OUTLINES.

A piece of a boat with the name "City of Merida" was washed ashore at Hatteras Friday night; the agents of the steamship at New York have no news of the vessel and no fears for her safety; she is not due at Vera Cruz until Thursday. -In a shooting affray at Marianna, Ark, Thos. G Rogers killed Jas. A. Beckham, and was himself severely wounded. -A prisoner in jail at Bloomington, Ills., killed the bailer, and was taken out and lynched by a crowd of five thousand people. -A fifty-thousand dollar fire at Warren, Pa., Sunday. - During September 2,762,649 pounds of tobacco were sold in Danville at an average of \$17.36 per hundred pounds. -The Oldham cotton mills fully resumed work yesterday. - Father Sheehy threatens, unless all Irish "suspects" are released within a month, to inaugurate a movement to withhold the payment of rents in county Limerick. -- The case of Guiteau was brought before the grand jury of the District of Columbia yesterday; witnesses were examined and the further consideration of the case postponed until today. -Reports are rife of a revolution in Costa Rica. - German ship Hugo burned in the south Pacific. -A boiler explosion at Carrollton, Mich., killed two men. -A Paris dispatch says that President Grevy in the event of the overthrow of Premier Ferry will send for Gambetta and give him the fullest latitude in forming a cabinet. -Two soldiers and several citizens killed by Indians in Arizona: four companies of cavalry were fighting them near Fort Grant. ---- A strike of draymen and cotton press laborers took place in Charleston, S.C., yesterday; employers are disposed to grant concessions and no disturbance is apprehended. -A storm in Knox county, O., Sunday, did great damage; three persons were drowned in attempting to cross a swollen stream. -- New York markets: Money 4@6 pe cent. and 1-32c per diem; cotton dull at 111@121c; southern flour scarce and strong: at \$6 85@7 50; wheat, ungraded spring \$1 25@1 40; corn 1@1c higher, ungraded 68@764c.; rosin firm at \$2 50@2 55; spirits turpentine dull at 58c.

Eldred, Pa., had a \$50,000 fire on last Friday. The fire originated in the Opera House.

Foxhall will run for the Czarewitch stakes. He will incur no extra weight by reason of his recent vic-

James Malley is taking Mr. Samuel Weller's advice to his son, Sam. Weller, of glorious and delightful memory-proving an alibi.

Anna Dickinson is to play male characters in Philadelphia. Gentle Anna would do well to stick to the business, she is used to No. 5's.

Grant and Jones stay with President Arthur one day, and Jones and Grant stay with him the next day, and so on, vice versa, turn about, as

Senator Williams, of Kentucky, takes the practical, probable view of the situation. That is, that in due time Arthur will say to all who are

not his friends "step down and out." There are two ex-Presidents living, viz : Grant and Haves. A nice duet, that. There are three Vice Presi-

dents living-Hamlin, Colfax and Wheeler. A fragrant trio, that ! Tourgee is already praising the new President. Look here, General,

we want to whisper in your ear: Tourgee is only trying on his old game of bamboozle and thimble-rig. Don't mind him.

Can a single issue of any Northern paper be found since 1868 that does not contain some reference to Grant? He is the best advertised man the world has known. What would he have done without the newspapers, the Munchausen biography by Badean, and the silence of his Gene-

In a change of Cabinet officers the country will be relieved of one man that can be spared well and without to Sir Joseph Porter, alias Secretary Hunt, of the President's Navee. He is a good deal larger than his place or waist-band and unless he is releved of further duty he may colapse or explode.

Vennor in August never once thought that the world would be roasted all through September and a part of October. He exhausted all of his supply of frosts and "cold waves" in mid-summer, and now we are all "piping hot" when there ought to be bracing breezes, cool nights and "robustious mornings." Vennor is discharged.

