

During the present month there will be six evening stars visible.

Dr. Mary Walker has just got into trouble in Washington. She is accused of tampering with the mails.

It was Mr. Theophilus H. Hill, and not Theodore, as printed, who wrote the poem we copied on Sunday.

Another Chinese bill is under consideration. The Republicans are manœuvreing to gain lost ground by the veto.

Among the Indians of Montana Territory in 1881, there were 2,330 births and but 1,989 deaths-showing a steady increase.

Frank James writes to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch that the report of his brother's death-the great robber, Jesse-is "a Dam Lie."

We have received two additional solutions of the water problem, but having published one there is no use of publishing another, especially as we have not the algebraic signs and figures.

There is crookedness reported in the Quartermaster's Department. The letter in the Richmond Dispatch from Washington, of April 7th, says:

"The House determined to investigate the alleged corrupt transactions in the Quartermaster's Department. It is charged that the clerks in that Department have been charging loyal claimants a regular per centage for allowing them the money due them by the Government.

Serenity and peace do not prevail all around the Republican circle. For instance, the following heading to Arthur's veto appeared in the Chicago Tribune, Republican:

"Another Echo from the Bull-Dog Pis-tol\_of Charles J. Guiteau-The Stalwart President Returns the Chinese Bill with His Objections-His Objections Seem to be Those Entertained by the Mongolian Am-bassador—Text of a Message Which Pleased Few Beside Hard-Hearted Massachusetts Sentimentalists."

Senator Hawley has introduced bill to raise a colored commission to inquire into and report upon the industrial, intellectual and material progress of the colored people of the United States since the war. It went to the Senate Committee on Education and Labor to-day. It will consist of five members and will cost not

handle, which is straight and about one inch in diameter, is three feet one inch in length. ---- A negro boy was drowned at Claiborn's ferry on Dan River Thursday last. He was crossing the river in a skiff

river.

when the pole broke and he fell into the - Raleigh News-Observer: Senator Vance who has been up to pay an official visit of inspection to the Western North

Carolina Railroad, passed through the city yesterday, on his return to Washington ---- There are now 990 convicts in the penitentiary or at work on the various railroads. Of these 128 are white, with only three females, while there are 862 negroes, of which 59 are females. — Maj. R. C. Badger's condition last night was considered critical in the extreme. -Gov. Holden's condition yesterday morning showed great improvement, but in the evening it was not so good, we learn. -The

medical building at Shaw University is nearly completed. The design is somewhat odd, but the general effect is pleasing.

- Pittsboro Record: Who ever before heard of wheat or oats in this coun-Who ever heard of a drake mating a sparrow-and a tiny one at that? And yet such recently occurred in Chatham, for in this county last week Mr. Dallas P. Drake was married to Miss Tiny Sparrow. A little seven-year-old daughter of Dr. W. S. Edwards, of Albright township, made a narrow escape from being killed, on last Thursday. She was riding a mule when it became frightened and began to run, and, in falling off, her foot became entangled in the stirrup and she was dragged a hundred yards on the ground. When picked up she was unconscious, and remained in that condition for half an hour, but fortunately no bones were broken nor serious injury

inflicted - Charlotte Observer: The postoffice at Lawsonville, Rockingham county, N. C., has been discontinued; mail to Reidsville. A new office has been established at Rippetoe, N. C., with David A. Griffin as postmaster; also at Polenta, N. C., with W. M. Saunders as postmaster. — It is a fact, that North Carolina produces more hay per acre than any State along the line of the coast from Maine to Texas, with the single exception of the Empire State. This speaks well for our agricultural facilities. - Messrs. Newcomb Bros., of the Charlotte Planing Mills and Bellows Factory, have only been in business here a little over two years, but during that time their busi-

ness has been steadily growing, and bids fair ere long to become one of the most important and remarkable manufacturing establishments in the South.

- Beaufort Telephone: Mr. B. L. Jones, of this town, killed a hog twelve months and twenty days old that weighed-455 pounds, an average per month of a trifle less than 36 pounds. - Mr. Wm. Weekly, while cutting with a hatchet onSunday last, struck his little finger on the left hand and entirely severed it from that member. — A protracted meeting was held at Smyrua, last week and part of the week before, under the auspices of Rev. Mr.

Cashwell, of the Baptist church; there were ten conversions. — The Collector of Customs has received invoices of two more vessels loaded with steel rails for the Midland Railroad, as follows: The Rome, containing 900 tons. cleared from Cardiff Wales, February 28th, and the Noah, with 675 tons, cleared February 28th. They will probably be here next week or the week after. These two cargoes complete the complement of 5,000 tons, which was the amount purchased by the Midland

Dailroad

000 shingles and 850 feet of lumber, valued at \$1,100.

- Owen A. Gill, a gentleman of Baltimore, Md., interested in tea culture, passed through the city yesterday, en route for Georgetown, S. C., where he goes to instruct planters in the proper preparation of tea for market.

- The Episcopal, Catholic, and Lutheran churches were all dressed beautifully on Easter Sunday. The decorations at St. Paul's Lutheran church are alluded to as being especially handsome and appropriate, evidencing much care and good taste in their preparation.

