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OUTLINES.

Pendleton and Boynton testify on Monday. —— Heavy failure of E. O. Tufts & Co., Boston and New York woollen commission merchants. —— Japan has declared war against Corea. —— Bishop Johns, of Virginia, is quite ill. —— A fearful tornado passed over Iowa and Wisconsin, and the destruction to life and property was considerable. —— N. Y. markets: Gold, 114¼@114⅝; cotton, 12⅛@12 13-16; spirits turpentine, 39 cents; rosin, $1 60@$1 65.

MRS. B.'S CASE.

We learn from a Baltimore journal that no movement has been instituted looking to the bringing of any criminal prosecution against Mrs Belknap, and strong doubts have been expressed as to whether she is liable to such prosecution. Section 5,451 of the revised statutes describes the offense of which she has been guilty and fixes the penalty therefor. This section provides for fine and imprisonment for the act committed by Mrs. Belknap, but there is a probability for a technical escape, just as there is now said to be for Gen. Belknap himself.

We know many of the Republican papers from force of habit would infinitely prefer thieves as rulers to Democrats, but it remained for the New York *Herald* to speak for the Independent Press on the subject. Near the end of a long article that great pulse-feeler says:

"No remedy for the evils from which we suffer could well be worse than that of handing this country over to a party that is only the fag end of the Confederacy; that believes Andersonville was a modern Garden of Eden and regards Jeff Davis as a martyr and a patriot."

You fear the "fag end of the Confederacy," but so did the foolish boy the pillow swinging in the barn door on a dark night. The ghost has no wish to hurt, if it had the power.

A SHOWER OF QUIVERING FLESH.

LOUISVILLE, March 9.—A special dispatch to the *Courier-Journal* from Mount Sterling, Kentucky, says: Yesterday a most wonderful phenomenon transpired in that section. The correspondent says that during the sunshine and clear sky there fell from the heavens quivering flesh, which came down in large quantities and covered many acres of territory. Hogs and chickens eagerly devoured the flesh, specimens of which have been sent to this city for scientific examination.

Has anybody seen the President and his remaining Secretaries since the 8th?

A STUPENDOUS UNDERTAKING.

The plan for driving a tunnel under the British channel is so favorably considered that $800,000 is to be spent at once in sinking shafts on each side 450 feet, and running experimental drifts out under the sea. It is calculated that the tunnel can be completed in six years at a cost of $30,000,000.

Last Wednesday, in New York, in broad open day, a Cuban gentleman of wealth was abducted and carried no one knows where, by a person pretending to be an officer. He had a large amount of Spanish Securities on his person. Belknap and Babcock are bearing fruit.

Prominent friends of Governor Hendricks and General Love, who have taken pains to inquire, say there is no truth in the report that these gentlemen are implicated, by evidence or otherwise, in improper use of money in procuring Gatling gun contracts.

The *Tribune* does not suppose that General Schenck's disgraceful manner of leaving England will injure his character more than his disgraceful behavior while he remained there.

The Baltimore *Gazette's* puns have not all been as good as this one:

"Orvil testifies that he is a painter—an 'old master'—perhaps Paul Vere-oneasy for instance."

Have Your Choice, but Be Responsible for it.

Spirits Turpentine

— Dr. John H. Branch, of Enfield, died Wednesday morning.

— Col. Waddell has presented a memorial in Congress for a route from Dundarch to Lumber bridge.

— There has been some typographical improvement in the Henderson *Tribune* lately.

— There is some sort of a hitch between the grangers and the Raleigh board of trade about who shall be cotton weighers for the city.

— We are glad to learn from the Asheville *Expositor* that Mr. Furman, editor of the Asheville *Citizen*, is not so ill at Washington, as was reported.

— Weldon *News:* Two estimable ladies, Mrs. James A. White, of Scotland Neck, and Mrs. Fannie Gregory, of Crowell's X Roads, also two worthy and favorably known physicians, Dr. James Johnson, of Northampton, and Dr. J. H. Branch, of Enfield, as also Alfred Simmons, a very worthy colored man, died in Halifax this week.

— Raleigh *News:* On Wednesday, at the midday services in the Chapel of St. Mary's school in this city, four of the pupils were baptised by the Rector; and at the evening service the rite of confirmation was administered to twelve of the young ladies by the Assistant Bishop of the Diocese, the Rt. Rev. Dr. Lyman.

