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OUTLINES.

Reported that there is some trouble over the election of John Mitchel to Parliament. —— Senate did not get beyond the first section of the tariff bill yesterday after an all day discussion. —— The Senate ex-Judge Russell yesterday at Baltimore made a motion before U. S. Judge Bond for an injunction on the municipal election to be held in this city next March; case to be tried March 6th. —— An unknown man leaped from the dome of the Capitol at Washington yesterday to the roof of the main building. —— New York markets: Cotton, 15¼@15¾; rosin, $2 05@$2 12½; spirits turpentine, 37½@38.

The Legislature.

[Condensed from the News.]

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, Feb. 17.

Mr. Cantwell, a memorial from Dr. J. E. Winants, of Wilmington, proposing to establish a branch Insane Asylum at the Marine Hospital building in that city, for the accommodation of such insane as cannot be taken in the State Asylum, to be subject to the same control and same charge per patient as the State Asylum. Referred.

Mr. Boddie, a petition from citizens of Nash county, making it a misdemeanor to have an unlawful fence. Referred.

Mr. Bell, a petition in reference to the Turnpike at North river and Adams' creek. Referred.

Mr. Mills, a bill to authorize the Commissioners of Burke to sell lots in town, and a bill to preserve the records of that county. Referred.

Mr. French, a bill to incorporate the Ash Pole Education Company. Referred.

Mr. Busbee, a bill to amend the North Carolina Home Insurance Company. Referred.

Mr. Taylor, a bill to amend the laws of 1873-'74, relating to the support of lunatics by counties. Referred.

Mr. LeGrand, a bill for the increase of the State Library. Referred.

Mr. Busbee, a bill concerning fire companies. Calendar.

Mr. Young called up House bill, paying the contractors of the Marion and Asheville Turnpike Road the sum of $8,644 23.

The question was discussed at some length as to the constitutionality of the act under which this work was done.

The bill passed its third reading by a vote of 20 to 12.

Mr. Cooke called up bill to amend the charter of the city of Newbern.

Tucker, col., opposed the bill. Enough legislation of this kind had been done already, enough harm had been done by it, and he hoped the "gentlemanly portion of the Legislature" would vote the bill down. He offered an amendment that the first and second wards shall have only one Alderman each. Lost

Mr. Bell explained the necessity of this bill. The tax-paying and the honest citizens of that town asked relief from the oppression that corrupt officials had forced upon them The last act of the retiring Board of Commissioners in 1874 was to order the burning of the vouchers in the possession of that body, in order to prevent investigation.

Tucker, col., moved an amendment that the bill shall not become a law until it shall receive a majority of all the qualified voters of the town of Newbern. Lost.

Mr. Cantwell opposed the bill at some length.

The bill to constitute the county of Cohara out of a portion of the counties of Johnston, Wayne and Sampson came up as a special order.

Mr. Busbee's motion to change the name to Bragg was considered and adopted.

After considerable discussion and further amendment, the bill failed to pass its second reading by a decided vote, the roll not being called.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Pinnix, from the House Branch of the Joint Select Committee to examine into the affairs of the Albemarle & Chesapeake Canal Company, reported a recommendation that the Committee proceed to Norfolk after the adjournment to make said examination.

USURY.

Mr. Finger took the floor, and at considerable length argued the necessity of the adoption of Mr. Mebane's amendment, and also discussed the bill on its general merits. He referred to the late act of Congress protecting the National Banks from State legislation, &c., and asked if this was not a significant fact that any legislative enactment by this General Assembly could not possibly affect their operations, and if they could not proceed as heretofore in utter defiance of any laws that we could make.

Mr. Dortch followed in favor of the bill and in opposition to the amendment offered. His remarks were in reply to the legal arguments adduced by the opposition.

Messrs. McRae and Walker followed Mr. Dortch in favor of the amendment and in opposition to the bill.

