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Local Notes.

— Fourth Sunday in Lent.

— Day's length 11 hours and 41 minutes.

— Tickets for the lecture Monday night are for sale at the book-stores.

— There was another cool change yesterday, with cloudy and threatening weather.

— Captain Harrison Watts, of the Hornet's Nest Riflemen, Charlotte, is at the Purcell House.

— The Register of Deeds issued four marriage licenses during the past week; all colored couples.

— A white man, drunk and down, was taken to the guard house on a dray yesterday afternoon.

— The musical attractions of the city have been reinforced by an organ grinder with a monkey.

— Cotton futures advanced twelve points in New York yesterday, and the staple was a little on the "boom" here.

— A pet fawn, the property of a gentleman of this city, was slaughtered by dogs on Front street early yesterday morning.

— We learn that the Greenbackers of the Fifth Ward are to have a meeting at Sharp's store, on Queen street, Monday night.

— According to Turner's Almanac, usually very reliable, Good Friday comes this year on Thursday. "Variety is the spice of life."

— There was a smash-up on the Turnpike Friday, about a mile from the city, and the occupants of the vehicle found themselves on the opposite side of the causeway. Nobody hurt—much.

— An old colored man by the name of Bill Dabney was arrested Friday night for being asleep under a horse, but was released yesterday morning without further punishment than the night's imprisonment.

— The only case disposed of by the Mayor yesterday morning was that of Emma Frazier, colored, charged with loud and boisterous cursing and swearing on the public streets, who was ordered to pay a fine of \$5; if the offence.

— The Wilson Advance has this to say: "Col. A. Pope, of Wilmington, one of the most active and intelligent railroad men in the South, spent several days in Wilson this week attending to a case in court, in which the W. & W. R. R. Co. was a party."

Greenbackers in Council.

The Executive Committee of the Greenback party had a meeting at the Court-house yesterday, Captain F. M. Wooten in the chair.

There was some difficulty in getting a secretary. One Thomas Allen was first appointed, but when called upon to discharge the duty, it was found that he didn't know how to write. The choice finally fell upon A. A. Dudley, colored, whose education had not been quite so badly neglected.

Captain Wooten resigned the chairmanship of the Executive Committee, and T. M. Gardner, Esq., was elected in his place.

A committee of one from each ward in the city and township in the county was appointed to make arrangements for a mass meeting and to reorganize the various Greenback clubs in the county.

The officers of the Central Executive Committee, as now constituted, consist of T. M. Gardner, Chairman; Jesse J. Ives, Treasurer, and A. A. Dudley, Secretary.

Brief remarks were made by Messrs. Black, Gardner and others.

A Tossing Match.

Those of our friends who are fond of such sport will be glad to learn that a trotting match is arranged for next Friday afternoon. The race will be between Mr. Geo. F. Tilly's chestnut sorrel mare and a Baltimore bay horse belonging to a Water street firm, \$100 a side, half mile heats, the best two in three. The race will take place on the Fair Grounds, near this city. Capt. H. C. Brock and T. J. Southerland are two of the judges chosen for the occasion, the third not having yet been named.

The exact hour for the race to commence will hereafter be announced.

Judging from the talk in sporting circles the affair will no doubt be a very interesting and spirited one, and a considerable amount of money will be likely to change hands on the result.

Reported Jail Delivery.

Information was received here yesterday that H. Oglesby, charged with the killing of a Mr. Williams, at Laurinburg, a year or two ago, had broken out of jail at Wadesboro and escaped, together with the remainder of the prisoners. Another account has it that after the prisoners had been gone for some time Oglesby came back, surrendered himself, and was returned to his old quarters. It will be remembered that the case of Oglesby was removed from Richmond to Anson county for trial.

Recovery of Stolen Property.

A large piece of canvas, valued at from \$80 to \$90, was stolen from the Messrs. Kiddie's mill on Friday night or early yesterday morning. It was traced to a shop on Water street and recovered, the proprietor, suspecting it was stolen, having held on to it with the understanding that the party who brought it should call later and get his answer. He had not called at last accounts.

To-Day's Indications.

For the South Atlantic States, northerly veering to easterly winds, stationary or lower temperature, cloudy weather, with occasional rain and higher barometer in the Southern part, are the indications for to-day.

See fourth page for other local news.

DECEASED.

