MORNING EDITION.

OUTLINES.

The Senate passed the Postoffice Appro priation bill, as it came from the House, with the franking privilege restored. The total number of persons rendered destitute by the Mississippi overflow is estimated at 85,000; Congress is expected to make appropriations for the distribution of additional supplies. - It is announced from Raleigh, N. C., that an extra session of the Legislature will not be called, as the Council of State declines to take action in the matter. - Five boys were buried in a tunnel which they were digging in a hillside at St. Joseph, Mo., for amusement: all were dead when extricated. - Additional breaks in levees below New Orleans are reported. - R. G. Dun & Co. report failures throughout the country last week at 138; the Southern States have 35. - A general strike of the mill operatives at Lawrence, Mass., is feared; the entire cotton spinning force of the Central Pacific mill has struck. - J. W. Johnson, Republican politician of Illinois, and an applicant for the Swedish consulship, charged with forging commercial paper, has absconded. - A Baptist church and a gin distillery burned at New Haven Conn.; loss over \$100,000; partially insured. - Austria and Germany will jointly resist a Russian attack upon either power. and details have been arranged for an immediate arming, if necessary. -- O. M. Stone & Co., cotton merchants of Augusta, Ga., have assigned; liabilities \$40,000; nominal assets \$80,000. — One hundred and fifty cases of small-pox are reported at South Bethlehem, Pa.; the town is strictly quarantined; but four cases have appeared in Bethlehem. - St. Patrick's Day was generally observed throughout the country

flour dull and drooping at \$5 00@7 75: wheat opened rather easier, ungraded red \$1 15@1 36; corn 1@1c higher, closing with less strength, ungraded 69@761c; rosin steady at \$2 324@2 374; spirits turpentine strong at 53@534c.

by a parade of Irish societies. -

N. Y. markets: Money 3@6 per cent.; cot-

ton steady at 12 3-16@12 7-16c; southern

Is Judge Brooks to have a monument? If not, why not?

The Petersburg Index-Appeal, since it donned its new dress, has improved markedly.

Judge John A. Meredith, a distinguished jurist of Richmond, Virginia, is dead. He was born in 1814.

An able, discreet, dignified, trustworthy, wide-awake Democratic daily paper is very much needed in Wash-

Representative Ellis, of Louisiana, is in a state of semi-revolt from the Democracy and is disposed to go farther and fare worse.

Judge Black sent a long and interesting letter to the Chicago celebration of "Old Hickory." It contains reminisences of Jacksonian principles and times.

R. B. Hayes has found his level. He is now President of a Savings Bank in Ohio. R. B. knows how to save for himself. He saved nearly all of Mr. Tilden's salary.

Dr. Nellie J. Shepard took the gold medal for the best examination on all subjects at the U.S. Medical College, N. Y. There were three female and twenty-six male graduates. Brains and grit will tell. Our compliments to Dr. Nellie.

"The Wilmington (N. C.) STAR asks if it be Rosencrans or Rosecrans. The latter is the General's own way of writing it; but in German it is Rozenkranz, meaning a 'garland of flowers.' It also indicates Jewish origin; but the General is a native of Ohio and a good Catholic."-Richmond State.

The question asked concerned Rosecranz-not Rosencrans, as the State gives it.

The report of the Senate committee in regard to John Sherman and the stationery, &c., used for his campaign purposes is very scandalous. Men in his employment and working for his nomination were paid out of the U. S. Treasury. And still Brutus is an honorable man.

According to Bradstreet's the business in the South is much depressed because of short cotton and other crops, and the heavy and not very fortunate speculations in cotton futures, or "cotton options," as one paper calls it. Not much "option" when the tide is against you.

There is a prospect that the grand Opera House that was to have been built in Virginia will not be built after all. Over \$1,000,000 was subscribed, but it turns out that it will require \$1,525,000, and that may not be all. Already \$125,000 has been spent in laying the foundations. A Gov. Vance spoke at a large Temperance borhood.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 1882.

meeting of the stockholders to take final action is called on the 27th inst.

