were washed away, and ten drowned. -Heavy loss by fire at Midway, Ala. -A. N. Dockery has been confirmed as Consul to Leeds. - Lord Derby stated that the terms of the armistice justified the English Government in taking every precaution. - The English fleet has moved to Mondana Bay. ___ A possible advance on Gallipoli has reached the British Government. - New York markets: Money easy at 4@5 per cent; gold heavy at 1014@ 101%; cotton firmer at 107@11 cents; flour dull and 10@15c lower; wheat dull, heavy and 2@4c lower; corn dull and 1@2c lower at 43@51 cents; spirits turpentine steady at 33 cents; rosin firmer at \$1 571@\$1 621.

The South Atlantic for March i We will notice its contents in our next. It strikes us from a hasty examination to be a good number.

Last Sunday being the tenth day since the demise of the Pope, the College of Cardinals went into conclave according to the routine of cen-

Affairs begin to put on a "lovely look" in Europe. Russia has yielded to the good offices of Emperor William, and has withdrawn its troops from the line occupied on Friday. and has determined to maintain an attitude which cannot imperiel the peace conditions. It has also agreed to an early assembling of the proposed Congress. England and Russia will retain their respective positions during the session of the Congress. It is thought that peace negotiations will be completed by Wednesday between Russia and Turkey. It does appear that John Bull's determined attitude has had a good effect. We have strong hopes that after a little there will be general peace in Europe.

Last summer the charges preferred against United States Marshal Robert M. Douglass, of the Western District of North Douglass, of the Western District of North Carolina, were satisfactorily answered by that gentleman. Recently additional charges were made here against him, and he was summoned to Washington by the Attorney General. Mr. D. came here and satisfactorily disposed of this second instalment of charges against him. He also presented to the Attorney General a petition asking for his retention in office, signed by nearly all the members of the bar of the Western District, most of whom are Democrats, and also a petition to the same purport signed by 5,000 colored persons of the District. The Attorney General said that settled it, and that Mr. Douglass could go home perfectly satisfied that he would not be disturbed.—Washington Star, Feb. 16th.

If this is true, then we hope Western Democrats will ever hereafter hold their peace about Douglass shortcomings or faults or crimes. If they can stand him surely the remainder of the State can.

Latest By Mail.

From the Capital of the Union. [Special to Richmond Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. WHAT SENATORS DID.

Messrs. Buttler of South Carolina and Lamar voted on every proposition with the gold-men, and evinced as much interest—especially the former—in defeating the bill as Kernan or Edmunds. Bayard, Sargent, and Edmunds were particularly active, and favored every proposition looking to delay. Mr. Randolph kept quiet, but voted with them. The hes of Messrs. Merrimon, Morgan, and Maxey against the proposition for an international conference in regard to the ratio of gold and silver

Mr. Bruce, the colored Senator from Mississippi, antagonized Mr. Lamar on every proposition—all his votes being on the side of silver remonetization. On the silver side Messrs. Ferry, of Michigan, and Allison, of Iowa, did most of the talking in the running debates.

SENATORS LOOKED FATIGUED. There is no lager sold in the Capitol now, and some Senators had to refresh themselves with Rye-o coffee. The effect was had from a gallery outlook. Some of these had watery eyes and flushed faces, others articulated clumsily and moved about un-

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steadily, while others were exceedingly lively and good-natured. Coffee affects people differently when taken too frequently. ON THE EVE OF A POLITICAL REVOLU-

The remarks of Mr. Ingalia (extreme Republican) were a feature of the debate when he said: "We are on the eve of a great political revolution. The South and West have come together, and they intend to remain together." He then spoke of New England, New York and New Jersey as the salt-water deposits. Mr. Ingalis is not accustomed to the applause which the gallery gave him while making his speech in the closing debate on the silver bill.