— We learn by a dispatch to a Richmond paper of a singular and fatal accident that took place on the 9th ult., near King's Mountain. Samuel Harman, a carpenter, was standing on a scaffold repairing a dwelling. The scaffold fell, and a chisel which he had in his hand during the fall, cut his windpipe and jugular veins killing him instantly.

— Rockingham *Spirit:* Sunday last, in this vicinity, a little son of Rev. Jas. Covington was accidentally struck on the head with a rock thrown by another little boy son of Mr. W. W. Ellerbe, and seriously hurt, the little fellow's skull probably being fractured. This is another warning to boys against the evil practice of throwing rocks.

THE CITY.

The Mails.

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

Northern (night) mails for all points North, East and West of Weldon, daily at	6:30 P. M.
" through and way (day) mails daily except Sunday,	6:30 A. M.
Mails for the N. C Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom, at	6:30 P. M.
Southern mails for all points South, daily	5:30 P. M.
Charleston, daily, at	5:30 A. M.
Western mails (C. C. R'y) daily (except Sundays,)	6:30 P. M.
Charlotte mail closes at	4:30 P. M
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Mondays and Fridays	1:00 P M.
Fayetteville by C. C. R'y, daily (except Sundays)	5:30 A. M.
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday	6:00 A. M.

The Smithville mails, by steamboat, close at 8 A. M., daily, except Sundays.

Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, Bell Swamp, Supply and Shallotte, every Friday at 6 A. M.

Mails delivered from 6:30 A. M. to 7:15 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 5:30 P. M. Money order for Register Department open same as stamp office.

Stamps for sale at general delivery when stamp office is closed.

Key Boxes accessible at all hours, day and night.

Mails collected from street boxes every day at 5 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. W. YATES—Bargains in Boots, &c.
HARRISON & ALLEN—Hats, &c.
MUNSON & Co.—English Suitings.
A. SHRIER—Spring Stock Clothing.
WM. M. LARKINS—Bankrupt Notice.
WILLIAMS & MURCHISON—Sundries.
KERCHNER & CALDER BROS—Groceries.
S. G. NORTHROP—Soda Water.
GILES & MURCHISON—Fishing Tackle.
J. E. MOORE—Laborers Wanted.
D. A. SMITH & Co—Matting.
N. H. D. WILSON—Sale in Bankruptcy.
JOHN W. GORDON—Insurance Card.
C. D. MYERS & Co.—Family Groceries.

Local Dots.

— A brig, name unknown, was reported below yesterday, bound up.

— Norwegian barque *Freidig*, Andersen, hence, reached Hamburg 8th inst.

— Arrived at Hamburg, 19th ult., *Jeruben*, Svendsen, hence.

— Cleared from Boston for this port 9th inst., *J. M. Morales*, Eldridge.

— Cleared from Philadelphia for this part, 9th inst., schooner *A. & E. Hooper*, Hooper.

— Don't forget the Temperance Meeting at Temperance Hall, Tuesday evening.

— There were no cases for investigation before the Mayor's Court, yesterday morning.

— Capt. Gould, of the brig *Mechanic*, at quarantine, is getting well and able to be on deck.

— Mr. F. M. Agostini, Sr., has opened a confectionery store just north of Boney Bridge.

— Clear or fair and warmer weather predicted for to-day and cooler for to-night.

— Mr. Albert Martin's wharf, foot of Ann street, is being put in thorough repair.

— There was no steamer from Fayetteville yesterday. It was the *Murchison's* day, and she is laid up for repairs.

— German barge *Freidrich Scalla*, hence, arrived at Glasgow 18th ult. with foremast sprung and loss of bowsprit.

— The turnpike road will be open to the public to-day, provided the weather continues fair.

— A horse attached to a dray fell down on the stone pavement near the foot of Market street, yesterday afternoon, breaking the shaft of the vehicle.

— Superior Court for Columbus county will convene at Whiteville to-morrow. The Heaton case, from the county, will be heard on Wednesday.

— The Register of Deeds issued only two marriage licenses during the past week, both of which were for colored couples.

— Chaney McNeill, the colored woman who was so badly burned a few nights since, an account of which appeared in this paper, is, we understand, not expected to recover.

— German barque *Herman Helmreich*, Oesterreich, Granton, Feb. 17, for this port, is reported from Aberdeen 20th, as passed through the bay.