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WHOLE NO. 4948

There is still another Senatorial rumor started. The last is told by a New York shipping merchant. He claims to have received a letter from a Utica, N. Y., man in which it was proposed to have Conkling killed, "who was the direct cause of President Garfield's death and General Arthur's elevation." The name is not given. The New York man is a Mr. Jackson. We copy from a long dispatch about it from New York, dated October 1, to the Philadelphia

"To-day Mr. Jackson called on Commissioner Mason and was admitted to a long in-terview with him. He gave the Utica letter to the Commissioner and told him what he knew about its writer. This was in substance that he was a man of about 40 years, college bred and of good family. Fifteen years ago he ran a large hotel in Utica and then Mr. Jackson managed his business for him. Lately he has been an agent for some mercantile interests. Mr. Jackson firmly believes him to be another Guiteau. He was unable to account for his addressing him, except on the score of their old ac-

Seventeen Irish Bishops and Archbishops have united in subscribing to a manifesto addressed to the people of Ireland in approval of the Land Act. They declare that it is "of great benefit to the tenant class and a large instalment of justice." They further declare that "the gratitude of the country is due to Mr. Gladstone and his Government" for this measure. Just what the STAR has been saying all along, "by Jove," as Solon Shingle, Esq., would say.

Bradstreet's latest cotton report places the yield at 34 per cent. less than last year. The decrease by States is summarized as follows: North Carolina and Virginia, 37 per cent.: South Carolina, 39.8; Georgia and Florida, 28.8; Alabama, 24.7; Mississippi, 28.6; Louisiana, 30.6; Texas, 39.4; Arkansas, 54.8; Tennessee, 46.2.

The red-hot Stalwart flapdoodle of the Chicago Inter-Ocean says that because ex-President Davis wishes a Southern History of the United States to be written that "his idea is probably to encourage hostility to the Union." What a magnificent idiot that Chicago fire-eater is.

"Bright, Newsy and Interesting."

New York Banker and Broker. The Wilmington (N. C.) STAR is one of our bright Southern exchanges, which we invariably find newsy and interesting. It celebrates its fourteenth anniversary by putting on a new dress, which makes it look quite youthful. We recognize with pleasure the encouraging statements it makes of its progress. for in the prosperity of the Southern press we see an infallible sign of the prosperity and growth of the South. A section which supports good papers in a municipal style is invariably the one to depend upon for grand results, a fact which we think our Southern friends are realizing and acting upon.

Shows Judgment with Good Editorials." Weldon News.

The STAR is among the best papers that come to this office, and we always pick it up with pleasure. The general make up of the paper shows judgment, and its editorials are always good.

Spirits Turpentine.

- Revenue collections in the 4th District for September, \$120,331.87.

- Kinston Journal: Rev. W. P. McCorkle closed an interesting meeting at Sharon last Wednesday night, with five additions to the church and much interest manifested. He was assisted by Mr. R. B. Gilliam and Rev. Mr. Swindell, of Kinston.

- Charlotte Observer: The North Carolina State Band, organized for the Yorktown Centennial, celebration by the famous director, W. H. Neave, of Salisbury, is a complete success. The band numbers 28 pieces, and is at once the

largest and best ever in the State. - Salisbury Examiner: M. Locke, a colored youth aged about 18 years, was committed to jail by File Alexander, Esq., a few days ago, charged with committing rape on the person of a little daughter of of Mr. Cal. Klutz. The little girl was only eight years old, and it is said was very much injured by the brute.

- Mr. D. C. Mangum goes heavily in the Plant for the New York World's detriment to the service. We refer correspondent, who appears to be getting himself into "hot water" in his letters concerning North Carolina. Mr. M. gives him "fits" for what he said about Durham. The correspondent is thought to be Mr. Page about whom the readers of the STAR

have learned something recently. - Rockingham Bee: It has been suggested to us to say, Let the farmers of Richmond county meet together at Rock-ingham on Monday next, October 3, 1881, and in view of the drought and short crops, counsel together about the payment of guano accounts. — Rev. James W. O'Brien was seriouly hurt last Wednesday evening at the bridge near the depot; his horse ran down the hill, breaking the fore axel of his buggy and throwing him out. Although seriously hurt and suffering very much at first, he is better now.