CABINET RUMORS. Republican information is to the effect that unless Attorney General Devens becomes aggressive in regard to Louisiana matters his term in the Cabinet will soon end. It is furthermore said that Postmaster General Key will shortly retire to Tennessee. The reasons given are that he has no Southern following and brings no Southern support to the administra-

tion. THE DOORKEEPER Among the charges against Col. Polk is that he made his daughter his secretary, his son a page, a cousin a messenger, and his cook a laborer. He isn't as great a man as old Grant, but Grant had more kin in office than

THE FRENCH AND THE POLAR EXPE-DITION.

A letter was received, yesterday, from the French Geographical Society, at Paris, commending in the highest terms Captain Howgate's plan for the proposed Polar expedition. This Society thinks the colony which is to be established as the basis of explorations should be a permanent one. The letter will have its due influence on Congress.

TTEMS. reply to Conger, who bitterly assailed Southern postmasters and mail contractors yesterday, was spoken of today at the hotels as the right speech at the right time. He gave the malignant Michigander a genteel setting-down.

The activity of Senator Butler in offering amendments which could not pass, and calling for the ayes and nays during the silver discussion last night, is a subject of comment to-

Several Southern Democrats are said to be laboring earnestly for the appointment and confirmation of Packard as Collector at New Orleans.

Bevene Says the Government Cannot Interfera. Special to Philadelphia Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. Attorney General Devens said this morning that he should not write any letter in answer to the President on the Louisiana subject, giving as a reason that it was unnecessary. He also said that in his opinion the United States could not interfere in the trials of the Returning Board; that Louisiana has a perfect State government, and is just as much entitled to her sovereign power as the State of Massachusetts. The Cabinet will meet to-morrow, and will, no doubt, discass the subject further, but it has not yet been discovered that anything can be done on the part of the

Spirits Turpentine.

- It is now the fashion to serenade

- The "pounding" of preachers is all the go just now. - Edgecombe sends seven colored

convicts to the big pen. - The Statesville American has

completed its twentieth volume. - Revenue collections in the 4th

District last week were \$11,333.91. - Several weeklies failed to come last week. Wake up your mailing clerks.

- The Raleigh News of Sunday has a map of the scene of the Worley mur-

- Raleigh handled 482 bales of cotton last week. Decrease for the year, 805 bales.

- The Wadesboro Argus has been revived by Mr. G. D. Smith. It has our - The Methodist ladies of Green-

ville gave an entertainment recently and received over \$100. The forty-third anniversary of

the Literary Societies of Wake Forest College came off last week, -There is to be published at Winston a paper to represent the Episcope Church in North Carolina. Rev. Mr. By

num is to be the editor. - Miss Mollie Sharp, daughter of V. B. Sharp, Esq., of Tarbore, died at Staunton, Va., where she was attending school, on Thursday last.

-The article credited to the Charlotte Democrat by the Pee Dee Bee, about Dr. Lovick Pierce first appeared as an editorial in the STAR. No credit was given when clipped.

- Brignoli had a small bouse at Charlotte and the manager was disgusted.
Bring down your entrance fee. The Democrat, of yesterday, speaking of this matter says "\$1 50 is too much for the best reserved seats," and our friend is right. One dollar is enough, and any more than this is

too much. -Weldon News: The bottom has

- Warrenton Gazette: Mr. Mark Local Bots. P. Jones recently killed a hog which weighed 502 pounds. — Some of our citizens are inquisitive enough to ask what has or is to be done with our railroad. As to what has been done we can answer "no-thing," unless it was throwing up some dirt and hauling out sills to decay and rotten.

- Charlotte Democrat: The next day after Fanny Davenport played in Raleigh we happened to see several persons who went to the performance, and a more disgusted and disappointed set we never saw—but the \$1.50 was clean gone. What they said after seeing the female Pomeroy with her face-licking little dog, we don't

- Statesville American: Watauga and adjacent counties in the West, had a fall of snow last week of fourteen inches, which accounts for the cool weather here.

We learn that a lady living in Prospect Congregation, Rowan county, died on Thursday, the 7th inst., from the effects of an overdose of morphine, taken to relieve a headache.

