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Morning

By WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C .: FRIDAY MORNING, January 17, 1879.

CHEAP EDUCATION AGAIN.

The Greensboro Central Protestant has done us the kindness to copy our editorial on "Cheap Education," accompanying it with a complimentary reference to the MORNING STAR, and supplementing it with some practical, well considered remarks of its own. We are glad to have the editor of that paper as an ally in our efforts to create a sound public sentiment in regard to the necessities of the children of the State and the importance of educating them.

Our Greensboro friend agrees with the STAR as to the propriety and necessity of legislative appropriation in aid of the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

"With all the facts before us as furnished in the management of the Asylum by the present Superintendent, Mr. Mills, we see no apology possible by our legislators for withholding aid from that institution. The Constitution 'positively requires the opening of one Orphan House;' the Judis clary committee pronounced the resolution of Mr. Fleming to appropriate \$5,000 to the Orphan Asylum constitutional, and yet that resolution was voted down! We are left to conjecture the reasons for the defeat of such a wise and necessary measure, but we fear it was for lack of sound discretion and genuine economy. It our opinion the State of North Carolina has not, nor ever had, within its bounds an object more deserving of such an appro-priation, nor one on which \$5,000 could be expended with such prospects of a large return of substantial benefit to the needy. And while we glory in the heroism of Mr. Mills (Bro. Mills), who has stood as a father to the orphans who belong to the whole State, and whom the whole State by its Legislature has deliberately disowned, we shall await to see what is to be the action of the present Legislature, with the hope that it will undo the wrongs of the past."

If the next Legislature does not make some provision for the Orphan Asylum, it will be a blistering shame. A legislative day costs the State about \$1200. Four or five days! loss of oratorical wind, and closer work at the beginning of the session, would appropriation without any cost to the people, for it would thus come out of the money saved by less gab and harder work on the part of the members of the Legislature.

The most important thing to considered by the General Assembly is the education of the children of North Carolina. Says our Greensboro contemporary, and with force:

"Build railroads, will you, and let them fall, as they inevitably will, sooner or later, into the hands of capitalists living outside the State, while the education of our people is neglected. For 'capital' often signifies education, culture and enlightenment, as well as money."

In our former editorial we showed what the Asylum was doing. It is giving a good plain education to about 130 pupils each year, and at total cost of \$4 each per month. This. as we understand it, includes board. tuition, clothes and books. It shows the minimum cost of common-school education under good management. To teach these children, under Mr. Mille's remarkable superintending, it costs but \$48 a year, every expense included.

The Central Protestant is inclined "to believe that a system like the mation is-Lookyer, my dear fellow,

would be the desideratum for our country at various points in North

have good reason for saying that the and well cared for. They all love Mr. Mills, who has extraordinary gifte in attracting and attaching children to himself. He is decided, positive, and yet very kind in his manof the State and clothe and feed and sleep and teach and supervise them at a cost not exceeding \$4 a The Central Protestant, in view of

these things, says: "Our people should be alive to the im-portance of this matter. No one believes that any indifferent system of imparting instruction would be tolerated or practiced by the Superintendent at Oxford, and it

seems that what he has done there might be employed as data to be used in the founding of an educational enterprise else-"Here is an opening for philanthropists, and one of the most important achievements of this age would be the reduction of the cost of education so that its advantages might come within the reach of all, or as

nearly all as possible."

THE ARMY BEDUCTION.

We do not approve of a great deal we see in the editorial columns of the New York Sun, but we think its "head is level" on the question of army reform. It says the army required in time of peace should contain six main features. First, lit should not exceed ten thousand men For its command, one Major General and two or four Brigadier Generals are enough. Third, the staff departments should be consolidated. It

"The Quartermasters, the Commissaries, and the Paymasters should all be merged together in one corps. The Adjutant General's Bureau and the Inspector General's Bureau should likewise be consolidated nto one. Each of these consolidated departments should have a chief with the rank and pay of a Colonel of cavalry."

The Ordnance Corps should be abolished, and its necessary duties transferred to the artillery. Fifth, the Bureau of Military Justice should be abolished. Its sixth proposition is:

"No new officers should be commissioned from among the graduates of the West Point Academy, and for several years to come these graduates should be discharged from the public service, under suitable conditions, as soon as they have finished their studies. In cases of extraordinary gallantry and talent shown by enlisted mer who form a part of the rank and file of the army, the reward of a commission should

By these changes the Sun thinks that from ten to fifteen million dollars would be saved to tax-payers. We know of no good reasons why the army should exceed ten thousand men in time of peace. With the recent examples of such unpatriotic and ambitious officers as Sherman and Sheridan-two bad men as we believe-Congress cannot be too jealous of its rights and too resolute in keeping the military in subordination to the civil authorities. It is an eternal truth that a large standing army is a perpetual menace to the liberties of a free people.