Mr Oaksmith took the floor at 1½ o'clock against the bill, but before the conclusion of his [illegible] yielded to a motion to adjourn.

On motion, a night session was called for to-night to continue the discussion, after which the House adjourned.

The New Connecticut Senator.

Eaton, the new Senator from Connecticut, who was sworn in and took his seat Saturday, says the Washington *Star*, is apparently about sixty years of age. He is small in stature, has a well shaped head, is almost bald, his hair being thin and gray in color, and wears no beard of any kind. He was greeted with great cordiality, especially by the Democrats, and took a seat in the second tier of seats between Senators Gordon and Davis on the Democratic side [illegible] the chamber.

Scripture Revision.

The revision of the authorized version of the New Testament proceeds slowly. The revisers meet in London in the Jerusalem Chamber. Their last work is the revision for the second time of a portion of the Gospel of St. John. A constant correspondence and interchange of views is kept up with their American colleagues. It is not known when the whole of the New Testament will be finished, nor whether it will be given to the public at once, or its publication postponed until the Old Testament is ready to be printed.

THE USURY BILL.

A Bill to Be Entitled An Act to Regulate the Rate of Interest and to Prevent Usury.

[Reprinted from the Morning Star of January 30th.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do Enact*, That the legal rate of interest shall be six per cent. per annum, or for such time as interest may accrue, and no more; *Provided, however*, That upon special contract in writing, signed by the party to be charged therewith, or his agent, so great a rate as eight per cent. may be allowed.

Sec. 2. That no person, banking institution, corporation, or company, upon any contract shall directly or indirectly take for loans of any moneys, wares, merchandise, real estate, or commodities whatever, above the value of six dollars or eight dollars as provided in section first of this act, by way of discount or interst for the forbearance of one hundred dollars for one year, and so after the rate as above specified for a greater or less sum, or for a longer or shorter time. All bonds, contracts, and assurances whatsoever, for the payment of any principal or money to be lent, or covenanted to be performed, upon or for any usury, whereupon or whereby there shall be reserved or taken above the rate of six dollars on the hundred as aforesaid shall be void, and every person, banking institution, corporation or company, who, upon any contract, shall take, accept and receive, by way of any corrupt bargain, loan or other means whatsoever, for the forbearing or giving day of payment, a rate of interest greater than hereinbefore specified, shall forfeit and lose for every such offence, the double value of the moneys, wares, merchandise or real estate so lent, bargained or exchanged to any person who will sue for the same.

Sec. 3. That every person, banking institution, corporation or company, and all the officers and agents of any banking institution, corporation or company, who shall violate the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction in the Superior Court, shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars.

Sec. 4. That the provisions of this act shall not be construed to apply to any existing contract made in conformity with law, nor to invalidate any remedy or rights now exercised by any Building and Loan Association for the redemption of their own stock.

Sec. 5. That all laws or clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. That this act shall take effect and be in force thirty days from and after its ratification.

Organ Eloquence.

Of all kinds of journalistic eloquence the strictly organ eloquence is the worst. A specimen of this sort in the late Zack Chandler's organ is striking:

Regarding Senator Chandler as the ablest American Senator, the peer of Clay, Calhoun and Benton in their best days, we had hoped the Republicans of Michigan by a party vote would re-elect him, and thus show to the world that the ability, the manly devotion to duty, the unfaltering patriotism and the superior statesmanship of the senior Senator was, to every Michigan Republican, a source of personal as well as State pride."—*Banner, Michigan.*

"O certainly," says a disgusted contemporary.

Dan Rice "Busted" Again.

Dan Rice, the veteran showman, has just repeated his usual annual exploit of ascending the financial spout. In Pittsburg, on Wednesday, a formidable document was received from Girard, Pa., which proved to be Mr. Rice's voluntary petition in bankruptcy. The most striking feature of the petition is that, while the liabilities run up to something like eighty five thousand dollars, Dan put down his entire assets to be a suit of clothes valued at seventy-five dollars. Even that, he claims, is exempt under the laws of the State. The principal losers are showmen who have lost their salaries and steamboatmen who transported Dan's show up and down the Western rivers last season.