- Tarboro Southerner: The Wilmington STAR, the longer it shines the brighter it gets. — Nash county items: Dr. Foster, a Northern man of great mining experience, having leased the Mann mine near here, is about to resume operations

with new and improved machinery for grinding rock, washing gold, &c. — The celebrated W. H. Arrington vs. Pattie D. B. Arrington, for the recovery or his five children, that has been going around the courts for some time, will be taken up again at Goldsboro, by Judge Shipp, on the 10th of October. It is the biggest case ever before the courts of this county, probably the State and the end is not wat.

the State, and the end is not yet -There is exhibited in front of the Yarborough House a curiosity in the shape of an enormous rattlesnake, six feet in length, eight inches in circumference, and with fourteen rattles and a button. It is a monster, and has been nicely stuffed. It was brought up by Mr. Watkins, of the Atlantic Hotel, and was killed at Havelock, on the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad. -Raleigh News-Observer. A section of the skin of one killed in Pender county two or three years ago is in the STAR office. In its dried state it measures nearly fourteen inches in circumference. It must have measured full sixteen inches when green. We have heard that it was some twelve feet in length.—STAR.

- New Bernian: There is the shadow of the remotest possibility of a the-atrical troupe visiting New Berne some time during the fall or winter. —The air in these parts is filled with railroad rumors; developments of a most interesting and unlooked for character are expected within the next ten days. — Corn still continues to arrive in our city in goodly quantities, and meets with ready sale at from 80 to 82 cents, by the cargo. We are told that spirits terpentine has touched higher prices in New Berne within the last ten days than it has at any time within the last ten years. —From all sections the report now comes that the rice crop was not so materially injured by the drought as it was once thought to be. The yield will be fully up to the average, and owing to the increased acreage in this cereal, the supply will be largely in excess of last

- Winston Leader: The Baptist State Convention will meet in Winston in State Convention will meet in Winston in November. It is our purpose to issue the Leader daily during its sitting, if sufficiently encouraged to do so. ——"Old Hurrygraph has noticed that a great many people pray, "Give us this day our daily bread," and walk about all day, expecting the Lord to put the bread right into their mouths. ——A Forsyth poet sends us "Kiss me for my Kittie." No, sir. We'll do nothing of the kind. Bring in your Kittie and introduce her. If she's good looking and understands the art, we'll try and muster up derstands the art, we'll try and muster up courage enough to kiss her—but hang your'n. We'll not kiss you for anything-—The recent rains raised the Yadkin several feet in the afternoon of the 17th inst. There were upwards of twenty bushels of fish caught in one trap (Messrs. Lougnhour & Douthit's) at Nissen & Co's

- Pittsboro Record: Bright and early one morning, about three weeks ago, a runaway couple arrived in our town from a considerable distance in the county, and after obtaining a license were married by an obliging magistrate; and now we hear that after being married only nine days their happiness was dispelled and they separated. — While in Chapel Hill for a few hours, on last Saturday, we were pleased to learn of the flourishing condition of the University. One hundred and eighty students are now in attendance, and the cry is still they come. — Trains on the University Railroad will be running to New Hope river (six miles from Chapel Hill) in time for persons to attend the State Fair, and in a short time thereafter. -Two negro women had a fight on Saturday, when one of them broke a jug upon the head of the other, which caused the blood

to flow so freely as to endanger her life. - Raleigh News-Observer: The total cotton receipts since September 1 to Friday last were 6,905 bales, against 14,276 for the same period last year, showing a decrease of 7,371 bales. — We understand that some of the Charlotte folks are about to start a new daily there on a capital of \$600. — We hear it rumored on the streets that Capt. Bogardus has been challenged by a member of the Raleigh Gun Club to shoot at pigeons or glass balls at the approaching State Fair. — At Cleveland there were no less than fifteen governors, four of them being from the South. In the procession Gov. Jarvis occupied a carriage with Gov. Cornell, of New York — Rev. Dr. Skinner is out again, looking none the worse for his illness. Rev. A. A. Boshamer is still sick. The heaviest and finest bale of cotton seen here this season was sold on Thursday. It weighed 789 pounds and brought 114 cents. It graded strict good middling. — The Supreme Court meets on Monday and the First district will be called. As soon as appeals from this district have been disposed of, those from any of the other districts will be heard during the remainder of the week, by consent. — Yesterday about twenty-one firms were notified to appear be-fore the Mayor for failure to take up the gutter bridges in front of their stores. On promising to heed the ordinance in regard to the matter, the cases were dismissed. -At Christ church, on Monday last, Rev. Edward H. Gilliam was deposed from the ministry by the Right Reverend the Bishop of North Carolina, in the presence of a number of the clergy of the discess. — On Monday next, October 3d, an election will be held in Fayetteville to determine whether the town charter shall be surrendered. This election will be held by the Sheriff of Cumberland county, under the provisions of an act of the Generaal Assembly, of an act of the General Assembly, Private Acts of 1881, chapter 58.