In 1881, there were 2,627,526 barrels of malt liquor sold in New York city alone and it was not a good year for imbibing either. Philadelphia drank hard, but it could not hold a light. It scored only 832,533 barrels. St Louis, about half the size, guzzled 711,578. The Richmond State says:

"Milwaukee, Brooklyn, Boston and Cincinnati rank nearly together, between 641,-600 and 681,000, there being a difference of only 275 barrels between the sales of Boston and Cincinnati, in which 'the Hub' has the lead. The total sales of malt liquors for the United States for the year were 15,885,749 barrels, and there were five States—Arkansas, Florida, Maine, Mississippi and Vermont—in which no sales were made. Two States, Alabama and North Carolina, each report but four barrels sold during the year-a fact that proves the people of these two old States stand by good old Bourbon still, and are as steadfast in their drink as in their principles."

Not much "Bourbon" in North Carolina, but Cincinnati red-eye and Western rifle-shot to the tune of millions, with a little old Nash brandy thrown in or down.

A man by the name of Baker wished to marry his brother's daughter, living near Cheraw, S. C., which was objected to. A special to the Charleston News and Observer of the 15th says:

"They met one night last week and it appears that one or both had been imbibing quite freely, and during the meeting at the elder Baker's house the younger brother obtained the elder's revolver and fired it off in the house. When remonstrated with for the act and being asked what he meant, he again fired, and exclaimed that that was what he meant. Whether the latter or either of the shots was aimed at the prisoner have not learned definitely. A scuffle then ensued, and knives were used quite freely, the younger brother receiving a wound or wounds in the breast, that caused almost instant death, and not a shot from a pistol as the first report stated. John Baker, the slayer, immediately surrendered himself to the authorities, when it was found that he had received several wounds on his person from a knife, but although painfully injured he is not dangerously so.'

Gov. Colquitt has determined not to call the Georgia Legislature in extra session to redistrict the State. He says "The State will lose none of its representation. The extra Congressman will be elected from the State at large, and will represent the State just as well as if he was elected from a district." Who creates the necessary election machinery in

Spirits Turpentine.

- Mr. L. Jones, of Rockingham county, killed a strange negro for robbing his home, last Friday. So the Weekly says: The coroner's jury says he was justified.

- Greensboro Bugle: New Garden Agricultural Society will meet on Saturday, March 25th, at 2 P. M., to discuss and determine the propriety of moving their next annual exhibition to Greensboro.

- Methodist Advance: The second. quarterly meeting of Goldsboro Station was held last Saturday and Sunday. Rev. J. E. Mann, presiding Elder of Newbern District, was on hand, in good health, and preached a series of very effective sermons.

- The Ashboro Courier contains the following sad intelligence: We are pained to chronicle the fact that Miss Katie Craven, daughter of Dr. Craven, of Trinity College, who was so badly burned a few months ago at Greensboro Female College, is still in a precarious condition.

- Durham Plant: We regret to learn that Samuel H. Hughes, the veteran educator of Orange county, is suffering with a severe stroke of paralysis. About two-thirds of the voters of Durham have signed the petition asking the Commissioners to order an election on a graded

- Raleigh Visitor: The large residence now being erected by Maj. W. W. Vass, north of the Capitol, is rapidly approaching completion and will be quite an ornament when completed. It will cost between \$18,000 and \$20,000. — It is rumored that Col. J. M. Heck and family think of leaving Raleigh to take up their residence in Knoxville, Tenn.

- Reidsville Weekly: The numerous friends of Gov. Reid will be glad to hear that his health continues as good as could be expected under the circumstances ___ Leander Lynn, of this township, charged with assault with intent to commit rape on the person of Mrs. Benton, formerly Miss Windsor, a year or so ago, and who avoided arrest by absence, was apprehended

at his home a few days ago. - Elizabeth City Falcon: A difficulty occurred at the railroad depot yesterday afternoon, between two colored men named Peter Jacocks and Charles Jones. during which Jacocks was cut witth a cotton hook. - A white baby was found to day in a nude condition, near the garden fence of Allen Dozier's widow. It was taken in the house and dressed. Pretty soon after a white lady called and asked house, and when answered in the affirmative, she asked that it might be given her,