A jolly doctor called on a lady on his way home from a dinner party, so full that he could not count her pulse beats. Conscious of the cause of his difficulty, he, in a moment of irritation, blurted out, "Drunk, by Jove!" and rushed out of the house. The next day the lady sent for him, and said that she lamented that he had discovered her condition, and begged that he would keep it a secret.

When people say "Oh, the dickens!" "The dickens it is!" many of them are not aware that Shakspeare wrote "I cannot tell what the dickens his name is," a sentence that first gave circulation to the use of the word "dickens," and it has been rustling around the English-speaking world for more than 200 years. It occurs in the "Merry Wives of Windsor," Act III.

— A negro by the name of John Middleton, froze to death in the county jail of Rockingham on the night of the 8th.

Spirits Turpentine

— Rev. R. H. Griffith, of Charlotte, has been called to the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Columbia, S. C.

— Judge Eure, of the 1st Judicial District, seems to be a terror to evil doers from the number of convicts arriving at the Penitentiary from that circuit.

— Among the Supreme Court decisions of Tuesday are these: E. T. Regan vs. J. S. J. Regan, from Robeson. Judgment reversed and *venire de novo*. E. T. Regan & Son, from Robeson. Judgment affirmed.

— Robert Brack, a shoemaker of Ashville, recently went to Washington City to obtain patents for three useful inventions of his own, but soon after arriving in the city he became insane. The Ashville *Pioneer* says that he is possessed of considerable mechanical ingenuity, and his models were not without merit. It is naturally supposed that his lunacy was caused by the intense anxiety for the success of his patents

— Raleigh *News:* We learn that one morning during the prevalence of the recent sleet Mrs. Hawk Meadows, residing near Tally Ho, Granville county, went out to milk a cow, and slipping, fell and broke a leg. Her screams startled her husband, who was himself a cripple, being on crutches, and in endeavoring to go to the relief of his wife he too fell and was unable to get up, and thus both husband and wife lay upon the cold ground utterly unable to help each other. No other person was in hearing at the time, and they were compelled to wait some time before their condition was discovered. We also learn that a few days since Mr. James C. Cozart, living near Tally Ho, fell from his horse and had one of his legs broken.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ADRIAN & VOLLERS—See Advt. of Guanahani Guano, on 4th Page.

HARRISON & ALLEN—Stylish Hats.

KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.—Pork, &c.

DAVID & WEILL—20 Per Cent. Saved.

W. J. BUHMANN—Howard Relief.

Local Dots.

— Brewington and Lloyd both voted for the usury bill. Bill Moore didn't vote at all.

— No session of the city court yesterday. The Mayor still continues out of the city.

— Our special telegrams from Raleigh give the full vote on the usury bill by yeas and nays.

— The First Ward Club held a meeting last night. Nothing of a necessarily public character transpired.

— As the usury bill will no doubt pass its third reading in the Legislature to-day, and become a law, we print it again in the shape in which it passed its second reading yesterday.

— The Howard Relief Fire Engine Company No. 1 will celebrated their nineteenth anniversary to-day by a parade in full uniform. The order to march will be given at 10 o'clock A. M. See notice elsewhere.

— On Tuesday a memorial was presented in the State Senate from Dr. J. E Winants, by Mr. Cantwell, proposing to establish a branch Insane Asylum at the Marine Hospital building in this city. The memorial was referred.

— Mr. J. E. Neimyer, who was the owner of the building located at the corner of Sixth and Orange streets which was burned down on last Sunday morning, requests us to state that the fire did not originate from the stove, and that the origin of it is unknown.

— Rev. F. R. Howell, one of the colored ministers whose name appeared to the circular addressed to the Republican voters, a copy of which was published in the STAR, a few days ago, requests us to say that his name appeared to the circular without his consent or knowledde. He says he has nothing to do with politics.

