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WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1874.

WHOLE NO. 2,190.

THE CITY.

The Mails. The mails will close from this date as follows: Northern (night) mails...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. H. HARRISON—Official Drawing. KING & SOSS.—A Card.

Local Notes.

Send in advertisements early to-day in the forenoon.

Import Entries for sale at the office of THE MORNING STAR.

The Helios, Borgwardt, sailed from Oporto for this port on the 19th ult.

The British Brig Ebezer, Smith, arrived at Rotterdam from this port on the 5th inst.

Col. S. D. Pool was on a flying visit to this city yesterday, but leaves for home this morning.

Rev. R. B. Blake has returned from his vacation and the public schools will open on Monday.

Both printing and ruling done in the finest grades of copying ink at the STAR Job Printing Office.

The German barque Hermann Helreich, Oestreich, sailed from Massius for this port on the 23d ult.

There were no cases ready for trial before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning, but two or three were continued over for a future hearing.

Messrs. M. J. McSween, of the Fayetteville Eagle, and W. W. McDiarmid, of the Lumberton Robesonian, were on a visit to our city yesterday.

During the month of September there were eighteen interments in the city cemetery, or pauper's burial ground, in the southern suburbs of the city.

Preparations have been commenced for the construction of the new buildings to be erected at the northeast corner of Second and Market streets.

The Scher, Annie Edith, Lyons, from this port Philadelphia, which went ashore at Beaufort in the late gale, but was subsequently gotten off, reported not much damaged, put into Norfolk on the 5th inst., in a leaky condition.

We are requested to state that the order for the Burial of the Dead will be recited over the remains of Miss Eugenia W. Davis, at St. James' Church, this (Saturday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The relatives and friends are invited to be present at the service.

Mr. A. R. Collins, Secretary of the Texas Gift Concert Association, wishes us to give him advertising amounting to about \$125, for which he recklessly agrees to pay twelve dollars in currency and twelve tickets at one dollar each. We haven't yet concluded to accept the proposition of Mr. Collins.

A Colored Man Run Over by a Freight Train. The down freight train on the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Railroad, yesterday afternoon, when just this side of Grist's station, ran over a colored man who was lying asleep on the track and cut off both of his legs. The whole train of cars ran over him, crushing his limbs fearfully. The train was stopped as soon as possible, when the wounded man was taken up and carried to Whiteville and a physician sent for. He was still alive when the train left, but it was supposed impossible that he could survive. His name our informant did not learn, but he belongs at Fair Bluff, Columbus county. The unfortunate man is about 25 years old and is supposed to have been intoxicated when he went to sleep.

The State Fair. Tickets from this city to the Raleigh Fair, which opens to-day, have been put down to the very reasonable figure of 8 cents per mile for the round trip, making the actual cost only about \$4.05. This will enable all who desire to visit the State capital, and at the same time attend the great agricultural and mechanical exposition, to do so at a very moderate outlay. The Fair this year will probably far surpass any of its predecessors.

A Clothes Vendor Arrested. A colored girl by the name of Nancy Henry was arrested yesterday morning on the charge of selling clothing on the streets which Maria Debose, the complainant in the case, says were stolen from her. In default of security the girl was lodged in the Guard House to await a hearing before the Mayor this morning.

Magistrate's Court. John McFarland, colored, was before Justice Gardner yesterday morning on the charge of committing assault and battery on the person of his wife. The case was dismissed on condition that the defendant would pay the costs, in default of which he was lodged in jail.

THE FREEDMAN'S BANK.

Large Meeting of Depositors in Washington—What the Commissioners Had to Say—J. P. Sampson in the Chair.

From the report of a STAR correspondent at Washington and other sources we glean the following facts in regard to a meeting held in that city on Tuesday night, the 6th inst., for the purpose of hearing from the Commissioners in reference to the transaction of the Freedman's Bank, which may be of interest to the many sufferers by the now defunct institution in our midst.