— There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society Tuesday p. m., 14th, at 3½ o'clock, at Hook and Ladder Hall, on Dock street.

— The guard has been removed from the Seamen's Home, where there have been two cases of small-pox, and Capt. Penton was out on the streets yesterday, receiving the congratulations of his friends on his restoration to health. His case was a very light one.

— The Italian barque lost on Currituck beach, near Kitty Hawk, some days ago, proved to be the *Nueva Attavia*. The four survivors of her crew were forwarded by Norfolk to Baltimore, 7th inst., whence they will be sent home to Italy by the Vice Consul.

The County Injunction Case.

We learn from a private dispatch, received in this city yesterday, that the County Injunction Case has been decided by the Supreme Court in favor of the County Commissioners. The case, brought up on appeal from Judge McKoy's decision dissolving the injunction granted by Judge Seymour to restrain the Commissioners from collecting the alleged excess over the established limit of taxation, resulted in the re-affirmation of Judge McKoy's decision, and consequent dissolution of the injunction. The case, on appeal from Judge Henry's decision increasing the bond of the appellants in the foregoing case, on the ground of its insufficiency to protect the county, resulted in that decision being set aside and the bond continued only in the amount at first fixed.

This, at least, is the construction put upon the dispatch referred to, which is not quite definite in its wording.

Stealing a Flat Load of Wood—The Thieves Arrested and Committed for Trial.

Samuel Council and Neill Huske, both colored, the first named being a resident of Bladen county, and the latter of Fayetteville, were arraigned before Justice H. E. Scott, of Cape Fear Township, yesterday morning, on the charge of larceny.

It appears that a colored man by the name of Emanuel Tuesdale, living at what is known as the Fillyaw place, a short distance from town, had a lot of wood at the Davis place, about seven miles up Northwest Cape Fear, which he had cut and corded with the view of bringing it to this place and selling it. But Council and Huske, it seems, were determined to anticipate him in this, as they procured a flat and went up the river to the point in question, where they took on about twelve cords of the wood, brought it to this city and sold it. Complaint was made by Tuesdale to Justice Scott on Thursday last, who issued the necessary warrants for Council and Huske, who were arrested the same night.

The case was heard in the Grand Jury room at the Court House, the Justice fearing that the prisoners might succeed in effecting their escape if taken to his township for examination; besides which, the most of the witnesses belonged in this place. The evidence being sufficient, in the opinion of the Magistrate, the parties were required to enter into bond in the sum of $200 each for their appearance at the next term of the Superior Court for this county, in default of which they were lodged in jail.

Another Child Burned to Death—The Inquest over the Body, &c.

Coroner Hewlett held an inquest, yesterday, over the body of a small colored child, about eight years of age, named Ida Lewge, in the neigborhood of the Messrs. Kidder's mill, who was burned to death on Thursday night last, about midnight. It appears from the evidence of M. Lewge, the father of the child, together with its mother, went to church on the night in question, leaving deceased and two or three other children in the house. About midnight a woman, living in another part of the same house, heard the children screaming, and upon rushing into the apartment occupied by them, found the little girl alluded to completely enveloped in flames. The fire was extinguished as quickly as possible, but the child was so severely burned that it lingered in great agony until Friday, at noon, when it died. The clothing of the child became ignited, in some manner, from the fire on the hearth, the little ones being too young to comprehend the danger of playing in close proximity to it.

The jury returned a verdict that deceased came to her death by accidental burning.

After the jury retired Coroner Hewlett took occasion to lecture the colored women present, of whom there were some twelve or fifteen, on the danger of leaving little children at home by themselves, especially when it was necessary to have a fire in the house, and cautioned them to take warning from the case before them.

Caught in the Act.

A colored man by the name of Duncan Holden, in the employment of Messrs. Vick & Mebane, detected another colored individual, by the name of Henry Parker, yesterday morning, in the act of stealing and carrying away from the yard of those gentlemen, on Nutt street, an empty spirit barrel. He took the fellow in charge and subsequently turned him over to an officer by whom he was taken to the Marshal's office, where the necessary warrant was made out, and Parker was lodged in the Guard House to await a hearing before the Mayor to-morrow merning on the charge of larceny.

Our Churches To-Day.

First Baptist Church, corner of Market and Fifth streets, Rev. James B. Taylor, Pastor. Sunday School at 9½ a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m. Young men's prayer meeting Tuesday night at 7½ o'clock. Regular prayer meeting Thursday night at 7½ o'clock.