SHAFER-SMITH.—In this city, on the 4th inst., by Rev. G. D. Beardsley, D. D., Mr. J. H. SHAFER and Miss A. J. SMITH, both of this city. No cards.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

WHEREAS, it has pleased Almighty God in the dispensation of His unfathomable wisdom to remove from this earthly sphere our late Brother JOHN C. HINES; and whereas, it is but meet and just that we, his surviving brethren, should pay this our last tribute to his memory, therefore,

Resolved, 1st, That in the death of our Brother the Association has lost a valuable and esteemed member, one always ready to perform all duties imposed upon him.

Resolved, 2d, That while we deplore the loss of our worthy Brother, let us hope that our loss may be his gain.

Resolved, 3d, That our heartfelt sympathies are extended to the bereaved family of the deceased.

Resolved, 4th, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased Brother, and a blank page be left in our Book with name, age and date of death inscribed.

W. H. STRAUSS, Chm'n. F. B. HARRISON, Sec'y. R. P. RAILLY, J. KLANDER, JOHN HAAR, Jr., Committee.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lecture.

THE REV. JOSEPH R. WILSON, D. D., will deliver a Lecture, for the benefit of the Library Association, at the OPERA HOUSE, on MONDAY, MARCH 8th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Admission 50c. Tickets to be had at the Bookstores and at the door. — mh 6 St.

W. W. Harriss, M. D., HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.

Office (at present), next Court House. May be consulted on SUNDAYS and EVENINGS during week, at RESIDENCE, Fifth Street, near Orange. — mh 7 St.

House for Rent.

A convenient and comfortable House, with Eight Rooms and Kitchen and Dining Room, with Servants' Rooms and Bath, for rent. Apply to J. W. YATES, at 111 St. — mh 7 St.

"Fits!"

We'll give you fits, though fitful you be, Fit for a Prince or a King; Then fitly fitted, you will profit, see, How little the fit, the fit, the fit, the fit.

A country-fitter, will furnish, by paring to plan, But spare the Fitter of John Dyer & Son. — mh 7 St.

Dr. E. S. Pigford, GRADUATE OF HARVARD, MEDICAL COLLEGE, CHICAGO.

Will occupy the Office of the late Dr. W. E. Freeman. — mh 3 St.

"Best Baited Meal in the City."

GRINDING DAILY. PRESTON CUMMING & CO., Millers and Grain Dealers. — mh 7 St.

Everybody's Customers!

BUY COFFEE OF Jas. C. Stevenson

Because he keeps of his own selection Old Government Java, Lagayra, Rio and Santos, which he ROASTS DAILY under his direction, and he can with confidence tell his customers what kind and quality of Coffee he is selling to them, and if need be show them the Real and Official in the bean. Prices at retail for Imported and Ground Santos, 30c; Rio, 35c; Lagayra, 30c or 35c lbs. for \$1.00; Old Government Java, 35c or 40c lbs. for \$1.00. JAMES C. STEVENSON, Market Street. — mh 7 St.

Let us See.

OPERA GLASSES, FIELD GLASSES, TELESCOPE GLASSES, Reading and Sun Glasses, Microscope, large and small, and Sun Shades. All for sale at the LIVE BOOK STORE. — mh 7 St.

Pianos and Organs

SOLD ON THE EASY INSTALLMENT PLAN, at prices to suit all. Guitars, Violins, Banjos, Harmonicas, Flutes, Pipes, Bones, Accordions, Tambourines, Jew's Harps, Drums and Strings, all instruments, at HEINERBERG'S, 38 and 41 Market St. — mh 7 St.

To our Friends!

HAVING GIVEN MY WHOLE ATTENTION for the last four weeks in selecting the most desirable and Latest Styles in English, French and Scotch Cassimeres and Worsteds and Diagonal Patterns, I am now prepared to make to order stylish Suits, (FIT GUARANTEED), at prices that can't be competed with in this city. In my Ready Made and Family Furnishing Goods Department is displayed the largest stock of the great assortment of North Carolina and Virginia goods as low as any Northern House. The Public are cordially invited to examine my Stock. — mh 7 St.

Brooklyn Again!

DINAFOR Cakes, BUTTER, SCOTCH, Palace Mixed, Vanilla Wafers, Lemon Ginger Nuts, Tea Cakes. Crackers! Crackers!—Cream, Oyster, Soda, Cream Soda and Oyster Crackers, Animal and Toy Crackers. Butter from O. G. Java down. Butter from Martin's G. R. down. Flour from Rotterdam down. — mh 7 St.