The meeting, which was presided over by Prof. J. P. Sampson, colored, formerly of this city. The chairman briefly related the object of the meeting. He said there were thousands of homeless colored men in the South who live not by politics, nor speculation, but by manual labor—the sweat of their brow in the fields, in the workshops and at the anvil. They denied themselves of the ordinary comforts of life in order to get homes for their wives and children. They had entered into large contracts for farms and landed property, and then, governed by our advice, deposited their money in this bank, expecting by it to meet their obligations; the bank having closed by the act of defaulting creditors, most of them officers—missionary brethren who come to teach us habits of economy—and now, we who advised the deposits, are reproached by the poor depositors, and yet we are quiet, and they have no redress—no reliable information—hence we invited the commissioners to appear here and make a public statement in regard to its affairs and the responsibility of its present embarrassment.

Commissioner Purvis was then introduced. He felt it to be his duty to let the depositors know the real condition of the institution, and made the following statement:

DEPOSITS. To depositors, \$3,793,898 22 To other creditors, 1,000 00 ASSETS.

Real estate loans, \$1,301,929 58 Other available loans on personal securities, 317,409 00 Real estate in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, 40,287 40 District of Columbia securities, 27,738 96 North Pacific bonds, 435 19 United States bonds, 400 00 Claims against Jay Cooke & Co., 1,094 57 Maryland Fidelity Company second mortgage bonds, 57,500 00 Loans of the several branches, 340,611 57 Accrued interest, 167,967 37 Due from Chas. L. Matthews, receiver, 4,356 64 Cash, 45,047 05

96 per cent. \$3,689,733 23 Purvis thought the institution had been badly managed in the past, and thus the charter had been violated in many particulars. His associates he thought were thoroughly in sympathy with the depositors and were doing all in their power to realize all out of the assets of the bank possible.

Remarks were made by other persons. One of the speakers wanted it to be known that the race that was not confined to the white men employed in the bank. Resolutions endorsing and thanking the Commissioners for their efforts in behalf of depositors, and also condemning in the strongest terms the defaulting cashier and all who, in their official connection with the bank, were endeavoring to take advantage of the depositors, were passed.

For a time, says our correspondent, the greatest feeling was manifest in the meeting against the frauds committed by the cashiers and officers of this concern in the South. The Commissioner said one Cashier alone ran off with \$70,000. A poor hard-working colored woman, connected with one of the oldest white families in Washington, saved over four thousand dollars before the war; it had been in safe hands, but she was induced to deposit her money in this (District) Trust Company's bank, and now in her time of need there is no hope.

Sampson, interrogating the trustees and commissioners, said if they had only collected \$45,000 on their claims in favor of the Bank and it required \$60,000,000 to pay the depositors 20 per cent, they could not by the amount on hand pay 5 per cent. He wanted to know if the process of winding up would continue several years in order to absorb the money and continue the salaries of the commissioners, and asked if Alvord, the former President, and chairman of the loaning committee, was not a stockholder in the bogus Seneca Stone Company when the \$50,000 loan in favor of the Stone Company was negotiated. By what rule of action did the trustees allow the actuary 5 per cent. on all trustee sales, he being a large salaried officer in the Bank. Many questions were asked by different persons, proving that the thing, as the commissioner said, was a ring to despoil the poor freedman of his money.

Accidental Drowning.

A young man by the name of Henry Koch, watchman at the Government Works on Zeke's Island, but formerly a resident of this place, was accidentally drowned about twenty miles below this city, on Wednesday night last, by falling out of a boat. An inquest was subsequently held over the body by Coroner Hewlett, the jury returning a verdict of accidental drowning. Deceased was about 26 years of age.

The body was brought to this city and will be interred in Oakdale Cemetery to-day. See funeral notice in another column.

Narrow Escape.

A small colored boy, son of Eliza Finch, living on South Water street, between Dock and Orange, fell off the wharf near the foot of Dock street, late yesterday afternoon,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1874. 1875. FASHION FOR Fall and Winter.

BEAVER, DOESKIN, CLOTHS and CASSIMERS, in All Colors.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT is supplied with a rich and choice selection of Scarf, Ties and Fancy Articles, Shirts and Underwear of the best manufacture.

The Merchant Tailoring Department is under my special care, and the patronage so liberally bestowed upon me is sufficient to give perfect satisfaction, as I cut by the very latest fashions and FIT, STYLE AND TASTE are unsurpassed for elegance.

W. F. WENZEL, No. 6 North Front Street.

Sale of Real Estate TO Foreclose Mortgages.