— Elizabeth City Carolinian: On the 1st instant, at Cape Hatteras, a chronometer, with the following card, was picked up at the beach abreast of the station: Chronometer, No. 66 on top, and 57,408 under a line, made by Joseph Johnson. It is this day fast of Greenwich, time seven seconds, and is gaining five seconds daily. (Marked) New York, John Oaks, 140 Maiden Lane

- Rockingham Bee: It is rumored that one Wooley, of Montgomery county, had the misfortune to lose his wagon, team and loading near Bennettsville, S. C. We can but conclude his loading consisted in much "corn" occupying a small space.

— If there is a one-armed or one-legged old soldier residing in Richmond county who wants to read the Pee Dee Bee, let him send us his name and post office. We were no stranger to his hardships and suffer-

- The Raleigh Observer claims to have the largest circulation in the State and proves its claim.—Weldon News. Mistaken. It gave what it paid in postage. The STAR has 400 more daily subscribers in Wilmington than the Observer has in Raleigh, as we believe, upon which no postage is paid. We are entitled to those 400 in the estimate. If so, we are more than 300 ahead, which we have no doubt is the exact truth as to the daily.

- Charlotte Observer: On Wed-Ex-Postmaster General Reagan's known, was run over by a train on the Airrible manner. He was lying on the track near King's Mountain, saleep or so drunk that he could not arise, and the engineer being unable to stop his train, all of the cars passed over him. His body was dragged underneath the train for some disance and torn into pieces.

- Reidsville Times: The Milton and Sutherlin Narrow Gauge Railroad entered Milton the first time last Monday, at g Major Sutherlin silenced the crowd and gave notice that one more nail was yet to drive, and if Mr. Evans, of the Milton hroniels was in the crowd, he would please finish the road by driving that nail. Mr. joicing and many speeches were made.

There are two venerable ladies, twin

There are two venerable ladles, twin sisters, living in this county, near High Rock, aged each 74 years. Approaching them you can't tell one from the other ten steps off, and going from you it is impossible to tell them apart. One of these ladies is Mrs. Delphia Gwin, and the other is a widow lady, Mrs. Maggie Robertson. They are good christian women and have lived near each other all their lives.

- Alamance correspondent of the Greenshore Patriot: Col. T. M. Holt ship-Greensboro Patriot: Col. T. M. Holt shipped from his factory here to one firm in Atlanta, Ga., 70,000 yards of plaids, which is a feather in Holt's cap, considering the number of manufactories there are in Georgia. He has len spluning frames which cost \$1,000 each. He has also machinery thirty years old, which has been in active service all the time and is still pecking away. The new factory is four stories high and 105 feet long. — Mr. Aibright, of this county, subscribed to the Raleigh News a short while ago, and in the first number saw an advertisement of a reward of \$25 for a stolen mule. Within ten minutes afterwards he saw a mule that answered the description, telegraphed the owner, and on the same day the owner got his mule and Albright his \$25. So much for advertising and subscribing for papers.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

O. G. PARSLEY, JR .- Wood. ED. RICHARDSON-Ship notice. BURBANK-Physicians' prescriptions. DONALD MACRAE-Executor's notice. BINFORD, LOEB & Co.-Melasses, &c. GEO. MYERS, Agt. -Steamer Passport.

S. G. NORTHROP-Grapes, banavas, &c. Pire at the Navassa Guano Works. A fire broke out at the Navassa Guano

Works on Sunday afternoon, about half-past 1 o'clock, which destroyed the barn and straw and rice shed, located near two hundred feet north of the guano factory. The barn contained about four hundred bushels of seed rice, and from two to three hundred bushels of crop rice, and the shed contained about twenty-five tons of rice straw, the whole valued at from \$1,600 to \$1,800. Something over three-fourths of the property destroyed belonged to the Navassa Guano Company, and the remainder to colored tenants who had rented lands from the company, upon whom the loss falls quite heavily. 1644

Mary Eliza Lively, colored, charged with partment. Col. Roger Moore, turn over lo work of an incendiary. It is possible that it may have been caused by a spark from the chimney of some building on the pre-

mises occupied by colored employes. The fire appliances of the Guano Factory, especially the two Babcock fire extinguishers, did excellent service in preventing the flames from spreading or communicating to other and more valuable property, as abundant supply of hose being kept on hand for such emergencies.