REDUCTION.

Senator Graham, (son of the late Gov. Graham) of Lincoln county, has introduced a bill relative to a reduction of salaries that will pass the Legislature probably, although it may be altered or modified in some particulars. His bill does not touch the salary of the Attorney General If no change is to be made, then the salaries of the Judges should be increased, as there is no reason under heaven why the Attorney General, who can practice his profession, should receive the present salary with the pay of the Judges such as it is. He proposes to fix the Governor's salary at \$3,000, with a furnished house, we suppose. His secretary 18 to receive \$500 and fees. We copy from the enable the Legislature to make an Raleigh News the main features of

"Treasurer \$2,750. with a clerk at \$1,250, who shall be, ex officio, treasurer of the boards of charitable and penal institutions, and receive a salary of \$75 for each board, to be paid out of funds appropriated for the use of the board. Secretary of State \$1,000, and fees not to exceed \$1,000; shall account to Treasurer for all fees, and pay surplus over allowance into Treasury quarterly. Auditor \$1,000. Superintendent of terly. Auditor \$1,000, Superintendent of Public Instruction \$1,500, Librarian \$500, Keeper of Capitol \$500, Judges of Superior Court \$3,000. Fees, mileage and compen-sation of sheriffs, clerks and other county officials to be regulated by County Commissioners on the first Monday in March, 1879, and every four years thereafter.

Amounting in the aggregate to a saving of about \$30,000 per annum."

Mr. J. Norman Lockyer, the disinguished English astronomer, be lieves he has done something great for science through the aid of the spectroscope, and has made an advance of at least a quarter of a century in science. The New York Herald's London cablegram says:

"He has just informed me that he has obtained evidence that the bright lines of the solar thromosphore are chiefly lines due to the not yet isolated bases of fourteen so-catled elements, and that the solar phane-mens in their totality are, in all probability, due to dissociation at the photospheric level and association at higher levels."

All we have to say as to that infor-

We are glad that Senator Voorhees introduced a resolution of quiry into the recent slaughtering of In this it is no doubt correct. We the Cheyenne Indians, and the cruel ties and neglect that led to their

pupils at the Asylum are well taught, flight. There is wrong in the management of Indian affairs somewhere For years tribe after tribe have been driven into revolt and bloody wars have followed as a consequence. Agent Miles, at Fort Reno, says that agement. He has shown how it is the Indians have not received the possible to gather the poor children rations promised them in the treaty. Major Mezner, in command at Fort Reno, says in an official letter:

"I am prepared to produce evidence from the records of the office of the Cheyenne and Arapance Agency that the in-dians of said agency have never, during the past three years, received the full allow-ance of rations to which they are entitled. The efforts of Commissioner Hayt appear to be directed toward concealing the truth, and shielding himself from public censure by specious reasoning."

The poor Red Men are first starved then robbed then left to freeze from want of clothing, then pursued and killed when they take to their beels Congress will do right to probe the

The Baltimore American has a savage, and, probably, just criticism on "Andromeda Unchained," from which we gave an extract two days ago. It says it is "most ambitious in form and treatment, filled to the full with the loftiest of language and the oldest of figures, smacks successively Bryant, and is over two columns

It regrets the publication of the oem, because the idea of the poem s unwise, and, secondly, because it is no great things after all. This appears to be the the sum of a long criticism. It closes its article as

"And then, there was the risk to be run that the poem to be selected would be looked upon by the world as the masterpiece of the Southern poetic mind. The South has had, and has now, some fine poets-some of Mr. Sidney Lanier's poems to-day-but it will hardly be conceded that Mr. Henry Guy Carleton is one of them.'

The organ of the Hayes adminis. tration, National Republican, is a most malignant har. It hates the South with a very uncommon hatred, and never loses an occasion to slander and abuse our people. Here are two of its recent paragraphs. The first concerns North Carolina, the second

"It is reported that the good people of Concord, N. C., are greatly scandalized over the recent elopement from among them of three white girls with three negroes. At last accounts guns and rifles were being examined, and one proud Caucasian to whom ope of the frail ones was engaged to be married had made himself especially prominent as the leader of a proposed hunt after the fugitives."