which was done. Strange! - Goldsboro Messenger: The negro Frank Best, stabbed during a fracas at recent negro festival or carousel near Best's Station, died on Saturday last from the effects of his wounds. — In all our newspaper experience we have never been so much annoyed with complaints about the mails as has been the case for several mails as has been the case for several months past. —The colored mail robber, Jim Hatcher, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Cogdell on Monday, but waived a preliminary examination and was committed to jail in default of bail. — We learn that a colored train hand on the Midland Railroad was severely crushed between the cars near Kinston on Tuesday. Three ribs were broken and it is feared that

his injuries may prove fatal. - Raleigh Farmer and Mechanic: Cox has introduced a bill to make a Sub-District in North Carolina, to comprise the tobacco counties of North Central N. C., and require a term of the District Court immediately after the Circuit Court. A

good idea. — The pamphlet issued by Capt. Thos. D. Carter abounds in extraordinary charges against R. Y. McAden, R. T. Wilson, Col. S. Tate, Hiram Sibley, Judge Merrimon, Commissioners Arm field and Robinson, etc., etc. It states, also, that all these assertions will be made good in the pending trial in the Federal Court. How such things can be published without resulting in immediate suits for libel, is a mystery to us.

- Raleigh News-Observer: Con-

victs were 'vesterday brought to the Penitentiary by the following officers: W. E. Parish, deputy sheriff of Warren county, one convict; T. B. Jones, deputy sheriff of Currituck county, one convict; S. D. Yount, sheriff of Catawba county, nine convicts. - The report of the Adjutant-General for 1881 is nearly ready for issue. It will be the most interesting of all the reports yet issued. —Miss Minnie Upchurch, daughter of W. G. Upchurch, Esq., broke her arm while roller skating. — The health of the city is now remarkably good. The death rate since January 1st has been lower than in years — There appears, after all, to be considerable doubt as to whether the Legislature will be convened in special session. To-morrow the council will meet to consider the matter.

- Raleigh Advocate: The Newton circuit has one thousand members. When Rev. P. F. Stamey took charge of it, a little over two years ago, it had six hundred members. — The Winston (N.C.) Methodists are going to have a new church sixty by one hundred feet built upon the site of the present edifice. They expect it to cost \$15,000. — Oxford is a town of about 1,800 inhabitants, well situated in a thrifty section of country. Just in the midst of that belt producing the finest yellow-leaf tobacco, it has become a centre of trade and enjoys remarkable prosperity. The tobacco men of Oxford, however, are only leaf dealers, and do not manufacture to any appreciable extent. Real estate has reached remarkably strong prices, as is true n nearly all the tobacco towns of the State; and the completion of the Oxford and Henderson Railroad has increased the prosperty of the town. There are fifteen families connected with the Presbyterian church; twenty with the Episcopal; thirty with the Baptist, and forty-nine with the Methodist.

- Charlotte Observer: At a meetng of the Hornets' Nest Riflemen night before last steps were taken with a view to inaugurate a movement for the proper celebration of the approaching anniversary of the 20th of May. - Miss Sallie Moose, the lady assaulted by Ben Withers, in Lemley township, last Sunday, died Monday, a few hours after Dr. Wilder reached her. She was conscious up to the time of her death, and when told by Dr. Wilder that she could not live, she replied that she knew it. She was asked by several parties who assaulted her, and she replied that it was Ben Withers; that he had attempted to rape her, failing in which he knocked her down and cut her throat. - A telegram was received from Atlanta yesterday morning conveying the sad intelligence to his relatives and friends in this city, that Mr. Bob Griffith, passenger conductor on the Air Line, had met with a terrible accident in Atlanta, while coupling cars, by which he had one leg crushed off and the other foot so hadly mutilated as to render amputation necessary. His father, W. H Griffith, in response to the telegram, started for Atlanta on the 11.20 train yesterday, but soon after his departure another telegram was received announcing the death of young Griffith, which occurred shortly af-

