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MISCELLANEOUS.

AN ORDINANCE.

Concerning Drays, Wagons, Carts, &c. THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C., DO ORDAIN, That any Dray, Truck, Wagon, or Cart found in any street within the City limits without the

Badge or Registered Number as required by City Tax Ordinance passed May 9th, 1873, shall be subject to seizure by the City Marshal, and the owner thereof subject to a fine of Five Dollars for each and every day the same is used in this City without the payment of the monthly tax, or without having on the

Badge or Registered Number as the Ordinance of the City requires. Any Ordinance or parts thereof conflicting with the foregoing are hereby repealed. The above Ordinance was passed by the Board of Aldermen at their meeting February 10th, 1874.

Feb 13th T. C. SHERWOOD, City Clerk.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of THE WORLD, & Well, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, S. R. Well having withdrawn from the firm.

Having purchased the interest of Mr. S. R. Well in the late firm of David & Well, I will continue the business at their old Stand No. 27 Market street, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon the late firm.

A. DAVID, City Clerk.

C. WEST & SONS.

Aladdin Security Oil. We warrant, 150 Degrees Fire Test. THE BEST HOUSEHOLD OIL IN THE WORLD. HOWARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, BALTIMORE, December 23, 1874.

Persons who wish FINE and common TOBACCO for sale in small quantities, notwithstanding the increase of tax of a cent on the pound, can be supplied with all their wants at prices as low as the market, at the People's Tobacco Store, No. 12 Market street, where a complete stock of TOBACCO AND SMOKING TOBACCO is always kept on hand, and Smokers' Articles

A CARD. PERSONS with whom I may have influence are CAUTIONED that the use of my name as a reference by an individual styling himself

"Dr. Well, Oculist and Optician," IS WHOLLY UNAUTHORIZED. The said "Dr. Well" is unknown to me, and hence cannot have my recommendation.

J. J. CHESLUM, M. D. BALTIMORE EYE AND EAR INSTITUTION, Feb 18th, 1875.

Our Spring Stock.

WILL BE HERE AND OPEN FOR INSPECTION in a FEW DAYS. OUR FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC are cordially invited to our examination as we can safely promise something nice.

SHIRNER BROS., 33 Market Street.

Linseed Oil.

WHITE LEAD, LARD OIL, KEROSENE OIL, ALCOHOL, VARNISH, &c., etc. For sale by GREEN & FLANNERY, Druggists.

FOR THE ENSUING WEEK.

AT CITIZENS' MARKET, A FINE LOT OF Sampson County Stuffed Beag which I will sell at prices to suit the times. Call and see for yourself.

T. A. WATSON, Proprietor.

Base Balls and Clubs.

TOPS AND MARBLES. Just arrived and for sale by G. H. W. RUDGE'S, Northeast cor. Market and Second Sts. Feb 24th

CORN SHELLERS, FEED CUTTERS.

FOR MILLS, TRACE CHAINS, STEEL HOBS, Axes, Hammers, Colliers, Hack Bands, Cotton Flow Lines, &c. A full stock, and at the lowest market rates can be found at the Old Established Hardware House of JOHN DAWSON, Nos. 19, 20 and 21 Market St. Feb 24th

E. F. Coe's.

AMMONIATED BONE PHOSPHATE. A FURTHER SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY March 4th O. G. FARLEY & CO.

FASHIONABLE SILK HATS.

SOFT FELT AND STIFF HATS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c. At HARRISON & ALLEN'S City Hat Store, 58 Market St. March 4th

COAL! COAL!

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THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. GEO. HONNET--Opera Chains. W. A. WILLIAMS--1st Ward Club. J. C. STEVENSON--Fresh Arrivals. KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.--Sundries.

Local Dots. Falling barometer, southeast winds, warmer, cloudy weather and rain to-day.

The First Ward Club meet to-night at Lippitt's Hall. See notice elsewhere.