Important Information.

An Associated Press telegram from Washington says information has been received there that a motion was made before Judge Bond, of the U. S. Circuit Court, at Baltimore, yesterday, by D. L. Russell, counsel for the plaintiffs, for an injunction to prohibit the holding of the municipal election here, March 11, on the ground that the bill recently adopted by the Legislature disfranchises the negroes. The case will be tried at Raleigh March 6.

Registration.

Our citizens are reminded that three days of the twelve alloted for registration have already passed. Thus far comparatively few have registered and those who have not are requested to do so at once. No one can vote unless he has registered, and all those who are entitled to vote may as well do so at once to prevent crowding on the latter days of the allotted time. Registration closes on Saturday, the 27th inst.

Money Stolen.

Last night a gay and festive son of Neptune, after a cruise around the city, landed at the house of a colored woman named Cecila Slocum, where with other congenial spirits that "sailed the salt seas" and a number of colored women, a lively sociable was indulged in. This son of Neptune had in his possession about $40 when he entered the house. After enjoying the festivities of the evening and the delightful company, he was about to take his departure when he discovered that the $40 was no longer in his possession. He at once made complaint to the police headquarters, and accompanied by an officer started for the house vibrating between a perpendicular and a horizontal position. On arriving there, however, his perceptive powers were too much muddled to enable him to identify the thief and the search was relinquished.

FROM RALEIGH.

The Usury Bill Passes its Second Reading by 28 Majority—The Vote in Full by Yeas and Nays—Depressing Effect in Business Circles in Raleigh—The Bill to be Called on Third Reading To-Day and to be Rushed Through Under the Call of the Previous Question.

[SPECIAL STAR TELEGRAM.]

RALEIGH, Feb. 17.

The House vote on the amendment to the usury bill to postpone the time at which it is to go into effect to January 1, 1876: Ayes 36, noes 64. This is a test vote.

VIDETTE.

[SECOND TELEGRAM.]

RALEIGH, Feb. 17.

The usury bill passed its second reading in the House to day by the following vote: Ayes, 63; nays, 35. VIDETTE.

[THIRD TELEGRAM.]

RALEIGH, Feb. 17.

The usury bill was taken up in the House at 9 o'clock to-day, and the discussion was resumed on the general merits of the bill.

Messrs. Staples and Pinnix occupied the floor 45 minutes each in advocacy of the bill. Messrs. Mendenhall and Patton also spoke in its favor.

Messrs. Gudger, MacRae, Reid and Walker, of Richmond, led the opposition. Mr. Staples called the previous question at half-past 1 o'clock.

Mebane's amendment was lost by 36 ayes to 64 nays. All the other amendments were lost by about the same vote.

The bill was then put on its second reading and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Anderson, of Davie; Atwater, of Orange; Barnhardt, of Rowan; Bennett, of Brunswick; Bettis, of Cleaveland; Brewington, of N. Hanover; Bryson, of Swain; Bunn, of Edgecombe; Candler, of Buncombe; Carey, of Caswell; Carson, of Alamance; Carter, of Warren; Crews, of Granville; Davis, of Haywood; Davis, of Jackson; Dortch, of Wayne; Dula, of Wilkes; Eatman, of Wilson; Erwin, of McDowell; Etheridge, of Dare; Fields, of Alleghany; Freeman, of Stanley; Gaither, of Iredell; Garrison, of Polk; Glenn, of Yadkin; Goodwin, of Edgecombe; Good, of Craven; Green, of Watauga; Haymore, of Surry; Hicks, of Clay; Hill, of Craven; Hughes, of Granville; Jones, of Halifax; Kendall, of Randolph; King, of Cherokee; Latta, of Orange; Lloyd, of New Hanover; Martin, of Stokes; McCobbins, of Rowan; McNeill, of Bobeson; Mendenhall, of Guilford; Mitchell, of Franklin; Mock, of Davidson; Moffitt, of Randolph; Moseley, of Duplin; Munden, of Pasquotank, Newell, of Bladen; Patton, of Buncombe; Pinnix, of Davidson; Proffitt, of Yancy; Sharpe, of Iredell; Smith, of Anson; Staples, of Guilford; Stowe, of Gaston; Thompson of Lincoln; Thorne, of ——; Trivett, of Ashe; Waldon, of Northampton; Ward, of Bertie; Whisnant, of Rutherford; Whitley, of Wake; Wood, of Perquimans, Woodhouse, of Currituck. 63.