There was no insurance on the property

destroyed.

- The celebrated tragedian, Sothern, opens at the Opera House this evenis as Lord Dundreary in the drama entitled "Our American Cousin." This great setor has achieved a splendid reputation else-where, and will no doubt sustain it here. Go and see him.

- The almanacs predict stormy reather for to-day, by grades and

The Mayor's Court will here after convene at 91 o'clock in the morning instead of 9 A. M., as heretofore, and av

- Messrs, Sol. Bear and brothers of this city, received intelligence yesterday of the death of their father, in Germany. - Rising barometer, diminishing

northwesterly winds, colder and very gen

erally clear weather, are the indications fo

this section to-day. - A Forsyth man is credited with having 310 rare and valuable postage stamps. An enterprising "Young America" of this city has a collection of upwards of 600, and he is still gathering 'em in.

- Rev. B. R. Hall, of the Fifth Street M. E. Church, preached, by special request, to a large congregation at 80 Stephen's A. M. E. Church, corner of Fifth and Red Cross streets, on Sunday afternoon

-The Insurance cases of E. F. Brink, et. al., os. the Hanover, the Germania, the Niagara, and the Republic Fire Insurance Companies, were to come up be fore the Supreme Court of New York yes

- It seems that our informant was mistaken as to the fact that William May (or William May Barbour) was surrendered to Daniel Howard, Jailor, on Saturday last, Howard says he was not turned over to him, but to another of the deputies, and Officer Carr corroborates the statement.

Criminal Cours.

The following appeals were argued and disposed of yesterday: State vs. Ben Brown, convicted of perjury and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. Appeals to the Supreme Court in forma pauperis, and required to give bond in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at the August term of the Criminal Court, being the first session after the June term

State vs. Pharoah Sykes, convicted of larceny and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary, appealed and case disposed of in the same manner as above, a bond of \$100 being required.

State vs. Chas. Hill, convicted of injuring live stock, appeal, &c., as above. State vs. Robert Davis, convicted of assault and battery (not an appeal). De-

fendant to pay costs. The business of the term has been completed, but Court will be held open until 12 o'clock to-day for the convenience of parties who are to give bonds, pay costs, &c.

Seamen's Friend Society-Treasurer's The following is the Treasurer's report of the Seamen's Friend Society for the year ending February 12th, 1878:

RECEIPTS. Balance from last year Amount received on account of from citizens.

Treasurer Seamen's Friend Society, New York

DISBURSEMENTS. Paid Chaplain, Rev. J. L. Keen mortgaged debt.

Paid on account of interest on notes held by First National Bank, Dawson Bank, and New

Home....

Paid insurance. By balance on hand, \$1,370 98 A Narrow Escape.

Two gentlemen from the country were passing the Little Giant engine house, on Fourth street, a few nights since, when one of them, imagining that the lot in the rear of the building was on a level with the street, ventured too far and stepped from the wall, being precipitated to the ground below, a distance of about ten feet, and falling upon a pile of rocks. Mr. Russell, who has charge of the premises, was in the building and hastened to the assistance of the unfortunate gentleman, who, greatly to his relief and that of his companion, was found comparatively uninjured. It was certainly

Mayor's Court. Yesterday morning Mayor Fishblate held the first regular session of his court since his elevation to the shief magistracy of the city. The following cases were disposed of: Champ Artis, colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was ordered to pay a fine of \$5 or be imprisoned for five

fering with and cursing a policeman while

The Board met last night, at 74 o'clock oursuant to the call of the Mayor. Present His Honor, Mayor Fishblate, and Alderme Bowden, Myers, Vollers, Foster, VonGlahn, Flanner, King, Hill, and Lowrey.