ter 11 o'clock. - Elizabeth City Economist: Departed this life in Hertford, February 25th. Mrs. W. S. Whedbee; and on March 3d Miss Edith Gordon. - The Economist expects to stand by the old Democratic ark of the covenant. But we don't want any fooling. We want the right men, strong men, well armored men-men that can lead and be followed-strong in the faith, strong in principle, strong in charac-ter, strong in intellect and strong in popular confidence and sympathy. - Died, at his residence in Washington county, North Carolina, on February 21st, 1882, Ed-ward Collins Hardison, aged 28 years — You never saw the like of guano that s going up Roanoke river. Every boat that passes up the river has \$3,000 or \$4,000 worth on board, and it is piled up along the banks of the river. - Washington county correspondent: One year I took a small ot of six acres and manured it with manure that I made from the stables in which a yoke of oxen were kept. I selected my seed corn from ears that had eighteen or twenty rows on the cob, and gathered from that six cres 1,000 bushels of corn in one year. -Currituck dot: Some few years ago a charter was granted for a railroad from Powell's Point to Norfolk, Va. Can you not use your influence to induce the Elizabeth City & Norfolk Railroad to build a branch road to Powell's Point? It would pay.

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. C. MUNDS-Toilet soaps. Munson-Fine foreign suitings. HEINSBERGER-Cards, pencils, etc. OPERA HOUSE-Ford's Comic Opera.

Small-Pox in Macon County. Dr. J. M. Lyle reports to the North Carolina Board of Health, as we learn from the Secretary, the existence of two cases of varioloid about a mile from the town of Franklin, in Macon county. The town is thoroughly vaccinated. The cases have been quarantined and no fear is apprehended of its spread. They were brought from Richmond, Va. These are the only cases of small-nox known to exist in North Caro-

Baptist Sunday School Convention. The Baptist State Sunday School Convention meets in Raleigh on Thursday, March 30th. The address of welcome will be delivered by Col. L. L. Polk, to be responded to by W. W. Well, President of the S. S. Board. Introductory sermon by Rev. E. F. Baldwin. Among those to participate in the exercises we notice the name of Rev. J. B. Taylor of the First Baptist Church of this city.

Fire Yesterday. An old frame house, in the extreme southeastern section of the city, between what is known as the "Mile Slash" and Jumping Run, was destroyed by fire yesterday, about 1 o'clock, There was no general alarm, as the house was isolated and no water could be had in the neighLocal Dots. - The receipts of cotton yester-

day aggregated 417 bales. - A colored man was taken to the guard house yesterday afternoon for being

drunk and disorderly on the streets. - We are glad to hear that Mr. S. D. Wallace is still improving, and that he will probably be out in eight or ten days.

- We are glad to learn that Capt. A. S. Robeson, of the steamer Wave, has so far recovered from his late illness that he expects to be down next trip.

- Among those who participated in the "senior speaking" at the University on Wednesday last we notice the names of Edwin Anderson Alderman, who discussed the "Rail Road Problem." and Charles William Worth, who spoke on "Our

- Capt. Harper, of the steamer Passport, reports the German barque Madura, drawing eighteen feet of water, towed out to sea over the bar yesterday afternoon, This is said to be the highest draught ever obtained on the bar; the highest previously recorded being 174 feet. Mr. J. R. Newton was the

St. Patrick's Day-How It was Cele-

The Hibernian Benevolent Society, in full regalia, met at Germania Hall yesterday morning, at the hour advertised, and under the direction of Major James Relly, as Chief Marshal, marched to St. Thomas' Catholic church, where solemn High Mass was celebrated in honor of the festival of Ireland's patron Saint; Rev. W. J. Wright officiating as Celebrant, Rev. Claudian Northrop as Deacon and Rev. J. J. Reilly as Sub-Deacon. Rev. Claudian Northrop then delivered a glowing panegyric upon St. Patrick, interspersed with much information of an interesting and instructive character and which was received with every evidence of appreciation by his large

After the close of the address the Society formed in line and marched back to the hall, where the annual election of officers took place, with the following result:

President-F. H. Darby. Vice President-Maj. James Reilly. Secretary-James Corbett. Assistant Secretary-Wm. Shehan.