BY VIRTUE OF and in accordance with the provisions of two certain deeds of mortgage, made by Solomon Levy to "The Bank of New Hanover," the first dated the 1st day of August, 1873, and registered in the proper office in Book G. G., at page 704 et sequens, and the second dated the 24th day of October, 1873, and registered in the proper office in Book H. H., at pages 298 and 299, we will on TUESDAY, the 10th day of November next, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House in the City of Wilmington, in the County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, expose to sale for cash, by public auction, the following described Real Estate, situated in said city of Wilmington, viz: Beginning in the Southern line of Market street in the centre of the wall, the dividing line between the store now occupied by Samuel Bannum and the store occupied by Laurence Flanagan, said point being seven feet and six inches eastwardly from the centre of the wall the dividing line between a lot formerly belonging to the late Emanuel Betts, commencing southerly with said line sixty-six feet to another line of a lot which formerly belonged to said Betts; thence westerly with the line last recited, thence northerly with the line of the wall first recited, thence northerly with the centre of said wall to the beginning, including the store now occupied by Laurence Flanagan and the store recently occupied by G. W. H. Rogers.

WRIGHT & STEDMAN, Attorneys, WILMINGTON, Oct. 10, 1874—Status Sat. Tn.

Flour! Flour! Flour! 1,000 BARRELS (all grades) at BALTIMORE

MEATS.—Dry Salt Sides and Shoulders, Smoked Sides, Hams and Shoulders, at low figures.

BAGGING, TIES, MULLETS, MACKEREL, Hay, Oats, &c.

CRACKERS, Lemon, Soda and Sugar, in Boxes of 100 and 500, Candy, Souffle and Canned Goods.

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS, By Express To-Day.

Ladies Belts and Buckles, all kinds, Kid Gloves, finest quality; Silk Mitts, Fans, Linen Collars and Cuffs, plain and embroidered, Neck Ruffings, Scarfs, Corsets, Hoop Skirts, Parasols, Vellings, Bags, Trunks and Insertings, Slipper Patterns, Zephyr Worsted Hair Plaits and Switches.

The Largest, Neatest, Cheapest and Best Kept Stock of FANCY GOODS AND MILLINERY IN THE CITY.

Variety Store. No. 42 Market Street. ang 15-17 mac L. FLANAGAN.

Horse and Mule COLLARS, HAMES and TRACE CHAINS, Blind Bridles, Axle-grasses, Whips, Spurs, Bridles, Saddles, Harness, Trunks and all kinds of saddlery goods, very cheap, at

KING & SONS' FORTSMOUTH, VA. BY E. KING, 107 North Front street, Wilmington, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS. JUST RECEIVED PER S. S. BENEFACTOR—10 BARRELS APPLES.

Tuscola XXX. 200 BLS. THIS CELEBRATED BRAND OF FLOUR JUST IN.

THE PATENT PROCESS FLOUR! EMPIRE BRAND!

OUR NEW PROCESS FLOUR—THE BEST Flour in North Carolina. One barrel will make 25 per cent. more bread than all other brands. Try it. For sale only by

The BROWN Cotton Gin, RUBBER BELTING, Gin Saw Piles, Leather Belting, Cotton Belting, Lacing Leather, Belt Rivets and Hooks, Cotton Scales, Bagging Twine, &c., can be found at the

OLD ESTABLISHED HARDWARE HOUSE OF JOHN DAWSON.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW ARRIVALS This Week.

WACOMAW & CAPE FEAR FRESH BEATEN RICE.

HAMS, SIDES, SHOULDERS (Dry Salted and Smoked), English and Scotch Axes.

COFFEES of all kinds at Reduced Prices, VISH, CASE GOODS of all kinds, TOILET SOAPS, Fine Pale and Common SOAPS, Twenty different kinds of TONIC BITTERS,

Cigars, Tobacco Kerosene Oil, Hay, Corn and Oats, WITH HUNDREDS OF OTHER ARTICLES OF Groceries at Wholesale.

CASH or close buying customers can be suited at Wholesale, with Good Goods at Lowest Market Prices, may 2-17

SCHOOL BOOKS! SCHOOL BOOKS! A COMPLETE STOCK OF SCHOOL BOOKS, such as are used in all the different schools in the city.

HEINSBERGER'S Live Book and Music Store.

For Sale: 100 Cases Blood, Wolfe & Co.'s ALE.