NAYS—Barnett, of Person; Barnhardt, of Caldwell; Bryan, of Sampson; Finger, of Catawba; Gash, of Transylvania; Griffin, of Nash; Holt, of Johnston; Hooker, of Greene; Isler, of Wayne; Jessup, of Cumberland; Jetton, of Mecklenburg; Johnston, of Rockingham; McCallop, of Sampson; McIver, of Moore; McRae, of Cumberland; Mebane, of Rockingham; Moring, of Chatham; Norment, of Robeson; Oaksmith, of Carteret; Page, of Wake; Reid, of Mecklenburg; Richardson, of Columbus; Scott, of Jones. Smith, of Hyde; Spears, of Harnett; Staton, of Pitt; Stephenson, of Wake; Strong, of Wake; Tate, of Burke; Thompson, of Beaufort; Walker, of Richmond, Wheeler, of Forsyth; Wiley, of Washington—35.

The bill comes up to-morrow at 11 o'clock as the special order, when it is understood that the previous question will be called at once.

The opposition here have given up all hope of any compromise, and the bill will pass through.

The announcement of the votes created intense excitement in business circles here, and the unanimous sentiment with our business men is that the calamity is irretrievable. RALEIGH.

The Mails.

The mails will close at the City Post-Office until further notice as follows:

Northern (night) mails daily	6:15 P. M.
" through and way (day) mails daily	5:30 A. M.
Southern mails daily	5:00 A. M.
Charleston direct (night) daily	5:00 P. M.
Columbia " " "	5:00 P. M.
Augusta " " "	5:00 P. M.
Western mails (C. C. R'y) "	5:30 A. M.
Smithville (via Easy Hill and Town Creek) Tuesdays and Saturdays	6:00 A. M.
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Mondays and Fridays	1:00 P. M.
Fayetteville by C. C. R'y, daily	5:30 A. M.
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday	6:00 A. M.

Mails delivered from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M.

Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 6 P. M. Money order or Register Department open same as stamp office.

Registration Yesterday.

The following are the registration returns for yesterday:

First Ward, no returns.

Second Ward 20, all whites.

Third Ward, first precinct, no returns.

Third Ward, second precinct, 8 whites.

Third Ward, third precinct, no returns.

Third Ward, fourth precinct, 8 whites.

— Import Entries for sale at the office of THE MORNING STAR. 3t.

Bishop Atkinson's Appointments for February, 1875.

Goldsboro	Ash Wednesday	" 10
Wilson		" 12
Rocky Mount		" 14
Enfield		" 16
Ringwood		" 17
Halifax		" 19
Weldon		" 21

Collections at each place in behalf of Diocesan Missions.

CITY ITEMS.

IF YOU are troubled with Weak and Defective Sight do not fail to consult Dr. Well, Oculist, No 47 Market street, above Conley & Yates' Book Store.