"The Baltimore Gazeette says that the once beautiful Hollywood Cemetery, at Richmond, is overrun with cows, pigs and goats."—New York Commercial Adsertiser:

"Is there anything strange in this? The cemeteries of a people are a type of their civilization and patriotism. That State or section whose people are besotted in the attributes of barbarism—take, for instance, that of human slavery in a free country. to which Virginia clung with bloody hands to the last, is not expected to care especially for the resting places of their dead."

The fellow who can thus indulge his spleen deserves the whipping post; and well laid on.

Resumption thus far has been marked with-several failures, and the cry is still they continue. Within two days the following failures have been reported to the Washington Posts nemerit to see add initials he

WOLFBORO, N. H., Jan. 13. - The Lake Boot and Shoe Manufacturing Co. of this place, failed on Saturday. Their liabilities are estimated at nearly \$100,000, and assets

New York, Jan. 13.—The wholesale clothing designs received notice to-day of the failure of P. M. Colinsky, of Danville, Va:; liabilities, \$15,000. Baer Bros., of Dayton, Ohio, also failed; liabilities about

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 14.-James H. Frentice, proprietor of two large hat fac-tories in this city, has failed for \$200,000. Dullness in trade is the cause. Seven hun-dred people are thrown out of employment.

It does not cost much in Connecticut to kill a man—only two dollars. Such was the fine imposed on Dennis Ward, at New Haven, whose carelessness in driving paused the death of Michael Berregan, a telegraph messenger. Area this pork between any

We copy to-day a poem of ment from Mr. H. L. Plash, who wrote some excellent poems during the war. His lines on Jackson were remarkably beautiful and were among the most memorable productions of the war. hog a site He are ourse has

Of course the newspapers will all have to moralize on "One minute too late," as instanced in the bauging of the Molly Magnires, Sharpe and Mc-Connell. It is good text for the

- The refusal of the House to extend the solicited aid to William and Mary College, from sheer fright at the charge that it was "an entering wedge to the successful prosecutions of war plains involving millions of dellers," was an unworthy concession to prejudices and hatreds, which, being interpreted, mean nothing more than that the Union, is its normal state is a permanal state of war. Resign one employed in the Oxford Asylum talk plain United States, or shut up." state, is a perpetual state of war. Boston

Now that the election is over, and thousands of foreigners who were prevented from voting have no remedy, it is judicially decided that httle Johnny Davenport had no right to prevent from voting the men whom he either scared away from the polls or else had arrested in New York re-cently. Now let Mr. Hayes show and gross piece of intimidation by one of his own officers."— Wilmington (Del.) Every Evening, Dem.

gether in a sharp shock of battle yesterday on the floor of the House over a bill for the relief of one of the oldest and most respectable institutions of learning in this country. Massachusetts bore Michigan to the earth in the argument, only to see her lifted up again and made victorions over common decency and sound etatesmanship by the help of a knot of Northern Democrats -- N. Y. World, Dem.

lt is rather refreshing to see he Teller committee, professedly on mission to investigate alleged frauds at the November election in Louisiana, holding their meetings in the office of J. Madison Wells, Surveyor of the Port. As the master spirit of the Returning Board, in 1872 he counted out the fairly elected State ticket and returned a fraudulent Legislature. In the same apacity of 1876 he counted out the Tilden electors with 8000 majority on the returns of the Republican Supervisors. He and his sons are now holding Federal offices of value, and f Homer, Moore, Milton, Byron and exercising large influence in the disposal of patronage, as their reward for these party services .- N. Y. Sun. Ind. Rad.

DUR STATE CUSTEMPORARIES.

The newspapers of the State are urging upon the Legislature the passage of a law requiring county officers to advertise sales, &c., in the public press. The present method of advertising in hieroglyphics at the courthouse door is farcical and utterly useless. The bill introduced by Mr. Shotwell in the last Legislature ought to be adopted.

When the committee on retrenchment gets to work the course of investigation will be: First, the salaries of the Governor, of the members of the Legislature, and of give him a high rank among the poets of all officials of the State House, including Clerks and Door-keeper, Treasurer, Auditor, Secretary of State, Attorney General and Adjutant General. Second, penal institutions. Third, charitable institutions. Fourth, county expenses. The work of the committee would be expedited by a judicious division of its labor among active sub committees.—Raleigh News.

POLITICAL POINTS.