The minutes of the meetings of Februa ry 6th and 12th were read, and, on motion were adopted.

The Finance Committee reported progress in the matter of Mr. McKoy, and were granted further time. The Committee on Streets and Wharves asked for authority to call on the City Sur-

veyor to assist in the matter of the encroachments of the Railway Company on The Ordinance, Sanitary, Fire Depart ment, Finance and Public Buildings Com-

mittees were granted further time. The petition of Alexander Sprunt & Son, to have the lot on Nutt street, between their property and that of Worth & Worth, filled up or the bulkhead removed, was read and, on motion of Alderman King, the owner was required at his own expense to fill the lot or remove the bulkhead.

A communication from D. M. Dart wa referred to the Finance Committee.

A petition from A. B. Cook, to be relieved from tax as wholesale liquor dealer, was read, when Alderman Foster moved that the petition be granted, which motion the Mayor ruled out of order; whereupon Alderman Foster appealed from the decision and the Board sustained the Mayor.

Alderman King moved to lay the motion on the table, which was carried.

A petition from F. A. Schutte was referred to the Committee on Fire Depart The following petition was received and

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 4, 1878. the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, City of

Wilmington:
Sins—The matter of appropriations by the National Government to continue the work of improving the Cape Fear river and Bar, requires the presence of a committee

at Washington, D. C.

This Chamber respectfully ask an appropriation of one hundred and fifty dollars to pay expenses of such committee, as it will represent the interests of the tax-payers, all of whom will be benefitted by the im-provements desired.

Yours truly,
A. H. VANBOKKELEN,
President Chamber of Commerce.

After various motions, &c., it was finally decided to postpone the further consideration of the matter until the next meeting. A petition for a tamp on Castle and Surry streets was referred to the Committee or

A petition from members of the legal fraternity, to have their license tax reduced to \$25, was referred to the Finance Com-

Petitions for appointments to the position of health officers were referred to the

Sanitary Committee. A petition from citizens residing in the southern portion of the city, praying for the draining of Dry Pond, stating that the brick sewer constructed by the city was pulled down by G. W. Price, Jr., and the brick used by him, was referred to the

Chief of Police. A communication from M. London, relative to his fee in the case of Swepson vs. City of Wilmington, was referred to a special committee of three, consisting of Aldermen Flanner, Foster and Vollers, to

confer with Mr. London. A petition for a ditch on Fifth and Sixth streets, was referred to the Chief of Police. The report of the Superintendent of Health for the month of January was read and ordered on file. Alderman Hill offered the following

resolution:

Baseleed. That the tax imposed on blacksmiths and carpenters be remitted, to take
effect March 1st, 1876. Laid on the table.

The following ordinance was presented

and adopted:

Reselved. That fire wood brought to the city for sale shall be inspected by wood inspectors, daily appointed by the Clerk of the Superior Court for the county of New Hasover, and said inspector shall see that it is properly stowed or piled by the seller in cords or parts of cords. Every cord shall be eight feet long, four feet wide and four feet high; provided that no wood shall be piled or inspected except upon the demand or request of the seller or buyer, or of the agent of the seller or buyer of the same. That the said licened inspector shall be allowed ten cents per cord for inspecting wood, and in proportion for parts of a cord, to be paid one half by the buyer and the other half by the seller. Every person who shall remove fire wood after a demand or request that the same shall be inspected, he being a purchaser or seller, before it shall have been inspected by a wood inspector, shall forfeit and pay five dollars for every offence.

Alderman Foster offered the following ladders, not required for our fire department, to have the same properly advertised and sold at auction.

The following resolutions were adopted:

fering with and cursing a policeman while

7. making an arrest, was ordered to pay a
fine of \$3 or be imprisoned for three days.

Mary Jones, colored, charged with
larceny. Case continued until this morning

The following resolutions were adopted:

Wilmington in his office, make out and
carefully prepare a tay list, showing the
parties and proparty liable for taxes to said
city, for each year since the year 1870,
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WHOLE NO. 3,286

378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384 and 385.
Ratified 6th day of March, 1877.