THE TOLLEY GUN.—COPY OF TESTIMONIAL.—HUDSON CITY, N. J., Sept. 30th, 1874.—MESSRS. J. & W. TOLLEY—29 Maiden Lane, New York:—The 10-guage Gun No. 3078 I ordered from you gives me entire satisfaction. I was very exacting when ordering the Gun, but must say that you have more than fulfilled what I required of you. I have shot several breech-loaders by first-class makers, and your gun beats them all for beauty and workmanship. As for shooting qualities, your gun shoots stronger and more even than any gun I ever shot. I have shown it to several good judges (including first-class gunmakers) and all agree that the action is very strong and durable, and that the gun is one of the best they ever saw. I have made some very long shots with it, using only 3¾ drs. of powder, which is all your gun requires. I have shot it at a target according to the rules of the Turf, Field and Farm trials, and the average of 6 shots at 40 yards is: Left-pattern, 169; penetration, 38: right-pattern, 175; penetration 39; using 3¾ drs. powder. Now I am sure such a gun is seldom met with, and am very proud to be the owner of it. But the real test of your gun is in the field—there it excells all others, killing cleaner and handsomer than any gun I ever saw, as you assured me they would. Both paper and metal shells work splendidly. Gentlemen, I have to offer you my very best thanks, and will recommend your guns to all my friends.

Yours Respectfully,

HENRY LORIOT.

BOOK BINDERY.—THE MORNING STAR Book Bindery does all kinds of Binding and Ruling in a workmanlike manner, and at reasonable prices. Merchants and others needing Receipt Books, or other work, may rely on promptness in the execution of their orders.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Proclamation of Outlawry.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, ROBESON COUNTY.

WHEREAS. John Burchet, Murdoch McInnis and William Bridgers have complained on oath before the undersigned Acting Justices of the Peace for Alfordsville township, in said county, that

JESSE LEGETT

did, on the night of the 5th of January, 1875, near the south Carolina line, in said township, without any just cause, SHOOT AND KILL DAVID TRAWICK; and

WHEREAS The said JESSE LEGETT flees from justice, conceals himself and evades arrest and service of the usual process of law;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, Charles McRae and John H. Morrison, Acting Justices as aforesaid, issue this our Proclamation: that if the said JESSE LEGETT continues to stay out, lurk and conceal himself and does not immediately surrender himself, any citizen of the state may capture, arrest and bring him to justice; and, in case of flight or resistance by him after being called on and warned to surrender,

MAY SLAY HIM

without accusation or impeachment of any crime. GIVEN under our hands and seals, this the 11th day of January, A. D. 1875

(Copy.) [L. S.] CHAS. McRAE, J. P.
[L. S.] JOHN H. MORRISON, J. P.

Reward—$335.00—Reward.

WE, the undersigned, will pay the above Reward of $335 00 to any person or persons who will arrest and deliver JESSE LEGETT to the Sheriff of Robeson county. Dated this January 11th, 1875.

ALEX'R TRAWICK,
ARTHUR TRAWICK,
SAMUEL B. THOMPSON.

DESCRIPTION.—About 27 years old; weighs about 175 lbs about 5 ft. 10 in. high; scar under left eye; fair complexion; hair chesnut color. fe19 ditwt*

Howard Relief F. E. Co., No. 1.

OFFICE OF RECORDING SECRETARY.

ATTENTION MEMBERS: You are ordered to appear at the Engine House this (THURSDAY) morning, at 9½ o'clock, in full uniform (with hats), for Parade in celebration of the Nineteenth Anniversary of our Company. The order to march will be given at 10 o'clock A. M., sharp. *Honorary Members are especially requested to join.*

By order of the Foreman.

W. J. BUHMANN,
Recording Secretary.

LINE OF MARCH:

From Engine House down Market Street to Front, up Front to Princess, up Princess to Third, up Third to Chesnut, up Chesnut to Fourth, up Fourth to Nun, down Nun to Front, up Front to Market, up Market back to Engine House. feb 18-1t

25 Per Cent.

SAVED BY BUYING YOUR

CLOTHING

NOW.

Business Suits,

Dress Suits,

Wedding Suits.

Made to Order at Cost Until March 1st.

feb 18-tf DAVID & WEIL.

Bacon and Pork.