-"I voted for William and Mary," said that staunch old Pennsylvania Democrat, Mr. Mackey, "to please my conscience. But many other men voted against it from cowardice."- Wash. Post,

- The objectionable features of the Burnside army bill were so carefully tucked away that they were not easily seen, but are now so patent to everybody that it is conceded on all sides that it cannot become a law .- Phil. 1 imes.

-If Senator Teller isn't a bigger man than is generally suspected. Scuator Thurman will soon have him buried under a pile of affidavits and things so big that he will never be able to work himself into daylight again .- Phil. Times.

PERSONAL.

Gen. Joe Lane, of Oregon, cele rated his 77th birthday Monday. - Professor Thomas A. Edison's principal patent has been granted in Lon

- President MacMahon of France, ill give a banquet to Gen. Grant on Thurs

The eldest daughter of the late Princess Alice, a sixteen-year-old girl, is said to be exceedingly lovely, intelligent, and fine in character. She has the scientific

tastes of her mother. - The Emperor of Austria is evidently, as the obituary orators say, a man of far more versatility than he was given credit for. He smokes nothing but long, coarse Virginia cigars, and speaks six lan-

— General Grant, according to a New York *Herald* dispatch, will leave Paris for Marsellles on Saturday, and sail thence for India on the following Thursday, in the regular French steamer, without waiting for the Richmond.

A meeting to do honor to the memory of Bayard Taylor was held in Boston Friday night. There was a large at-tendance of literary people, and Oliver Wendell Holmes read a short poem written for the occasion by Longfellow.

- Miss Harriet Hosmer is complimented by the World, of London, as the greatest of the few female sculptors, the world has ever seen, and one of the very few among those who have produced strong work and not mere prettiness.

—Senator Bruce is negotiating for the purchase of three thousand acres of land in New Mexico for a cattle ranch and has made a large investment to stock it. This enterprise is a mere matter of speculation, as the Senator intends to retain his present residence in Mississippi.

—According to a Washington cor-respondent in the New York 2 elegram, Sen-ator Jones did not come East with the enormone sums of money that have been at-tributed to him, but was a heavy loser in the Sierra Nevada stock rise. Bonanza Mackey is said to have saved him from

KELIGIOUS NEWS.

Bishop Whipple, of Minnesota, is in failing health. He has gone to Geor-- Bishop Whittingham, of Balti-

more, has recovered from what was deemed critical illness. The Rev. Jack Walkingstick, the Rev. Poor Wolf, and the Rev. Mr. Whirlwind are members of the Cherokee Indian Baptist Association in the Indian

Territory wo to the Criminal Company Bishop Chatardeof the Catholic diocese of Vincennes, is mentioned favorable in Western Church circles as a probable successor to Archbishop Purcell should the Pope agree to the latter's retirement. The Rev. O. C. Pope, editor of the Texas Baptist House, was arrested in House text Saturday by Deputy United States, Marshal Clayton, on a warrant charging him with obstructing and interfering with the mails. OUTERN TTEMS.

gressman Thornburgh is not wome, as was stated Tuesday. He is nearly - Bush whacker Mosby was an ob-ject of a good deal of interest while he was

passing through Nevada on his way to San

rancisco the other day. - Alexander H. Stevens is a very skillful whist player, and author of the article on whist in Johnson's Encyclopedia. Taken altogether or in detail, a very won-derful man is the little Georgian.— Wash.

The conflict between State and Federal courts in Tennessee has been rought to a close by State Judge McConnell being ordered to appear before the United States Circuit Court to show cause why he should try certain revenue officers in Macon county for making arrests which

- St. Louis has a free lodging house, where 300 to 000 persons, mostly tramps, sleep every night. A new rule is that every lodger must be vaccinated, and on the first night of its enforcement the physicians operated on nearly 400 arms. Many objected, but the alternative was a night in the streets, and as the weather was bitterly cold, none chose it.

Bacon, Flour, Salt, &c. 80 Boxes D. S. SIDES, 25 do Smoked SIDES. 650 Bble FLOUR, all kinds,

5000 Sacks LIVERPOOL SALT. " Marshall's Blown SALT, 1000 200 Bags BIO COFFEE, 75 Bbls SUGARS, 10.000 Yards BAGGING,

500 Bdls Peced and New TIES, 1000 Bush CORN, 1000 Bush DATS, 200 Bales Choice Timothy MAY 100 Bble and Hbde S. H. MOLASSES

Bble New Orleans MOLASSES, Hhds Cuba MOLASSES, 25 Bble and Tierces RICE, 75 Tubs and Tierces LARD, 500 SPIRIT CASES,

Hoop Iron, Glue, Rivets, Nails, &c., &c.. jan is to KERCHNER & CALDER BROS

Just Received. a nother susply of that CELEBRATED BRAND of Jack Frost Flour, warded a Gold Medal at the Paris Exposition. It has no equal. The very finest made.

bls FLOUR, all grades 300 Boxes Dry Salted and Smoked SIDES,

Smoked SIDES,

250 Sacks Java, Lagnyra

and Rio COFFRE.