Resolved, 3d, That all persons who have failed to list his or her property, in the time required by law, shall forfeit and pay to the city of Wilmington a sum equal to delinquent, and such sum, when ascertained, shall be collected as provided for collection of other taxes due said city.

Resolved, 4th, That the City Clerk and Treasurer for the city of Wilmington, before exposing for sale any real estate in said city, for the payment of taxes, shall first advertise the same, stating specifically the lot or part of lot and block, the amount due for taxes, and the year in which it fell due, in not less than two newspapers pub-lished in the city of Wilmington, for the

space of thirty days; also the place and time of sale.

Resolved, That the sale of such real estate, the time for redemption, and the cost, shall be as is provided in section 11, chapter 192, Laws of North Carolina, 1876 and

H. VONGLAHN. F. W. FOSTER, Committee on Finance. The following was offered by Alderman Hill and referred to the Committee on Or-

Ordered, That the City Attorney be requested to revise and compile all the exist-ing ordinances of the city, and have the same bound in one volume, and that he be authorized to employ such legal assistance as he deems best to aid him in the completion of the work; and, further, that bids be advertised for printing and binding the same when completed.

Alderman Foster effered the following. which was, on motion, postponed until the next regular meeting:

WHEREAS, The money appropriated for the Police Department has been overdrawn \$130; therefore, be it Resolved, That His Honor reduce the po-

lice force on March 1st so as to meet the Petition of John H. Lee, to be relieved of tax on cart house, was not granted, the Board not having the authority to do so. Barbers were allowed to open their shops

on Sunday, without being subject to a pen-

The Board then adjourned.

Youthtul Depravity. On Saturday last a small colored girl, the house of James D. Dry, colored, on Seventh, between Chesnut and Mulberry streets, representing berself to be in destitute circumstances, and out of sheer pity was given employment. The following Sunday morning, while the family were absent at church, the girl appropriated a shawl belonging to Dry's wife, went through her bureau drawers, stealing a lot of underclothing, a gold ring and a valuable gold clasp, and then took her departure. During the afternoon a colored woman, an acquaintance and friend of the family came across the little robber and conveyed the girl to Dry's house, where she surren dered all the stolen articles except the gold

cell in the guard house to which she was subsequently consigned, and where she will await a hearing before the Mayor's Court his morning. The Wounded Policemun.

We are glad to learnthat Officer William Frost, of the police force, who accidentally shot himself on Saturday afternoon last, an account of which appeared in our paper on Sunday morning, is gradually, though perceptibly improving. Upon recovering his genseiousness he accounted for the acciden substantially as we stated it.

clasp, which was afterwards found in the

BIVER AND MARINE ITEMS.

- The Solyst, Johnson, arrived at Ham - The steamship Regulator, Doane, ar-

rived at New York from this port on the - The schooner R. W. Denham, Chase, cleared from New York for this port on the

- The Danish barque Amy, Ross, ar rived at Liverpool from this port on the

- The brig Katis G. Robinson, Lovey, cleared from Philadelphia for this port on

the 15th inst.

HOTEL AMBIVALS. PURCELL HOUSE-COBE BROS., PROP'RS

PURCELL HOUSE—COBB BROS., PROP'RS.
February 16.—H C Helmer, F Kaufman,
T Fallett Ware, New York; Wm Montgomery, J E Bogen, Jos A Bruff, Baltimore; Daniel Hooke, Haverhill, Mass; W
R Sitler, Raleigh; H C Prempert, Goldsboro; G Z French, Rocky Point.
February 18.—Julius Hanks, North
Carollina; A H Williams, Pender county;
John O McDenald, A C Larkins, F H Williams, New York; J O Burton, North Carolina; D P Watworth and lady, J E Watworth, Vermont; Mr and Mrs Foster, Connecticut; J D Chamberlain, Rochester, N
Y; Jos C Marshall, Wadesboro.

Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is recommended by all druggists as being a purely vegetable and reliable preparation for Babies, Price 25 cents.

CITY ITEMS.

POP OVERS.—Two large cups of flour, one and a half teaspoonfuls Dooley's Yeast Powner, one pint sweet milk, or half milk and half cream, three eggs beaten separately, and a little salt. Bake in much time. They are delicious for tea.

WOMAN'S MOST EFFECTIVE CHARM is a lovely complexion as imparted by Goarand's Olympian Cream. This long established preparation has received the unqualified commendation of the beau-ty and fashion of the land. Price in Large Bottles reduced to One Dollar. For sale by J. C. Munds.

Reliable help for weak and nervous sufferers. Chrenic, painful and prostrating diseases cured without medicine. Pulvermacher's Electric Belts the grand desideratum. Avoid imitations. Book and Journal, with full particulars, mailed free. Address Pulvernacher Galvanic Co., 292 Vine St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Ten lines solid Nonparell type make one square

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

OPERA HOUSE Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 19 & 20.

First, only and farewell appearances in this city be-fore his return to England, of the Eminent Tragellan, MR. SOTHERN Assisted by his OWN COMPANY OF ARTISTS, from the Park Theatre, New York.

TUESDAY, Mr. SOTHERN will appear in his world famous caricature portrait of LORD DUNDREARY

In OUR AMERICAN COUSIN. WEDNESDAY, in his new creation, the great end cess of the current New York season, entitled

A Crushed Tragedian Reserved seats at Heinsberger's Music Store, \$1 50. General admission \$1, and 10 cts. according to location. Doors open at 7, commence at 8 o'clock. feb 14 6t HORACE WALL, Manager.

Sundries at Auction. ON TUESDAY NEXT, 19TH INSTANT, AT 10 o'clock, A. M., we will sell, at enr Sales Room, South Water Street, an assortment of

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE. belonging to a Family declining house keeping Beds, Wool Mattrasses, Sewing Machine, &c.

ALSO, ases of Peaches, Pickles, Blackberries, Cherries

CRONLY & MORRIS. Executor's Notice. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING QUALIFIED

as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of
John C. MacRas, deceased, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate
payment; and those having claims against the same
to present them within twelve months, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

DONALD MACRAE, Executor.

Wilmington, N. C., Feb. 18, 1878. tu feb 19-4w

Wednesday, Feb. 20. THE RELIABLE STEAMER PASSPORT will,
make regular trips to and from SMITHVILLE
leaving Market St. Dock at 2.30 P. M., and Smithville at 7.36 A. M., until further notice, offering accommodations never before offered the public.

Popular Prices. For Tickets, Freight and Excursions apply to

GEO. MYERS,
feb 19 tf

Agent.

Ship Notice. ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY

any of the Crew of the Britishing any of the Crew of the British Brig "GEM," as no debts of their contracting will be paid by the Master or Consignee.

ED WARD RICHARDSON, Master. Ten Thousand!

,000 Gallons Sugar-House, New Crop Cuba, New Orleans, Baking. 10,000 Gallons 100 Boxes D. S. MEATS,

100 Bags COFFEE, 100 Bbls SUGAR, 5000 Bushels CORN.

Wood! Wood! LACK JACK, LARGE SPLIT OAK, LARGE SPLIT ASH, MAPLE, PENE AND LIGHT

BINFORD, LORB & CO.,

Special Attention ND THE GREATEST CARE GIVEN TO COMPOUNDING PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS.

BURBANK'S PHARMACY, Corner Front and Princess streets Malaga Grapes, Bananas, &c. A FRESH SUPPLY OF CALIFORNIA PEARS,
SWEET ORANGES, COCOA-NUTS, MALAGA GRAPES and BANANAS just received.
Also, Pure, Fresh HOME-MADE CANDY always
on hand, at

feb 19 ff Fruit and Confectionery Stores Stock for Sale. 13 GOOD TURPENTINE MULES,

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