McDongall & Williamson,

PRACTICAL CARRIAGE AND BUGGY MANUFACTURERS, lay the following facts before the public: Have the best Equipped Shop in the city; have the best corps of workmen in our trade; Stocked with Wood, Paint and Finishes; Rooms, a separate department. This is desirable to do good work, and especially for Fine Fittings, we employ the finest workmen in this branch. Best prices guaranteed. — mh 7 St.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE TREASURER & COLLECTOR, CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C., March 6th, 1880.

Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR CITY TAXES OF 1879, will be commenced on MONDAY, MARCH 8th, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door. — mh 7 St.

New Crop Cuba Molasses.

300 Hds Choice CUBA MOLASSES. Just landed ex Schr Mary A. McCann. Also, a full line of HEAVY GROCERIES and DISTILLERS' SUPPLIES. For sale by WORTH & WORTH. — mh 7 St.

Solved!

NOT THE "GEM" PUZZLE, BUT THE QUEST—Don't see to who? The Best Assortment, The Finest Selection, At the Lowest Prices. Come and see for yourself. YATES' BOOK STORE. — mh 7 St.

We Are

SELLING THE BEST HATS, SADDLES, BRIDLES, COLLARS, &c. for the least money. If you don't think so try us. — mh 7 St.

Hats. Hats. Hats.

AND UMBRELLAS! All Styles and Qualities! At Low Prices! At HARRISON & ALLEN'S, City Hatters, 29 Front St. — mh 7 St.

For

Lowest Prices, Best Quality, and Most Desirable Furniture, Go to the New Furniture Store, HERRICK & HERRICK, 8 & 9 Corner Market and 3d Sts., Wilmington, N. C. — mh 7 St.

Thermometer Well Up!

SO, TO KEEP COOL, GO TO 19 FRONT ST., and buy one of those Superior REFRIGERATORS, with WATER COOL attachment—Just the thing for Family use. We are still sending out Piles of those Popular COOL STOVES. The best Stove I ever saw, says a man who has used one a year. Send your orders to FARKER & TAYLOR, 19 and 21 Market St. — mh 7 St.

Turpentine Tools.

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING THE LARGEST assortment of Turpentine Tools ever brought to this market. Hackers, Pullers, Dippers, Western-made Shovels, &c. We also have in stock a fine assortment of Cooper's Tools of every description. Goods and prices guaranteed in all instances. The Old Reliable Hardware House of JOHN DAWSON & CO., 19 and 21 Market St. — mh 7 St.

Now in Stock.

PIQUES, IN WHITE AND COLORED; also, PRINTED LAWNS, just received. The above was bought previous to the advance, and will be sold accordingly. BROWN & RODDICK. — mh 7 St.

Sun-Shades and Parasols.

OUR FULL ASSORTMENT IS NOW ON THE shelves. The purchase was made last September. We propose giving our patrons all the advantage we possibly can. BROWN & RODDICK, 40 and 42 Market Street. — mh 7 St.

Don't Delay,

BUT MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS NOW, FROM THE CHOICEST GOODS EVER BROUGHT TO THIS CITY. Come and see for yourself. MUNSON, Clothier and Merchant Tailor. — mh 7 St.

Seed Rice.

1000 BUSHELS PRIME SEED RICE. For sale by ALFRED MARTIN. — mh 7 St.

Plows! Plows!!

WE HAVE ON HAND A FULL LINE OF THE following: FURROWS and Castles, which we are selling at low as the lowest. Avery, Walk, Cook, Farmer's Friend, Granger's Friend, Independent Goodson, Stone-wall Cotton and all the smaller Plows, such as No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. We have also all the best of Steel Shovels, Full Trusses, Shovels, Tins, Shovels, &c., &c. Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. GILES & MURCHISON. — mh 7 St.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Real Estate at Auction.

ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, 10TH INST., AT 10 o'clock M., we will sell at Exchange Corner, that valuable and desirable Brick Store, known as NO. 18 MARKET STREET; That very desirable DWELLING HOUSE AND LOT, Southwest Intersection Fifth with Do-k sta. Terms at sale. Particulars at our Sales Rooms. — mh 7 St.

Brunswick Bridge and Ferry Stock

AT AUCTION. ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, 10TH INST., AT 10 o'clock M., we will sell at Exchange Corner, 47 Shares Capital Stock B. & F. Company. — mh 7 St.

Bacon, Molasses, Flour, &c.