150 Bbls Crushed, Granulated,
Standard A, Ex C, and C SUGARS,

350 Bbls Porto Rico, Cuba, N. O.
and S. H. MOLASSES.

50 Bbls City MESS PORK, 100 Tube choice LEAF LARD,

New and Second Hand SPIRIT BARBELS Lake George and Lebanon SHRETINGS, Manchester and Randolph YARNS. Snuff, Matches, Corn. Lye,

Glue, Bungs, Hoop Iron, &c , &c. For sale low by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON Jan 12 tf

Buggies! Buggies Harness & Saddles, FOR SALE AT

GERHARDT & CO.'S 3d Street, opposite City Hall.

REPAIRING DONE WITH NEATNESS AND DISPATCH: HORSE-SHORING A SPECIALTY.

Change of Schedule. ON AND AFTER THIS DAY THE STEAMER
PASSPORT WILL MAKE DAILY TRIPS
TO SMITHVILLE Leaving Dock at 9.30 A. M
Leave Smithville at 9.30 P. M.
Tickets, Round Trip, \$1.00. GEO MYERS,

ALTAFFER & HILL Factory and Office foot of Walnut St. WILMINGTON, N. C.

Sash, Doors, Blinds, & Crnamental Woodwork. All orders alled promptly, and Workmanship and Prices gnaranteed to please.
Lamber orders sent to our Mr. W.E. HILL, Abbettsburg, will receive prompt attention.

ALTAFFER & HILL,
jan 13-tf Wilmington, N.C.

For the People.

1200 Bbls Good FLOUR, 800 Bush Water Mill MEAL,

250 Bble MESS PORK, 200 Boxes D. S. SIDES, 200 Bags COPPER,

100 Bbis SUGAR, For sale low by HALL & PEARSALL jan 10 DaWtf

Jas. C. Stevenson Offering Inducements

He has just received An Extra Quality of IRISH POTATOES. Ordered expressly for the Retail Trade.

TO THE TRADE.

Also, some very choice Red Apples, Florida Oranges and Messina Lemons.

TURKISH PRUNES, three pounds for 25 cents, Good GREEN TEA, 40 cents per pound . Jam still selling TWELVE POUNDS of GOOD TELLOW SUGAR for \$1,00 harles II. Jones, editor of the Charles ast Thursday. Colonel Jo-yab wrong

Come and get your wants supplied at J.C. Stevenson's Jan 15 15 . asw 11 ---

Saye 15 Per Cent. WE WILL GLADLY DUPLICATE THE BULL Of any floring Jobbery House for CROCK.

THY and GLASSWARE.

Another for of BEORGE and GLASS LAMPS just received.

Gffire & Munchiston.

Holiday Goods!

The Tremendous Rush

GEORGE MYERS

Fully Explained STANDARD GOODS

11, 13 & 16 So. Front St.

Astonishingly Low Prices

THE EXCITEMENT

GEORGE MYERS'

30,000 ORANGES, 200 Bbls Choice Red APPLES. 200 Boxes FIRE CRACKERS. 50.000 TORPROOMS, 1.000 Lbs Assorted NUTS, .000 Lbs Choice CANDIES, 200 Boxes BAISINS, $\overline{100}$ Boxes New FIGS,

50 Cases CITRON. LOWEST PRICES IN THE STATE

GEORGE MYERS' OUR FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

FRENCH AND GERMAN GOODS, AT HALF PRICE! DON'T FORGET THE LITTLE ONES.

15 to 25 Cents will buy a token long to be remembered at GEORGE MYERS' OUR WINE & LIQUOR DEPARTMENT We are selling WINES and CHAMPAGNE WINES at HALF PRICE. EF Elegant Pure IMPORTED and DOMESTIC WINES at \$1.25 and \$1.50 per gallon.

FOUR WHISKEYS are UNEQUALLED in the State in Excellence of Quality and Cheapness. Try our OLD BAKER at \$5 per gallon. SWEET MASH the Best in the World, at \$3 per gallon.

