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WHOLE NO. 4942

Jarvis leaves this morning, on the Raleigh & Gaston train, for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the funeral of the President.

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FEARFUL ACCIDENT.

A Young Man Has Both Hands Blown off While Firing a Salute in Honor of the Dead President.

Yesterday afternoon, shortly before 3 o'clock, after about the tenth or twelfth gun had been discharged in the salute which was being fired in respect to the memory of President Garfield, nearly opposite the Custom House, a premature discharge of one of the pieces took place, resulting in a terrible accident to Private John Sneed, who at the time was engaged in ramming the cartridge. His left hand was blown entirely from his wrist, leaving only the thumb dangling by a small portion of the skin...

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THE DEAD PRESIDENT.

The City in Mourning—Memorial Services in the Churches—Business Suspended—One of the Largest Public Meetings Ever Held in Wilmington Assemblies at the Opera House—Speeches on the Occasion—Resolutions, &c.

Business was nearly entirely suspended in this city yesterday, the day set apart as one of humiliation and prayer in consequence of the death of the President of the United States. The churches and a large number of stores and private residences were draped in mourning, and signs of grief were visible on every hand.

At the close of Mr. Kingsbury's remarks the meeting adjourned. At the conclusion of the prayer Mr. F. H. Darby then moved that His Honor, Mayor Smith, should preside, which motion was put by Mr. Darby and carried.

The other officers of the meeting were then announced, in accordance with a resolution of Mr. Darby, as follows: Secretary—Stacey VanAmringe. Vice Presidents—Roger Moore, H. A. Bagg, S. H. Fishback, Maj. Jas. Reilly, Alfred Martin, Col. E. R. Brink, J. E. Sampson, Owen Burney, Capt. E. J. Pennypacker, C. P. Locky.

Committee on Resolutions—Col. D. K. McRae, Robert S. Radcliffe, John Haar, Jr., DuBruz Cutler, Gen. C. A. Abbott, Jos. D. Sampson, W. H. Gerken, F. W. Foster.

The Committee on Resolutions retired, and during their absence Col. J. G. Burr, being called upon, responded in touching terms; alluding to the effect of the sad announcement of the President's death; alluding to the admirable traits of character displayed by him, especially during his illness, and the heroic fortitude which sustained him under the great sufferings and pain he endured.

Resolution commemorative of the death of James A. Garfield, late President of the United States, submitted by a motion of the citizens of Wilmington, North Carolina, held on the 26th day of September, 1881.

Andrew Malloy, colored, was arraigned on the charge of being found drunk and down on the street Saturday night, and having to be hauled to the station house on a dray. It also transpired that he had a revolver—a seven-shooter—in his possession when searched. He made a statement to the court to the effect that he picked the pistol up on the street, and tried to find the owner of the weapon to deliver it up, intending if he did not do so to leave it at the City Hall Sunday or Monday morning.

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OPERA HOUSE.

After an absence of several years, Mr. Jno. E. Owens reappeared at the Opera House last night to a full audience, and thoroughly amused and delighted everybody.

Mr. Owens presented his portraits of widely different characters in a perfectly natural and masterly manner, and in his peculiar line stands to-day unrivalled and unequalled on the American stage.

His impersonations are familiar to all theatre-goers, and yet they have not become stale or tiresome, and are still heartily enjoyed whenever witnessed.

His support is of good enough to satisfactorily present the various parts of the drama that go to make up, with himself as the chief attraction and the centre piece, a perfect whole, and inasmuch as this is all sufficient must be accounted excellent.

To-night, his last appearance here, he will give an entire change of programme and present two of his strongest and most successful parts. As it will probably be his farewell performance in Wilmington for many years, the opportunity to see him should not be lost. For further particulars see our advertising columns.

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T. G. BACON, Edgfield, S. C. Genting prepared only by J. H. Zellin & Co.

Notice.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF C. M. STEDMAN FIRE CO. No. 1 are hereby requested to meet at the Engine House, this (TUESDAY) Evening, at 8 o'clock.

Boards.

MRS. J. J. LIPPITT WILL TAKE BOARDERS, at residence, on south side Market St., between Second and Third, on and after 5th of October.

Bird Seed.

N. WISSE, LUMBURG AND S. P. HAGO CHEESE; Graham, Bye and Buckwheat Flour, fine Syrup, Forest's Honest N. C. Molasses; Apples, Calabash, Onions, Wood and Willow Ware, and a full line of Family Supplies at Lowest Market Prices.

Choice Suits.

CAN NOW BE FOUND IN OUR READY MADE stock of CLOTHING. At prices within the reach of ALL.

Brick and Shingles.

50,000 No. 1 HARD BRICK, 75,000 4 in. and 5 in. SHINGLES, COAL and WOOD in full supply.

Notice.

A S TRUSTEE OF JOHN M. ROBINSON I offer his entire stock of HATS, GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, TRUNKS, &c., at reduced prices.

Rice! Rice! Rice!