St. Paul's Evang. Lutheran Church, corner of 6th and Market streets, Rev. G. D. Bernheim, pastor. English service at 11 a. m. German service at 7½ p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Catechetical instruction on Friday at 3½ p. m. Weekly lecture on Friday at 7½ p. m.

Front Street M. E. Church (South), corner of Front and Walnut streets: Rev. J. E. Mann, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7½ o'clock. Young Men's Society Tuesday night at 7½ o'clock.

Fifth Street Methodist E. Church (South), situated on Fifth, between Nun and Church streets: Rev. J. M. Rhodes, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m. Sabbath School at 9½ a. m. Class meeting 3½ p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 7½ o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets: Rev. Jos. R. Wilson, D. D., Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets. Rev. C. M. Payne, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Friday 7½ a. m. Seats free.

St. James' Church, corner Third and Market sts. Second Sunday in Lent. Services as follows: Celebration at 7½ a. m.; Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock; Evening Prayer at 5 o'clock; Sunday School at 4 p. m.

Services in St. John's Church to-day, Second Sunday in Lent, as follows: Celebration at 7½ a. m. Morning Prayer, at 11 o'clock. Evening Prayer at 8 o'clock.

Services at St. Paul's (Episcopal) church, corner of Fourth and Orange streets, as follows: Services at 11 a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. T. M. Ambler, Rector. Seats free.

St. Thomas' Catholic Church, Dock st., near Third. Second Sunday in Lent. Morning Services at 7 and 10.30. Vespers at 4 o'clock. Daily Mass at 7 a. m. The "Way of the Cross" on Friday evening at 7.30.

Services at St. Mark's (colored) Episcopal Church, corner 6th and Mulberry streets, on Sundays as follows: Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at St. Barnabas School House, at 3½ p. m. Confirmation class at the Church at 5 p. m. Evening prayer at 8 o'clock.

First Baptist Church, colored, on Fifth and Campbell streets. Sunday School at 9½ a. m.; preaching at 10½ a. m., 3 p. m. and 7½ p. m. Rev. F. R. Howell, Pastor.

Trinity Chapel, M. E. Church, 7th and Brunswick streets, Rev. Z. T. Pearsall, Pastor. Services at 11 o'clock, a. m., 3½ p. m. and 7½ p. m. Sabbath School at 9 a. m.

Ebenezer Baptist Church (colored), 7th, between Orange and Ann streets, W. H. Banks, pastor. Services at 10½ a. m., 3 p. m., and 8 p. m.

The Difficulty in the First (Colored) Baptist Church—Disposal of the Case, &c.

We referred yesterday to the fact that certain parties, alleging that they are members of the First (colored) Baptist Church, corner of Fifth and Campbell streets, had been arraigned before Justice Gardner, on complaint of Eli Currie, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of said church, charged with getting possession of the keys, and locking the doors of the building to prevent the holding of service in the same; also, that the communion service had been captured by the "insurgents," &c. The case, which was finally postponed until 10 o'clock yesterday monning, was opened at the Court House at the hour specified, Mr. Adam Empie appearing for the defendants, John Sauls, Wm. Buchanan, John Long, Benj. Fillyaw, Jack Dyer, and Eli Larkins.

After some preliminary consultation, interchange of views, &c., the defense finally admitted that they locked the doors, nailed up the church, &c., thus doing away with the necessity of examining the witnesses to prove the charges, and bringing the matter to a speedy conclusion. Justice Gardner then delivered the judgment of the Court, to the effect that each of the defendants should pay a fine of $50 and the costs. From this decision they took an appeal to the Superior Court, and were required to enter into recognizance, with proper security, for their appearance at the next term of said Court.

The case created a great deal of interest among the members and friends of the church, a large number being present to witness and listen to the proceedings. Among others we noticed Rev. J. B. Taylor and Geo. R. French, Esq., of the First (white) Baptist Church, present.

We should have stated in the proper place that John Sauls, one of the defendants, was required to pay an additional $50 and costs for taking the communion service from the possession of Paris Wood, on the 2nd of January last, and retaining the same in his custody up to the present time. He took an appeal in this as in the other case.

Range of Thermometer.