Treasurer-T. Donlan. There was a good turn-out of the Society and a large audience in attendance upon

the services at the church. By the way, we noticed that the window of Mr. M. M. Katz's store, on Market street, where Mr. James Corbett holds forth, was draped with orange and green, combination betokening harmony and good feeling between the followers of the respective colors.

The annual ball will take place on Easter Monday evening, April 15th, the proceeds to be applied to the benefit of the Land League fund.

Larceny of Money. A colored girl named Agnes King was arrested and taken before Justice Millis, vesterday morning, charged with stealing a sum of money from one Matilda Aaron. It seems that the girl had been employed by the latter to clean up her room, and directly after leaving it she (Matilda Aaron) missed the money, which she had concealed under the pillow. Knowing no one else had been in the room she started after the girl and called her back, charging her with taking the money She at first denied the "soft impeachment," but finally so far confessed as to tell Matilda Aaron that if she would accompany her she would take her where the money was. The woman did as requested, but the girl failed to carry out her part of the contract. The magistrate deemed the evidence sufficient to convict, and required Agnes King to enter into bond in the sum of \$50 for her appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, in default of which she was committed to jail.

Mayor's Court.

O. Jenkins was arraigned on the charge of acting very disorderly on the streets and resisting the police who made the arrest for which he was required to pay a fine of \$50 or be locked up in the city prison for thirty days.

Tom Foy, a colored man, charged with being found asleep under a house on Second, between Chesnut and Mulberry streets, on Thursday night, made the excuse to his honor that he was very drunk and got under the house to avoid arrest, where he fell asleep. He was discharged with an admonition.

How Much Epsom Salts is a Dose? A clerk in one of our large establishments yesterday, imagined that he required a dose of salts, but fearing there was not enough in the "bin," although it contained at least five pounds, ordered one of the porters in the store to open a barrel of it. As to how much he afterwards took as a dose we have

First Baptist Church-Special Services,

not been informed, but are willing to sup-

pose the five pounds answered his purpose,

Rev. E. T. Baldwin, of Greensboro, who assisted in the recent Baptist revival at Durham, was expected to arrive here last evening, and will preach at the First Baptist church on Sunday. He will also, we understand, assist Rev. Mr. Taylor, the Pastor, in a series of special services to be held at his church.

commence with a Cough, Cold, or unusual exertion of the voice. These incipient symptoms are allayed by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches," which if neglected often result in a chronic trouble of the throat.

Daily Weather Bulletin.

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 3 P. M. yesterday, Washington mean time; and also the amount of rainfall in inches for the twenty-four hours ending daily at 3 P. M., except Tuesday, when it is 48 hours, as furnished by the Signal Officer of this city. These observations, it should be understood, are taken at the same moment of

		Rainfall.	Weather
Atlanta	64	.00	Cloudy
Augusta	66	.00	Fair
Charleston	56	.00	Fair
Charlotte	52	.00	Cloudy
Galveston	77	.00	Clear
Havana	79	.00	Clear
Indianola	78	.00	Fair
Jacksonville	67	.26	Cloudy
Key West	77	.00	Clear
Montgomery	78	.00	Cloudy
New Orleans	78	.00	Fair
Punta Rassa	79	.00	Clear
Savannah	-	.00	Cloudy
Wilmington	55	.00	Clear
Pensacola	59	.00	Cloudy
Palestine	86	.00	Cloudy

The Chief Signal Officer of the Army urnishes the following special bulletin to the press, dated Thursday March 17th:

The barometer is highest in the St. Law rence Valley, and lowest in the Upper Missouri Valley. Fair weather continues on the Atlantic coast and in the Lower Lake regions. North to east winds and cloudy weather prevail in the Mississippi Valley, the Northwest and Upper Lake regions, with light rains and warmer east to south winds. The temperature has fallen slightly in New England, the South Atlantic States and Lower Lake regions. The following temperatures were reported yesterday afternoon: Norfolk, 66; Charleston, 76; Savannah. 76; Jacksonville, 75; Galveston, 77; San Antonio, 83; Los Angelos, 51. Rain continued on the Pacific coast during Thursday and Thursday night. The indications are that light rains will prevail on the Atlantic coast, south of New York, during Saturday, followed by warmer, partly cloudy weather. Generally cloudy .with snow or rain are indicated for New England and the northern portion of the Middle States on Saturday.