PLANTERS AND MERCHANTS WILL NOTICE that we are always prepared to pay the best market price for Rice, or will sell on commission any shipments they may entrust to us.

Dress Making.

MRS. MARY H. M. CARVER HAVING RETURNED to the city, would respectfully inform her patrons, and the Ladies generally, that she can be found at Mrs. Brown's, cor. Chestnut and 2nd Sts., opposite the Post Office.

For Sale.

TWENTY THOUSAND TONS FERTILIZERS, embracing ACID PHOSPHATE, DISSOLVED BONES, AMMONIATED FERTILIZERS, and GERMAN POTASH SALTS (KALMIT).

Bargains.

CAN BE HAD IN FURNITURE OF THE latest styles. Our entire stock is NEW, bought at the lowest prices for the cash.

Notwithstanding the Gale.

WE ARE STILL RECEIVING AND RUNNING off our stock of House Furnishing Goods to the satisfaction of close buyers. Call and examine. Pure White Oil.

Sickle Pears.

ANOTHER FINE LOT OF PEARS RECEIVED, consisting of Sickle, Laurence and Duchess, Apples, Oranges, and Fresh Home-made Cocoman, Peanut, Walnut and other Candies on hand.

Powder! Powder!

300 Kegs—KENTUCKY RIFLE POWDER, BLASTING POWDER, DUCKING POWDER, RICE-BIRD POWDER.

Dundee Bagging.

FOR COTTON SHEETS: FIVE BALES, For sale at "WILLARD'S."

Wanted—1,000 Men.

TO BUY BUGGIES, CARTS, WAGONS, HARNESS, Saddles, Collars, Hames, Blind Bridles, &c. Best goods and lowest prices.

TIME.

TO THINK ABOUT HOT BED SASH.

Sash, Doors, Blinds.

BRACKETS, MOULDING, LUMBER, &c., &c. PLEASE ORDER EARLY.

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This (Tuesday) Evening, Mr. Owens will appear in Two of his Most Celebrated Characters, MAJ. DR. BOOTS, in EVERYBODY'S FRIEND!

And MR. GILMAN, in HAPPIEST DAY OF MY LIFE!

Seats can be secured to-day at Dyers' sep 27 11

Corn and Meal.

1000 Bushels White and Mixed CORN, 800 Bushels Water Ground VA. MEAL, Just received and for sale by

sep 25 11 KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Coffee and Sugar.

150 Bbls COFFEE, all grades, 50 Bbls Golden and Ex. C SUGAR, For sale by

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Bacon.

200 Boxes Dry Salted SIDES, 75 Boxes Smoked SIDES, For sale by

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Lard and Cheese.

200 Buckets, Tubs and Tubs Boxes Pure CREAM CHEESE, For sale by

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Fire Insurance.

LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE OF ENGL. Assets over \$30,000,000. Agricultural, of New York—Assets \$1,261,731.00

Virginia Fire & Marine, of Richmond, Assets over \$600,000.00

Rochester German, of New York, Assets \$251,987.00

Merchants & Mechanics, of Richmond, Assets \$338,534.00

Columbus Insurance & Banking Co., of Mississippi, Assets \$380,549.87

JNO. W. GORDON & BRO., Agents, sep 25 11 24 North Water St.

Lime. Lime.

1500 Bbls. Fresh Lime

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Great Economy.

TO BUY YOUR STATIONERY OF EVERY variety and style. School-Books and Blank Books. A complete stock always on hand at lowest prices.

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PIANOS AND ORGANS CHEAP FOR CASH, OR on the easy Instalment Plan, at HEINBERGER'S

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Look to Your Interest.

AND STOP AT MALLARD & BOWDEN'S, where the largest assortment of Harness, Bridles, Saddles, Collars, Trunks, Travelling Bags ever brought to this city are to be seen and bought for the least money. Try them and be convinced. Manufacturing and repairing done with neatness and dispatch.

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L. S. L.

NEXT DRAWING OF THE Louisiana State Lottery

TAKES PLACE SEPT. 13. PRIZES FROM \$100 to \$30,000. Price, Whole tickets, \$2 00, Halves \$1 00. Address Lock Box 272, Wilmington, N. C.

Stylish Fur Hats!

Latest Novelties! HARRISON & ALLEN, Hatters.

School Books.

NEW AND SECOND HAND, AT REDUCED PRICES, AT YATES'.

Stoves! Stoves!

ALL KINDS, PRICES A LITTLE WHILE longer the same as before the advance. Write for Catalogue. Dealers in Tin Ware should send for our new list before they make up another order. sep 25 11 F. M. KING & CO.

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UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT, Wilmington, N. C.

B. L. Perry, Proprietor. First Class in all its appointments. Terms \$2.50 to \$5.00 per day.

Behrends & Munroe.

S. E. CORNER MARKET AND SECOND STS., are daily receiving a large and well assorted stock of Furniture from the largest and best manufacturers in the United States. Solid Black Walnut a specialty. sep 25 11