— A correspondent in Randolph county writes us as follows: "The Midland Railroad is what Randolph wants and must have. No rain sufficient to put the ground in plowing order; a few light showers, and very warm. Deep River is so low that the factories cannot run half their machinery Quite a revival going on at the Methodist church here." - Through a private letter we learn that in an affray between two negro men in the employ of Mr. John G. B. Grimes, at his plantation near Washington, one stabbed the other with a pocket knife in the region of the heart, killing him almost instantly. The quarrel was a sudden one, growing out of a dispute about a hog. - Equipments will to-morrow be shipped from the State Arsenal to the following companies of the Sate Guard: Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, of Fayetteville; Orange Guards, of Hillsboro; New Berne Grays, of New Berne; Duplin Rifles, of Kenansville, and Washington Light Infantry, of Washington. The Edgecombe Guards have already been equipped.

— We are in receipt of the following letter from Col. John D. Cameron: "The Durham Recorder was sold on Friday last, under a mortgage on the property of the the office, Mr. E. C. Hackney becoming the purchaser, into whose hands it is hence-forth placed, All the debts due to the pa-

Hillsboro for the present,'

THE CITY NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

E. LEVY-Stall-fed beef. S. JEWETT-Low prices.

CAUTION NOTICE-Crew Lydia. J. C. BORNEMANN-Stall-fed beef. CRONLY & MORRIS-Auction sale. P. CUMMING & Co.—Oats, corn, etc. Munson-Broad cloths and doeskins.

J. D. STELJES-North Carolina House.

Local Dots. - Mr. Robert H. Smith, of the Smithville Signal Office, has gone to Wash-

- The receipts of cotton at this port yesterday footed up 2,012 bales, being the largest for any one day this season.

- Messrs. Brown & Roddick have emoved into their new and handsome store on the east side of Front, between Market and Princess streets.

- The funeral of Alex. Love, the well known colored drayman, was largely attended on Sunday afternoon by several of the colored orders in regalia, the firemen of Cape Fear No. 3, S. F. E. Company, and friends generally.

- We would state, at the request of Rev. B. G. G. Lanier, minister in charge, that Rev. L. E. Edwards, P. E. of the Wilmington District of the A. M. E. Church, will preach at the Mount Carmen A. M. E. church to-day, the 4th of Octo-

Narrow Escape. Nellie Nixon, colored, living in the neighborhood of Eleventh and Dock streets, went to a funeral Sunday afternoon, leaving one of her sons with her invalid father in charge of the house. The boy went off before his mother returned, leaving no one in the house but the nearly helpless old man. In the meantime a little colored child, some three or four years old, came in and got hold of a box of matches, one of which he succeeded in striking, when he set fire to a lot of paper on a shelf, the flames from which ignited the paper with which the walls were partially covered, and finally spread to other articles in the room. At this critical moment a friend of the family came in, found the flames rapidly spreading over the room and the old man turning round in the middle of the floor in a completely dazed and bewildered condition. By prompt and well directed efforts he finally succeeded in getting the fire under control, without starting any general alarm, but several articles of bed clothing, a mattress and other things were partially burned and the walls badly scorched, while the old man was frightened almost

out of his wits. Mayor's Court. Robert Palmer, colored, was arraigned for disorderly conduct on Front, between Market and Dock streets, on Saturday night last. It seems that Palmer, with a number of other young colored men, were standing on the sidewalk, engaged in singing, and had drawn together quite a crowd, who were blocking the pavement, when Officer Gafford, of the police force, ordered them to disperse. Palmer thereupon swore at the officer and told him he knew his duty as well as he did, whereupon Mr. Cafford seized the defendant and started to the guard house with him. They had not gone far, however, when Palmer broke from the officer, told him to catch him if he could, and ran swiftly up Market street. The officer pursued and overhauled the defendant in about the distance of a block from the starting point, when he was safely

List of Subscribers. Mr. John G. Darden collected and has turned over to us for the Sneeden fund

landed in the station house. He was

ordered to pay a fine of \$5, which amount

was forthcoming and he was released.