25 Cases Porter, DIRECT IMPORTATION.

PATRONS OF THE Wilmington Trust Co. and Savings Bank,

WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that interest on their deposits will be one and payable ON AND AFTER THE 15th INSTANT.

Interest not called for will be credited and draw interest as if a deposit. Money deposited this month will draw interest from the first inst.

At the Bottom. prices lower than Any House in the STATE,

Best Butter in the World ALL DURING THE WARM WEATHER THIS DELICIOUS BUTTER

Repairs of Old Hats and Bonnets, Look as well as New.

Cheese, Spirit Casks, 100 Boxes Cream Cheese, 500 SPIRIT CASKS,

Bagging and Ties, 300 Rolls Heavy Bagging, 20 Tons Ties,

Removal! Removal! MESSRS. GREEN & PLANNER, Drugists, will remove October 1st to their new Store, one door East of the old stand.

Fire Dogs, Shovels and Tongs, STAIR RODS, MEAT CUTTERS, MEAT STUFFERS, Coal Hods, Coal Shovels, Axes, &c., at

GILLES & MURCHISON'S, 38 North Front St.

Removal. WE are now located in the commodious WILLARD BUILDING, where our facilities are greater for accommodating the TRADE.

Patent Process Flour! EMPIRE BRAND! OUR NEW PROCESS FLOUR—THE BEST Flour in North Carolina. One barrel will make 25 per cent. more bread than all other brands. Try it. For sale only by

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OLD ESTABLISHED HARDWARE HOUSE OF JOHN DAWSON.

DWELLINGS, &c., FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Until Oct. 1st, 1875.

MISCELLANEOUS. THE LEADING DRY GOODS HOUSE OF WILMINGTON

Boskowitz & Lieber, 29 MARKET STREET,

Where is shown in endless variety all of the NEW GOODS OF THE SEASON.

And we are disposed to acquaint the people with the FACT that Dry Goods were bought and should be sold At Lower Figures

This Season than Since the War. We Deal in First-Class Goods Only.

BLACK GOODS A SPECIALTY. BOSKOWITZ & LIEBER, oct 4-17 29 Market street.

NO TROUBLE To Send Out Goods!

CASH BUYERS CAN GET LOWEST PRICES and BEST FAMILY SUPPLIES.

We deliver Family Groceries—when paid for—in any part of the city; FROM HILTON TO GREENFIELD, FROM BROOKLYN TO DRY POND.

Our prices are LOW DOWN, and GOODS SENT OUT PROMPTLY. CHAS. B. MYERS & CO., oct 4-17 5 and 7 North Front st.

Marshall's Office, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 7th, 1874.

NOTICE. ON AND AFTER MONDAY NEXT, 12th inst., under General City Ordinance, I shall proceed to take up and impound all cattle found at large in the streets of the city.

J. H. ROBINSON, City Marshal.

Fair and Square Dealing. WITH QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS

is the motto of the new Dry Goods Store of LEWIS & DAVIS.

Fruit of the Loom Sheeting 12 Cents. NO SHODDY STOCK TO WORK OFF. ALL our goods are new and will be sold at SMALL PROFITS.

See to It Parents THAT your children are well supplied with CLOTHES.

Children's fancy suits just received. BOY'S WHITE SHIRTS, BOY'S CALICO SHIRTS, BOY'S SHIRTS and DRAWERS, Boys' and Children's Over & Cape Coats. SHRIER BROS', Clothiers, oct 4-17 30 Market street.

Bacon and Salt. 100 Boxes D S Sides and Shoulders, 60 Boxes Smoked Sides and Shoulders, 3,000 Sacks Salt,

For sale by KERCHNER & CALDER BROS., 27, 28 & 29 North Water St.

Salt, Bagging and Ties. 3,000 Sacks Salt, 250 Rolls Extra Heavy Bagging, 20 Tons Ties.

For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON, oct 4-17

Coffee, Nails, Sugar, Shot. 100 Bags Prime Rio Coffee, 150 Kegs Nails, 250 BLS REFINED SUGAR, 200 Bags Shot.

For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON, oct 4-17

400 NEW N. Y. SPIRIT CASKS, 350 Second-Hand Spirit Casks, 100 Bbls H S Syrup.

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Coal, Coal. RED AND WHITE ASH, FRUNACK, GRATE, Stove and Chestnut. All of best quality.

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Handwritten signature: J. H. Hamlington