SAVE 100 PER CENT. AT GEOR'GE MYERS' Our Goods are bought from FIRST HANDS.
"NO MIDDLE MAN'S PROFITS." Hence we can
SAVE MONEY FOR YOU.

We have the LARGEST, CHOICEST and CHEAPEST STOCK OF GOODS in our THREE STORES to be found in the State. GEORGE MYERS'.

11, 18 AND 16 FRONT ST. P. S. -Poetry again A box of Cigars for your friend,
A hamper of Wine for your brother,
A gallon of Sweet Mash you'll find
Precisely the thing for each other.

Low Prices.

QUGAR, COFFEE, MEATS, MOLASSES, FISH, fact ALL KIND OF GROCERIES, both Light and Heavy, at BOTTOM PRICES, at D. L. GORES, jan 4 tf Nos. 2 and 8 So. Water Street.

FURNITURE.

AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF THE MOST

The Best

Assortment of Office, Parler, Chamber, Lining

A Large

A substantial CHRISTMAS PRESENT can be selected from my stock that will delight the re-cipient. Examination of stock solicited. F. A. SCHUTTE, 26 and 28 Front and 11 and 15 Dock Sts.

Agricultural Chemicals. MESSES, BOYKIN, CARMER & CO., BALTIMORE, MD. Offer PURK CHEMICALS for making Composts at BOTTOM FIGURES. They are the PIONEER Dealers in this class of Geods, are thoroughly POSTED, and deal only in PURE GOODS.

They are Sole Proprietors of the "HOME FER TILIZER," which all intelligent Farmers know to be the BEST MANURE for the money new in use. OWEN FENNELL, Jr., is their Agent in Wil-mington, and will furnish their Price List, Formu-la, &c., &c. Send for them at once. dec \$1 3w

E. F. Johnson, Produce Commission Merchant,

WHITMENOVON NACONIL 1 Solicits Consignments of Poultry, Eggs, Wool, Wax, Hides, Pork, Beef, Dried Fruit, &c.

Personal attention gives to all Consignments and prompt fetures made.

"Stop" !

HE CRISD, STRETCHING FORTH HIS RIGHT Larm, which was so tightly wedged, into his threadhere coat that it looked like a cloth sausage.

"Hear me for my cause."

"Oh! bother your cause: yet stay. "Speak your Hear me for my cause; yet, stay. Speak your speach, I pray you, trippingly on the tengue—for we've several orders for Bamis to fill; and no time for tramps—but if you mouth it I'd as lief hear the town grocer's lines."

"Since Cassius first did whet me against Casar I "Since Cassius first did whet me against Cassar I have not alept..."

Here, Johnnie! give ham a quarter, and if he non'r get out, run right over him with a Sam Cook Stove.

Seen our Perfection Window Cleaner f. They are lightning on cleaning windows; cost nathing scarcely.

Sole Agents Celebrated Sam Cook Stoves, jan 12 tf Seven sizes; can suit any family.

Christmas is Over. BUT LWILL BE PLEASED TO SERVE YOU BOOK AND STATIONERY LINE, and will endeavor to give you satisfaction in every transaction at 8. JEWST D'S dec 27 tf Front Street Book Store.

Horse Shoeing. 1 10 separces and over to \$1.25 PER SET. speck and lew prices. Repairing of all kinds. Sails faction pages and 201 g. 183 W. P. H. HAYDEN.

MISCELLANEOUS M. ORONLY, Auctioneer. BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Mortgage Sale.

By Virtue and in Pursuance of the provisiors contained in a deed of mortgage executed by George Leonard and wife to Rdward Ridder & Sons, bearing date the 18th day of October, 1877, and registered in Book NNN, pages 343 and following, of the Records of New Hanover Conthe undersigned, as Attorney for the said mortgagees, will offer for sale at public auction, at Rx-change Corner, in the city of Wilmington, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22D, 1879.

at 12 o'clock M., the following described LOT OF LAND in the city of Wilmington, conveyed by said mortgage: Beginning at a point 33 feet north of the intersection of the northern line of New street with Seventh street, thence north 33 feet on Seventh and running back 135 feet to Wilson street, being part of Lot 6 in Block 119, according to official plan of the city of Wilmington.

Tarms cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

E. B. MARTIN.

711 GRAND DISTRIBUTION !

Commonwealth Distribution Company By authority of Commonwealth of Kentucky, Drawing and details under supervision of promi-nent citizens of Kentucky, in the city of Leuis-ville, on

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