The following was the range of the thermometer at the Signal Bureau, in this city, yesterday:

7 A. M., 55; 12 M., 75; 2 P. M., 74; 4:30 P. M., 73; 9 P. M., 64; 11 P. M., 62.

— An adjourned session of the Board of County Commissioners will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, the main business to transact being the revision of the tax lists.

Supreme Court—Thursday's Decisions.

Opinions were filed in the following cases:

By Reade, J.:

John Hardy, administrator, *vs.* Carolina Central Railway Company, from New Hanover. Affirmed.

By Rodman, J.:

State *vs.* Gus. Graham, from Anson. Affirmed.

By Bynum, J.;

Bizzell Johnson *et al.*, *vs.* Walter R. Bell, from Duplin. Reversed.

Thermometer Record.

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4:30 P. M., yesterday, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city:

Augusta, 80; Charleston, 71; Galveston, 72; Montgomery, 78; Mobile, 63; New Orleans, 75; Norfolk, 50; Savannah, 75; Wilmington, 73.

License Restored.

Edward Gause having paid Mr. Saunders for the fish lost by him a few days since, mention of which was made in this paper, had his dray license restored to him by the Mayor yesterday morning. And now Edward Gause, with his dray and horse, are once more free as the air, while visions of fish, in box nor in dish, will disturb the happy pair.

Another Tempest in a Teapot.

We learn that a warrant has been issued by U. S. Commissioner Cassidey against Gen. W. R. Cox and four of the Commissioners of Robeson county, charged on the affidavit of R. M. Norment with a conspiracy to defraud in the late election in that county, and citing the parties to appear before him in this city on Wednesday next.

Mortuary.

There were only two interments in Oakdale Cemetery during the week closing yesterday, both of the parties being children, aged three months and fifteen months respectively. The diseases were pneumonia and fever. The interments in Pine Forest (colored) Cemetery for the same period numbered seven, of which three were adults and four children.

The Good Time Coming.

The *Observer* tells us that Superintendent Fremont, of the Carolina Central Railway, "is endeavoring to effect a connection with the Western North Carolina Railroad, by which passengers can go through from Wilmington to Henry's, the Western terminus of the last named road, in 24 hours." So let it be, and may the time come quickly!

Fell in a Fit.

A stranger from Philadelphia created some excitement on Princess street, about 7 o'clock last night, by falling into a fit on the sidewalk in front of the Courthouse. Physicians were called to attend, and the man soon revived, when he was taken to the Guard House, there to receive further attention.

CITY ITEMS.

Your life is in danger when you allow a severe cough or cold to go unchecked. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a cheap, harmless and reliable remedy.

LATE PAPERS.—To Harris' News Stand, south side Front Street, we are indebted for copies of the New York *Ledger*, *Chimney Corner* and *Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper* for the current week. The Stand will remain open until 11 o'clock this morning.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Laborers Wanted.
ONE HUNDRED MEN CAN FIND STEADY EMPLOYMENT and GOOD WAGES, at the STONE QUARRY, on the Cape Fear River, at the BIG MAGNOLIA TREE.
mh 12-1w J. E. MOORE, Sup't.

1876 Spring. MATTING. 1876 Spring
WHITE, CHECKED AND FANCY
MATTING,
Just received for Spring Trade, at low prices by
mh 12-2t D. A. SMITH & CO.

Pure Cold Soda Water.
I HAVE OPENED MY SODA WATER FOUNTAIN for the summer, and this healthy and refreshing beverage, with the best of Syrups, all made by the undersigned, is now on draught at
S. G. NORTHROP'S
mh 12-tf Fruit and Confectionery Store.

Fishing Tackle.
NOW ON THE WAY, AND EXPECTED DAILY, One of the Largest Stocks of FISHING TACKLE ever brought to this market, consisting of Poles, Lines, Hooks, Corks, Sinkers, Spinners, and in fact every thing needed, either by Amateurs or Fishermen, which will be sold at prices to suit the times at the New Hardware Store of
mh 12-tf GILES & MURCHISON.

Cash Down!
PUTS PRICES DOWN FOR ALL
Family Supplies.
CHOICE GREEN AND BLACK TEAS IN FAMILY PACKAGES,
FIVE POUNDS EACH.
Only two dollars and forty cents a pound at the
Family Grocery Stores of
CHAS. D. MYERS & CO.,
5 & 7 North Front Street.