\$11.15, as follows: John G. Darden, \$2.00; W. H. Darden, 50 cents; A. A. Johnson, 50 cents; G. W. Branch, 50 cents; H. M. Sanders, 50 cents; Z. R. Sanders, 50 cents; W. A. Williams, 50 cents; J. A. Burriss, 25 cents; R. W. Sanders, 25 cents; Alfred Bunting, 50 cents; Capt. T. Dellurray, 2.00; C. F. VonKampen, 1.00; A. Johnson, 1.00; A. R. Davis, 50 cents; still hands, 65 cents. Total, \$11.15.

Stung by a Worm. A colored woman in the neighborhood of Ninth and Mulberry streets, named Lizzie Harrison, in breaking a twig from a tree a day or two since, was stung on the hand by a small snake-like worm, the poison from which permeated the entire body, causing intense suffering. It was thought one while that she would die from the effects of the sting, but at last accounts her condition had improved somewhat.

Reported Mad Dog. A large black dog that was suapping and marling at every body that came in his way, frothing at the mouth and acting in other respects as if he might have been under the influence of hydrophobia, was killed on Front, between Queen and Wooster streets, yesterday afternoon, by Officer F. M. James, (at the solicitation of the owner and others), who knocked him in the head with an axe

Foreign Exports. The Haytien barque Aurelia, Captain Laurence, was cleared from this port for Port-au-Prince, Hayti, yesterday, by Messrs. Edward Kidder & Sons, with 204,101 feet per up to the day of sale must be paid to me. It is impossible to speculate on my future. I would part with journalism with regret. Apparently I close my career here. I shall be glad to receive proposals for editorial or literary work. My address will be pitch pine lumber and 66,200 cypress shingles; also the schooner Mabel Darling, Captain Ranger, for Nassau, N. P., by Messrs, Edward Kidder & Sons, with 68,-916 feet of lumber and 60,000 cypress shin-

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Synopsis of Proceedings in Regular

The Board met in regular monthly session at half-past 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Present, Mr. H. A. Bagg, Chairman, and Commissioners Worth, Moore and Pierce. Licenses to retail spirituous liquors were granted A. A. McLean & Co., J. D. Doscher and F. W. Ortmann.

The Treasurer submitted his monthly report. General fund—balance on hand \$15,484.98; special fund—balance due the Treasurer \$265.58; school fund-balance on hand \$9.399.15.

Thirty-seven coupons of the denomination of \$3 each, and thirteen coupons of the denomination of \$15 each, which had been redeemed, were burned in the presence of the Board.

Ordered that the poll tax charged against Edie Avery be remitted, as the party taxed s a female.

Application of Sheriff S. H. Manning, for an increase of five cents in the price of board for prisoners in jail on account of a rise in provisions, was granted.

Application of Thomas D. Murray, for remission of tax on the schooner T. D. Murray, as the said vessel was stranded and totally lost on the 2d day of August, was not granted, there being no legal authority for the Board to grant the same.

tion on assessment on the Thornbury property, was ordered granted.

Petition of Dr. T. Schonwald, for reduc-

The Board adjourned to meet on the first Monday in November, at 21 o'clock.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Proceedings of Regular Monthly Meeting.

The Board of Aldermen met in regular monthly session at the City Hall, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Present, His Honor Mayor Smith, and Aldermen Bowden, Huggins, Worth, Northrop, Chadbourn, Telfair and Sampson.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The committee on Finance reported that the account of City Attorney Darby, of the collection of back taxes, had been referred to the City Treasurer to be audited. The same committee were granted further time in the matter of Belgian pavement.

Committee on Fire Department reported favorably on the petition of George Honnet, and the report was adopted.

Alderman Northrop moved that the committee on Fire Department suspend action in regard to the erection of a belfry on the City Hall and the removal of the fire-alarm bell to the same, and that the Mayor be requested to call a special meeting on the 10th inst., to discuss and decide the matter. Adopted.