From the report of Mr. W. J. Gordon Secretary of the Local Board of Fire Underwriters, we learn that the estimated value of property destroyed by fire in Wilmington for the six months ending December 31st, 1881, footed up \$5,213.17, upon which there was insurance to the amount of \$3,836.87; while for the corresponding period of 1880 the losses amounted to \$36,-251.28. Number of fires recorded, 19. Fires involving no insurance loss, 9. Number of false alarms, 1. Causes of fires: Sparks on roofs, 11; incendiary, 2; rain water running into lime; 1; ignition of broom from fireplace, 1; gas generator in mill, 1; spark in bale of hay, 1; unknown, 2.

Loss by Agencies-Atkinson & Manning, \$18.77; DeRosset & Northrop, \$2,198,30; Norwood & Giles, \$803.40; Wilmington Mutual, \$7 50; J. W. Gordon & Bro.

Insurance money paid on city losses amounted in 1881 to \$10,131.89; in 1890 to \$36,251.28; in 1879 to \$88,566.06; in 1878 to \$68,286.71.

In the above losses are not included Messrs. Garrell and Kidder's on rice (outside city limits) and cotton on barque Elektra, which was covered under marine policies.

A Work of Art. A friend has kindly allowed us the plea sure of looking over the carnival edition of the New Orleans Times-Democrat, containing a description of the Mardi-Gras festivi ties and a number of extra sheets of illustrations of the various agents. The severa! legends are magnificently portrayed and admirably serve to give one an exalted idea of the carnival season as carried out in New Orleans. No really correct idea of the magnificent scale on which the occasion is celebrated can be formed unless it is seen, but the enterprise and skill of the Times-Democrat goes far to give those who have never witnessed it a true idea of the Carnival pageant. We confess to never having realized fully the grandeur of the Mardi-Gras celebration until seeing the pictures in the edition mentioned.

Magistrate's Court.

Lucy Crawford, colored, was arraigned before Justice Millis, yesterday, on a peace warrant sworn out by Mary Boyd, also colored. Case dismissed at the cost of the

> James Crawford then had a hearing on the charge of assault and battery upon Lucy Crawford. Defendant submitted and judgment was suspended upon the pay-

Lucy Crawford was next arraigned on a charge of willful trespass upon the premises of Mary Bowen. Defendant was fined one penny and the costs. Appealed, and was required to give bond in the sum of \$50 for her appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, which was furnished.

RIVER AND MARINE.

- Steamship Regulator, hence, arrived at New York yesterday.

- The Revenue cutter McCullough, Capt. Mitchell, of the Charleston station, put in at this port on Thursday, with Collector Johnson, of Charleston, on board. She left for the latter port on the same evening. HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE

a sleep inducer.—From my experience, I would say that as a nerve restorer in exhaustion from any cause, and as a sleep inducer, Horsford's Acid Phosphate is of the greatest value.

J. E. LOCKRIDGE, M. D.
Indianapolis, Ind.

WHOLE NO. 5086

OPERA HOUSE.

Old Shipmates.

Though the audience at the Opera House last night was not large, those present were very agreeably entertained by the acting of Mr. Frank Mordaunt and company in "Old Shipmates." The piece, as the name indicates, is of a nautical turn, and out of the "beaten track." In fact, its novelty of plot and construction is one of its strongest features. The acting was good throughout, and was fully appreciated by the audience. the portrayal of the hero, Capt. Weathergage, calling forth especial praise re-

Clinton and Point Caswell Hailrond The Meeting Last Night.