100 Boxes D. S. SIDES, do Smoked do 50 Hds New Crop CUBA MOLASSES 200 Bbls Old Crop do 50 Bbls New Orleans do 1000 Sacks FLOUR, 3000 Sacks SALT, 250 Bags COFFEE, all grades, 100 Bbls SUGAR, C, Ex O and A, 100 Tubs and Tierces LARD, 1000 Bush BIRD OATS, 2000 Bush Mixed and White CORN, 600 Bales Choice EASTERN HAY, 20 Tons ROOF IRON, 150 Bbls GLUE, 1000 NEW SPIRIT CASKS, 300 Kegs NAILS, 200 Bbls BUNGS, 200 Boxes TOBACCO. For sale by BRECKENRICH & CALDER BROS. — mh 7 St.

Boatwright & McKoy

Offer this Week FRESH ARRIVALS, Lbs C. R. Dry Salt SIDES, Packages BUTTER, 250 Bags COFFEE, 150 Boxes CANDLES, 100 Boxes CANDY, 50 Boxes CHEESE, 300 Packages CRACKERS, do CANNED GOODS, 500 Bbls FLOUR, 700 Gross Parlor MATCHES, 100 Tierces and Tubs Fairbanks' LARD, 200 Boxes LAUNDRY SOAP, 200 Bbls MOLASSES, Old and New Crop Cuba, 100 Bbls SUGAR, 200 Boxes LYE and POTASH, 100 Boxes STARCH. Don't forget that we can supply you with LIQUORS, either at Wholesale or Retail, LOWER than any House in the State. Again we say come and see us. Boatwright & McKoy, 5 and 7 NORTH FRONT ST. — mh 7 St.

New Crop Cuba.

308 Hds and Tierces New Crop CUBA MOLASSES, Now landing ex Cuba. For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON. — mh 7 St.

Potatoes, Flour, Sugar.

300 Bbls EARLY ROSE POTATOES, 1000 Bbls FLOUR, Super to Extra Family, 275 Bbls SUGAR, Granulated, Standard A, Extra C and C, 425 Bags COFFEE, Rio, Lagayra, and Java, 350 Boxes Smoked and D. S. SIDES, 150 Tubs Choice LEAF LARD, 400 Boxes LYE and POTASH, 225 Boxes Laundry and Toilet SOAP, 150 Boxes STARCH, 500 Whole and Half Boxes CANDLES, Candy, Paper, Enam. Tobacco, Nails, Buckles, Hoop Iron, &c. Bales Choice Timothy and Eastern HAY Sacks Marshall's Fine SALT, 3200 Sacks LIVERPOOL SALT, 4500 Sacks Purvian Cotton GUANO, 3500 For sale by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON, Wholesale Gro. & Com. Merchs. — mh 7 St.

Vegetable and Fruit

Crates and Boxes, Sash, Doors, Blinds, ALL KINDS OF BUILDING MATERIAL, SEA-BONED Flooring, Weather-Boarding, &c., &c. Metal and Walnut Show-Cases, at ALTAFFER, PRICE & CO. — mh 7 St.

Carriage Factory.

I KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND MY make of Carriages, Buggies, Wagons and Drays, Harnesses, Saddles, Collars, &c. Painting, Varnishing and Repairing done at short notice. Call and examine of Call get your money's worth, at P. H. HAYDEN'S, Third, bet. Market and Princess St. — mh 7 St.

You Want

THESE THINGS YOU SAY MADE SKILFULLY of good material and for the best money. Good. That's business. We're everything now in apple-shape for the market of Bogden, Wagon, Carriage, Harness, &c. See now if we can't please you and keep your money home. — mh 7 St.

Bird Seed.

GARDEN SEED, PLANTING POTATOES, LIME, Currier and Swine Cheese, Scented Pig Lard, German Pickles, Bear Brand, H. B. G. B. Hitting, German and Domestic Bologna, Garlic and Garlic Sauce, Liver and Blood-Purifying, a full line of First Class Family Groceries, &c., at lowest cash price. Call and see for yourself at VOLLES, 36 and 38 South Front street. — mh 7 St.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

Table with 2 columns: Rate and Amount. One square one day, 10 cents; Two days, 20 cents; Three days, 30 cents; Four days, 40 cents; Five days, 50 cents; One week, 1.00; Two weeks, 1.75; Three weeks, 2.50; One month, 4.00; Two months, 7.00; Three months, 10.00; Six months, 18.00; One year, 30.00.

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New Departure!

NEW STOCK!

NEW GOODS

WAIT FOR THE

Grand Opening!

ON Monday, 8th inst.