The bill to incorporate the Fifth Ward Bucket Company No. 1 of this city passed the Senate on Wednesday.

The market fell will change its hours of ringing this morning. The breakfast bell will ring at 7 and the turn-out bell at 8 o'clock.

The intelligence contained in the communication of "Romeo" is rather too old for publication. Besides, he should have given his real name.

Rev. Mr. Hiden, of this city, delivered his "Metropolitan Bug" lecture at the Friendschaftsbund Hall, Charleston, last Tuesday evening to a good audience. The lecture was a benefit of the Y. M. C. A. of the Baptist Church. The News and Courier, in closing its notice, says: "Mr. Hiden's style is full of dry humor with occasional touches of pathos, and his lecture was very entertaining."

Appropriations for this Section. We learn from a special telegram received from Governor Ransom that the appropriation bill, appropriating \$150,000 for the Cape Fear river and harbor improvements, was passed yesterday and is now a law. The committee formerly reported in favor of \$100,000, but the bill was afterwards amended to allow \$150,000.

Col. W. L. DeRosset, President of the Chamber of Commerce, was informed by a telegram received by him yesterday from Hon. A. M. Waddell that the sum of \$30,000 had been appropriated also for the signal service in this section. This amount is intended, we learn, to be applied to the constructing of a telegraph wire between this city and Cape Hatteras and Smithville.

County Commissioners. The Board of County Commissioners met last night in adjourned session. Present--J. G. Wagner, Chairman pro tem, and Commissioners Morris and Nixon.

Communication from Wilmington Township Board of Trustees was called up, read and tabled.

Application of S. T. Potts, Clerk of the Township Board, to be reimbursed for townships improperly paid, was tabled.

Reports of Committees on Roads and Bridges, Poor House, Public Buildings and Work House were received and ordered filed.

The Auditing Committee were granted further time in which to report. It was ordered that all money orders to out-door paupers, except such as are recommended by the Committee on Poor, be discontinued from this date.

It was ordered that the Chairman pro tem. have the Court Room and Commissioners Room put in good condition.

The Clerk of the Board was instructed to notify the Trustees of each township in the county to list all taxable, real and personal property, for the year 1875, as prescribed by law.

It was ordered that the following named members of the Boards of Trustees in the various townships in the county meet with the Board of Commissioners on Saturday, the 20th instant, to agree upon some uniform scale of valuation of both real and personal property, as prescribed in Chap. 138, Sec. 3, Laws of 1872-74.

Grant Township--Andrew Nixon. Point Caswell--James Thompson. Columbia--C. M. Galloway. Lincoln--W. J. Bivins. Rocky Point--A. Gamburg. Holly--Thomas Williams. Union--S. C. Filyaw. Holden--George Jordan. Cape Fear--H. E. Scott. Wilmington--J. J. Cassiday.

The Board adjourned to meet again this evening at 7 o'clock.

Sudden Death. A painful occurrence took place in our city yesterday in the sudden death of Mr. W. H. Rich, a gentleman residing in Sampson county. It seems that Mr. Rich has been in the city for a few days past on business and was stopping at the house of Mr. O. S. Yarborough. He has been complaining while here of being sick, and yesterday between 1 and 2 o'clock, after having partaken of a light dinner, he stepped out upon the front piazza of the house at which he was stopping and while walking there fell, expiring almost instantly.

Mr. Rich was aged about 48 years, and leaves a wife and several children. The cause of his sudden death is supposed to have been heart disease.

The Coroner was notified and will probably hold an inquest upon the remains to-day.

Mayor's Court. Isaac Murphy was arraigned for fighting and creating a disturbance, in which Calvin Terry was the victim of Ike's superior fighting qualities. Murphy was fined \$30 and costs, or required to work on the streets for thirty days. His financial condition was such that he was compelled to accept the latter alternative.

City subscribers who fail to receive their papers regularly will please report the fact promptly at this office. If

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