Lard, Baltimore Hams,
FINEST SUGAR CURED HAMS IN AMERICA.
Rye and Graham Flour,
IN BARRELS AND HALF BARRELS.
ONE HUNDRED
KITS SALMON AND MACKEREL.
25 BOXES CODFISH.
CHAS. D. MYERS & CO.,
mh 12-4tD&W 5 and 7 North Front Street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Broadway Silk Hats.
Stiff and Soft Fur Hats.
Traveling Bags, Umbrellas, &c.
HARRISON & ALLEN'S,
mh 12-tf 29 Front St.

To Make to Measure.
English Suitings,
IMPORTED DIRECT BY US. NOW OPEN.
Leave orders with
At MUNSON & CO.,
mh 12-tf Clothiers and Merchant Tailors.

Our New Spring Stock.
OUR FIRST INSTALMENT OF
SPRING CLOTHING
HAS BEEN RECEIVED.
Call and see it and our prices will astonish you.
Just received, one of the
MOST BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENTS
OF SCARFS, TIES, BOWS, &c
For the Spring, ever before brought to the city.
A. SHRIER,
mh 12-tf 30 Market st.

Sale by Assignee in Bankruptcy.
AS ASSIGNEE IN BANKRUPTCY OF "THE President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Cape Fear," the undersigned will offer for sale, by Public Auction, at Exchange Corner, in the City of Wilmington, at 12 o'clock, M., on MONDAY, the 3D DAY OF APRIL, 1876, a large amount of Bonds and Promissory Notes issued by the late Confederate States of America, and also a large amount of Bonds and Promissory Notes issued by the State of North Carolina.
N. H. D. WILSON,
mh 12-oaw ts Su Assignee.

Bankrupt Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District of North Carolina, by Charles H. Robinson, of Wilmington, New Hanover Co., duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for the discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 25th day of March, 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M., before William A. Guthrie, Register in Bankruptcy, at the U. S. Court Room in Wilmington, is the time and place assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.
Dated at Wilmington, N. C., on the 11th day of March, 1876.
mh 12-oaw2wSu* WM. LARKINS, Clerk.

Seventy-Five Million Dollars Assets.
FIRE, MARINE AND LIFE,
REPRESENTED BY
JOHN W. GORDON,
GENERAL INSURANCE AGENT.

Liverpool and London and Globe,	of	England;
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Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.,	of	New York.

All classes of City and Country property insured at current rates, and losses promptly adjusted and paid from this office. Agents wanted for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., and for First Class Fire Companies.
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mh 11-tf Wilmington, N. C.

Sundries.
10,000 BUSH. PRIME WHITE CORN,
1,000 bbls. Flour, all grades,
250 hhds and boxes D. S. & Smoked Bacon
300 hds and bls N.C. Muscovado Molasses
150 hhds and bbls S. H. Syrup,
150 bags Rio, Laguayra and Java Coffee,
250 bbls Sugar, all grades,
500 kegs Nails,
400 tons Guanape Guano,
300 " Eureka Guano,
Planting Potatoes, Candles, Crackers,
Snaps, Cheese, Candy, Canned Goods,
Hosford's Bread Preparation, Sea Foam,
Brandy Peaches, Soda in Kegs & Boxes,
Starch, Lard, Lye, Potash, Ink and Rice.
ALSO,
Lake George, Lebanon A. and Manchester Sheetings, Yarns, &c., for sale by the package by
mh 12-tf WILLIAMS & MURCHISON.

Potatoes. Potatoes.
100 BBLS. PINK-EYE POTATOES.
100 " EARLY ROSE "
50 " PEERLESS "
For sale by
mh 12-tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Molasses. Molasses.
200 BBLS. SUGAR HOUSE MOLASSES,
25 HHDS, do, do
100 " NEW CROP CUBA do.
For sale by
mh 12-tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Agricultural Lime.
50 TONS AGRICULTURAL LIME,
For sale by
mh 12-tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Oriental Powder.
100 Kegs Rifle and Blasting POWDER.
500 ¼ Kegs No. 2 Ducking "
50 cases No. 2 and 3 Falcon Sporting Powder,
For sale by
mh 12-tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

GREAT BARGAINS
IN SCHOOL BOOKS,
BLANK BOOKS,
AND STATIONERY.
Also, Musical Instruments,
Photograph Albums,
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Picture Frames,
Gold Pens,
Chromos, &c.
☞ A LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO MERCHANTS AND TEACHERS.
☞ Orders from the country will meet with prompt attention.
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