Committee on Lights were granted fur-

Committee on Streets and Wharves reported progress on the petition of J. Loeb. The same committee, in the matter of the removal of the house of J. A. Barker, reported that they could effect no arrangement with Mr. Barker.

Alderman Worth moved that the committee be discharged from further consideration of the removal of the obstruction to the street by Mr. Barker's house, and that the Chief of Police be instructed to proceed in accordance with the city ordinances and remove the obstruction. Adopted. Committee on Hospital made the follow-

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Al-

The Hospital committee beg leave to re-port that the deed for the Wilmington Garden" property has been signed by Mr. L. Vollers and wife, and that the city's share of the purchase money (\$2,400) is now due, and this committee recommend that your Finance committee be authorized to arrange with the Board of Audit and Finance for its payment.

The report was adopted.

On motion, the Sanitary committee were authorized to have three water closets erected on the line of the river front, at such locations as they may select. The petition of Messrs. Worth & Worth

to erect an open tin-roof shed, was referred to Committee on Fire Department, with power to act. Petition of sundry citizens to improve the

extreme southern end of Front street, was referred to the Chief of Police.

A request from the First Baptist church, asking the removal of the fire-alarm from the church bell, was received, and on motion, the Chief of Police was instructed to have the alarm removed.

A petition from sundry citizens asking to have a certain nuisance on McRae street abated, was referred to the Mayor for ac-

Mr. S. G. Hall came forward and requested the Board to allow him the \$19.33 deducted from his bill, and on motion, the house of Elias Oxendine, about one mile

Alderman Bowden offered a resolution, which was adopted, instructing the Chief of Police to examine the portico of the First National Bank building, on Front street, and report to the Board as to its being such an obstruction as ought to be removed. The consideration of a series of resolu-

tions offered by Alderman Chadbourn, in regard to the collection of taxes and the duties and responsibilities of the City Treasurer, was deferred until the called meeting on Monday next, the 10th inst. The report of the Chief of the Fire De-

partment was received, read and ordered filed, and on motion the Board adjourned. CATARRH OF THE BLADDER.

Stinging, smarting, irritation of the urinary passages, diseased discharges, cured by Buchupaiba. Druggists. Depot J. C. MUNDS, Wilmington.

OPERA HOUSE.

The Hoey and Hardie Combination.

well merited the universal praise their efforts won them last evening. The costumes, what we are accustomed to seeing in Wilmington. The almost irresistible temptation

Senora Magironi is a capable actress. and portrayed her difficult role with force and intelligece. Miss Eva Boker was pretty, piquant and pleasing as Karline, and Miss Emma Pierce was more than satisfactory in her rendition of Marie. Mr. Hardie made a handsome Count De Lancy, and his impersonation was throughout well sustained, captivating and effective. Gros-Rene, the friend of the Count, was the part taken by Mr. Hoey, the author of the play, and he acquitted himself capitally; but the whole Company are good, and we must not further particularize. To-night they present Diplomacy, a drama of wide fame and one of the most successful of those brought forward in the last few years. In this piece the Company is especially praised, and we hope they will have the large audience their entertainment

CRIMINAL COURT.

The Criminal Court for New Hanover county, His Honor, Judge O. P. Meares, presiding, and Solicitor B. R. Moore prosecuting for the State, convened in this city vesterday morning. The following comprise a list of the Grand Jury drawn for

After the usual charge to the Grand Jury the business of the court was proceeded with and the following cases were disposed

State vs. Wm. Dudley, charged with an

affray. Nol. pros. with leave. State vs. Petteway et al., charged with forcible trespass. Nol. pros. with leave. State vs. John McKoy, charged with rape and incest. Nol. pros. with leave. State vs. Stoke Everett, charged with

larceny. Case continued.

larceny. Witnesses called and failed. sault and battery. Defendant called and failed. Judgment nisi.

State vs. Marshal Merrick, charged with assault and battery; an appeal from a magistrate's court. Defendant found not

Sci. Fa.'s in five cases were disposed of. At 4 P. M. court adjourned until this

morning at 10 o'clock. Personal.

