence Northwardly and parallel with Seventeenth street three hundred and ninety feet, to the City of New York street, being parts of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, on Block 426 as numbered and designated on a plat of said city of Wilmington, made and approved by the City of Wilmington, and the County of New Hanover, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1873. **ATTORNEYS.**  
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**ALWAYS THE SAME "Best Butter in the World."**  
**GOLDEN DRIPS & NEW ORLEANS SYRUP.**  
**NEW HULLED BUCKWHEAT.**  
**EMPIRE FLOUR.**  
**MAPLE SYRUP.**  
AT GEO. MYERS'S,  
dec 30-11 11 and 13 Front St.

**Salt, Hay, Syrup.**  
**15,000 SACKS LIVERPOOL AND AMERICAN CAN SALT.**  
**200 BARRELS PRIME EASTERN HAY.**  
**100 BARRELS S. H. SYRUP.**  
**25 HDS. S. H. SYRUP.**  
For sale low by  
**WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.**

**Bacon, Pork, Sugar, Flour.**  
50 BOXES D. S. SIDES  
50 Boxes Smoked Sides  
75 BBL'S. C. M. FLOUR  
125 BBL'S SUGAR  
900 BARRELS FLOUR, all grades.  
For sale low by  
**WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.**  
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**Onion Sets,**  
GARDEN PEAS and BEANS, KEROSENE OIL, Lined Oil, White Lead, Spirit Turpentine, Alcohol, Vanilla, Glass, Putty, &c. for sale LOW by  
**GREEN & FLETCHER,**  
dec 30-11