75 BOXES D. S. Sides.
50 " Smoked Sides.
20 " " Shoulders.
30 Bbls Pork.

For sale by

feb 18 tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Molasses! Molasses!

100 HHDS NEW CROP CUBA.
100 Bbls Sugar House.

For sale by

feb 18-tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Corn! Corn! Corn!

3000 Bushels Corn,

For sale by

feb 18 tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Stylish Fur Hats,

THE ENGLISH BLACK, STIFF AND FINE SOFT FELT HATS.

At HARRISON & ALLEN'S

feb 18-tf 38 Market St.

C. H. Ward's

FASHIONABLE HAIR DRESSING & SHAVING Saloon, 7 South Front St., Wilmington, N. C.

N. B—I have secured the services of the BEST artists of my profession.

MISCELLANEOUS.

EUREKA! AMMONIATED BONE.

350 TONS

Eureka Guano.

EQUAL TO ANYTHING OFFERED IN THE Market.

For sale on crop time to responsible pasties, by

WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

Guanape Guano.

250 TONS IN STORE.

For sale low by

feb 17-tf WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

The Low Prices

Easily Account for the Extent of Our Daily Sales.

SINCE WE RESOLVED TO SELL AT PRICES that would surely reduce our STOCK, it has required no Salesmanship to sell our goods,

SILKS, BLACK ALPACAS,
FURS, DRESS GOODS,

Bleached and unbleached Shirting and Sheeting, SHAWLS,
TABLE CLOTHS,
BLANKETS, SPREADS,
FLANNELS, HOSIERY, RIBBONS,
GLOVES, LACES, COLLARS,

Gent's Fine White Shirts, Underwear,

Suitings, Suspenders, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs and COLLARS.

With thousands of other goods belonging in a First Class Dry Goods Stock, are daily being disposed of at prices that really make it to the advantage of persons in want to buy them now from the best Stock in the City, at the prices never sold at before. Remember the inducement is offered only by the leading Dry Goods House of Wilmington.

BOSKOWITZ & LIEBER,
jan 10-tf 29 Market street.

New Novels,

JUST RECEIVED BY EXPRESS.

THE MAID OF KILLEENA AND OTHER STORIES, by William Black, Author of "A Princess of Thule," &c, &c., 50 cents.

A STRANGE WORLD, by Miss M. E. Braddon, Author of "Aurora Floyd, "Publicans and Sinners," Lost for Love, &c., &c., 75 cents.

For sale at

HEINSBERGER'S
feb 16 tf Live Book and Music Store.

At Wholesale.

WE OFFER a large and varied assortment of

BOOTS

—AND—

SHOES

At prices lower than elsewhere in the State.

GEO. R. FRENCH & SON'S,
feb 13-tf 39 North Front street.

--22--

Tobaccos.

FOR RETAILERS AT 45 cents and upwards. For consumers at 50 cents and upwards. A general assortment of

Tobacco Goods

—AND—

Smokers' Articles,

At prices guaranteed to suit reliable purchasers by

D. PIGOTT.
feb 7-tf 22 Market Street.

NOTICE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
City of Wilmington,
Jan. 23d, 1874.

FROM THIS DATE AUCTIONEERS ARE prohibited selling horses or stock of any kind in front of the City Market. Princess street, from the Eastern line of Front street to the Western line of Fourth street, or Second and Third streets, between the Northern line of Market and the Southern line of Chesnut streets, are designated for this purpose by order of the Mayor.

J. H. ROBINSON,
jan 24-tf City Marshal.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BEWARE OF

Spectacle Peddlers,

Who charge you five times more than the same goods can be bought for at

GEO. HONNET'S,
jan 31-tf No. 53 Market Street.

Hoes, Hoes.

SCOVIL, LAWS' ELWELLS WEEDING AND Hilling and Aultmuns Hoes at low prices at New Hardware Store.

GILES & MURCHISON.
feb 7-tf 38 North Front St.

Beets, Parsnips,

SWEET CIDER,

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