Mr. Bruno Kennicott, agent of Leavitt's Giganteau Minstrels, is here arranging for the coming of the troupe next Monday night. We notice in several exchanges highly flattering notices of the company. Mr. Frank J. Pilling, one of Mr. Coup's large army of managers, and in charge of his second advertising car, registered at the Purcell House last evening. Like Mr. Coup himself and nearly all of his employes

The Suceden Fund. The following subscriptions have been received since our last report : Cumming & Bailey, New York \$10.00

understands his bu siness.

Total......\$ 31.15 Previously acknowledged...... 156.35

Total received to date\$187.50 Fire up the Road.

Mr. O. S. Hayes, in a postal to the STAR, informs us that the store and dwelling and three quartions from Pates' N C OF the Carolina Central road, were destroyed by fire on Sunday night last. The amount of loss and insurance is not known, and the cause of the fire is a mystery.

A horse attached to a buggy, with Dr. J. A. Cloud at the reins, ranaway yesterday on Fourth street, but did no serious damage besides knocking down a portion of the fence at the southwest corner of Fourth and Chesnut streets.

Personal. Mr. S. B. Peterson, Treasurer of the Sampson County Agricultural Society, is in the city. He visits Wilmington in behalf of the Society, to solicit special premiums for the approaching fair in November next.

Contract Advertisements taken at propor-

Ten lines solid Nonparell type make one square

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

were appointed for that purpose, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our brother member HUGH McDONNEL, who died in this city, on Thursday morning, in the 40th year of his age;

Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to the unerring decree of him who dooth all things well, we depict the death of our brother member, Hugh McDonnel.

Resolved, That in his death this society has lost a good member and the community a quiet, inoffensive citizen, who, though he filled but an humble sphere in life, had many traits that endeared him to those who knew him.

Resolved, That a blank page of the minutes of this society be inscribed with his name, age and date of death; that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of deceased, and also published in the STAR and Review of this city.

JAMES CORBETT,

JAMES CORBETT,

DIED,

SHAW.—In Wilmington, N. C., at 116 o'clook P. M., on Monday, October 3d, 1881, JULIA, wife of Mr. William H. Shaw, and daughter of Mr. Ste-phen D. Wallace, in the 45th year of her age.

Funeral Tuesday, October 4th, at 4 o'clock P.

., from her late residence to Front Street M. E.

Church, thence to Oakdale Cemetery. Friends

and acquaintances of the family are invited to

M. CRONLY, Auctioneer.

BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Peremptory Sale.

ON TUESDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 4, 1881, COM-

mencing at 10 o'clock A. M., we will sell, in Store

West side of Front, between Market and Dook streets, all of the
Parlor, Dining Room,
Chamber (30 Suits), Office, Bar,
Billiard and Kitchen Furniture,
With every thing appertaining to and belonging to the "Commercial Hotel."
Open for inspection on Monday, 3d inst.
Conditions cash. sept 30 3t

The Auction Sale

IF FURNITURE, &c., OF THE COMMERCIAL

HOTEL, will positively take place THIS DAY, TUESDAY, October 4th, 1881, at 10 o'clock A. M., on Front between Market and Dock sts. Sign of Red Flag.

CRONLY & MORRIS, oct 4 1t

OPERA HOUSE.

TWO NIGHTS ONLY.

Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 3 & 4.

THE GREAT DRAMATIC SENSATION.

ELABORATE SCENIC EMBELLISHMENTS.
Powerful Acting.

MONDAY.

A CHILD OF THE STATE,
One of the most splendid successes ever achieved
at Wallack's Theatre.
The most powerful melo drama of the day. A
play which electrifies the passions and fires the
sensibilities. Audiences evince their appreciation
by alternate smiles and tears.
Characters by Mr. James M. Hardie, Mr. George
Hoey, Mr. Mark M. Price, R. J. Dillon, Mr. H.
Rees Davis, Mr. Frank Willard, Madame Majeroni,
Miss Emma Price, Mrs. J. J. Prior, and Miss Eva
Glenn Baker.

Glenn Baker.

TUESDAY.

The great success of the Prince of Wales Theatre, London, and Wallack's, New York,
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