The joint committees from Sampson, Pender, Wilmington, and from the Chamber of Commerce of the city, met by appointment in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, last night. Mr. F. W. Kerchner was made permanent chairman and Mr. Owen Fennell secretary. The committee propose to prepare a subscription list, and as a body have organized to solicit subscriptions in the city. Assurances were given that Sampson county will raise \$25,000, Pender \$10,000, and the committee think that with a proper canvass the amount required from this city, which is \$40,000, can be raised.

This is a matter that our people should take a lively interest in. The tradesmen, and merchants and mechanics and laborers of our city, will all be benefitted directly in the building of this road. Sampson county alone exports annually \$500,000 in crude products, which may all be thrown into this city, while it is now sent mostly to Goldsboro, and other points on the Weldon road for northern shipment, because of the difference in freight.

The committee will meet again to-night, at the Mayor's office, at 8 o'clock, and every member is requested to attend

The Colored People in Council. Meetings were held by the colored people of this city Thursday night and yester day afternoon to appoint delegates to a county convention, to meet at the courthouse to-day, which convention will appoint delegates to a convention of colored people of the State, to be held at Goldsboro on the 29th inst. The following delegates were appointed:

First Ward-Upper Division-W. H. Howe, Henry Brewington, John Statcher. Lower Division-Chas. P. Guyer, Monroe Byrd, Gillie Wingate. Second Ward-Daniel Howard, Robert

H. Martin, J. C. Scott. Third Ward-Jos. E. Sampson. Bent. Sampson, John E. Taylor.

Fourth Ward-Not furnished Fifth Ward-Jos D. Sampson, Wash-

ington Howe, Nathaniel Conner.

Ford's Comic Opera Company. The National Republican of February 15th says of this Company, which appear at the Opera House in this city on Wednesday and Thursday next: "Charles Ford's Comic Opera Company completed on Saturday a week of extraordinary success in the production of 'Patience' and 'Mascot.' At each performance the audience excelled the seating capacity of the house. Prominent among the auditors were Mr. W. W. Corcoran, Senator Bayard, ex-Secretary Blaine, and almost every distinguished resident in Washington. At the matinee on Saturday hundreds were unable to secure admission. The Company

are in Philadelphia this week." Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the great medicine for the cure of all female complaints, is the greatest strengthener of the back, stomach, nerves, kidneys, urinary and genital organs of man and woman ever known. Send for circulars to Lydia E. Pink

CITY ITEMS.

ON TIHRTY DAYS' TRIAL.—We will send Dr. Dye's Electro-Voltaic Belts and other Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to young men and older persons who are afflicted with Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality, etc., guaranteeing speedy relief and complete restoration of vigor and manhood. Also for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Liver and Kidney Difficulties, Ruptures. and many other diseases. Illustrated pamphlet sent free. Address Voltaie Belt Co., Marshall, Mich.

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PAT ENCE. as originally produced under Mr. Ford's direction at St. Louis, in July last, three months previous to its being brought out at the standard theat es, New York. These beautiful Operas will be presented with the full strength of Mr. Ford's magnificent organization, COMPOSED OF FORTY OPERATIC SINGERS.

Prices of Admission—Reserved Seats.; \$1.25; Admission, 75c and \$1.00; Gallery, 25c

The sale of Reserved Seats for the Opera will begin on Monday morning, March 20. mh 18 4t

M. CRONLY, Auctioneer. BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Foreciosure of Mortgage, BY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF THE DY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF THE power contained in a cert in Indenture of Mortgage, executed to the undersigned by the late Thomas W. Brown and wife, bearing date lat June, 1871, and registered in the Register's Office of New Hanover County, in Book B.B. B., page 748, I will, on Tuesday, the 4th day of April next, at 13 o'clock M., at the place where the old Market House formerly stood, near the corner of Market and Front Streets, in the City of Wilmington, sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, that valuable Lot and Premises, situated upon Market Street, in the City of Wilmington, formerly occupied by the said T. W. Brown as a jewelry store, and now occupied by 8. G. Northrop.

WALTER L. STERLE, Mortgagee.

Dubrutz Cutlar, Attorney.

mh 15 tds

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