# Easter Services.

Nearly all of the city ministers preached sermons on Easter Sunday appropriate to the joyful occasion, and the Episcopal, St. Thomas' Catholic, and St. Paul's Lutheran churches were handsomely and tastefully decorated. At the latter church the decorations greatly surpassed those on former occasions, combining the ideas of the new pastor, Rev. Mr. Peschau, with those of the congregation. This was the case both on Good Friday and Easter Sunday. On Friday a large bell was suspended in the midst of the arch over the pulpit, which was draped in black, with the inscriptions in gilt letters, "Christ Crucified." A large cross draped in black occupied a place in the niche back of the pulpit, and the entire church was draped in mourning and festooned with moss. On the wall on one side of the pulpit was the inscription in black letters, "Christ Crucified," and on the other side in black German type the words, "Christus Gekrenziget." On Easter Sunday the whole aspect of things had changed, the church being strung with garlands and evergreens, while in the niche back of the pulpit the draped cross of Good Friday had given place to one of the same size decked with evergreens and a garland of white roses and surmount-

ed by a crown of lovely flowers. The bell, so sombre and black on Good Friday, was now gilded with gold, and had inscribed upon it in silver letters the words "Christ Arisen;" while on the walls on one side of the pulpit was the inscriptions, in gold letters, "Christ is Arisen," and on the other "Christus ist Auferstanden."

# Easter Elections.

The various Episcopal churches of the city held their usual Easter elections for vestrymen, etc., yesterday, with the following result: ST. JAMES.

Vestrymen-Dr. A. J. DeRosset, Dr. W. G. Thomas, Col. Jas. G. Burr, Col. W. L. DeRosset, Alfred Martin, James Dawson, A. H. VanBokkelen, J. L. Boatwright, R. E. Calder, Clayton Giles, Joshua G. Wright, James Anderson.

The Delegates and Wardens will be

alluded to has been divided into districts, each embracing a number of the more important cities, with one as the centre, at

which reports will be concentrated and by which name the district will be known. For instance, Wilmington District, on the Wilmington & Weldon, Carolina Central, Richmond & Danville Line, Cheraw & Darlington and Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroads, is composed of nine stations, with Wilmington as the centre, as follows: Wilmington, Weldon, Goldsboro,

Lumberton, Wadesboro, Charlotte, Salis bury, Cheraw, S. C., and Florence, S. C. while Mobile District has seven stations, Atlanta nine, Galveston eighteen, etc. When the reports from the various stations are received at their respective centres, then the Signal Service observers will make up the average rainfall, average maximum temperature, and average minimum temperature

for the districts. In accordance with this arrangement we commence this morning the publication of the District reports from the Signal Office, in lieu of the report heretofore given.

#### Mayor's Court. The "crop" of cases before His Honor, Mayor Smith, yesterday morning, was a little in excess of the usual Saturday night's vield in the era of general good behavior, embracing the following:

Obediah Jenkins, charged with acting lisorderly on the streets, was required to pay a fine of \$10 or be imprisoned for twenty days.

Poor Scipio Hill, having swallowed a gill, fell on the pave, when a policeman brave took him in out of the wet, and he'd been locked up yet, but he paid the dollar which the Mayor exacted and was told to go and sin no more; a promise he'll keep as sure as two and three make four !

Judy Ann Hunter, a colored damsel, charged with disorderly conduct, was required to contribute \$5 to the city treasury Daniel Oxendine, colored, charged with stealing a piece of meat from the store of Mr. J. H. Strauss, on North Water street, on Saturday afternoon last, for which he was arrested by Officer Lewis Gordon, was arraigned for preliminary examination, but the case was finally continued for the defendant until Thursday. the 13th inst.

Two other cases of disorderly conduct were disposed of, when the Court adjourned.

The Proposed New Hotel at Smithville The new and commodious Hotel to be erected at Smithville and leased to Mr. B. L. Perry, of the Purcell House of this city. mention of which was made in the STAR a week or so ago, is now being framed at Mr. J. W. Taylor's mill, under the direction of the contractor, Mr. Joseph Silvy. In dimensions it will be 72x36 feet. The first floor will contain fifteen rooms, with three passages, seventeen windows and fourteen doors; the second floor will con-

Baker in the meantime fled and had not been arrested at last accounts.

## Criminal Court.

State vs. Charles King, convicted of larceny, sentenced to two years in the House of Correction.

State vs. Hilliary Williams, convicted of arceny, sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary.

State vs. Thomas Nixon, convicted of arceny, having proved a good character, was let off on the payment of \$50 and costs.

tus and mechanical appliances are constantly be ng procured for the establishment. Several other cases of minor importance NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. were disposed of, including a number of

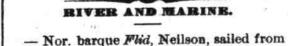
ci fas. Popular Amusement.

#### Willis' Constellation have engaged the Opera House for this afternoon and evening, and will give two performances-matinee from 2 to 6 o'clock, and evening entertainment from 7.30 to 10 o'clock. Besides the regular attractions at the matinee, a "Punch and Judy Show" will be added to please the children, and a beautiful present is promised to the prettiest baby in the audience. And the price of admission will be only ten cents. Sixteenth Annual Sociable. The entertainment given by the Hiber

nian Benevolent Association, at Germania Hall, last night, was well attended; and under the management of the committee, Meners, Donlan, Brown, Carroll, Sheehan, and Corbett, everything passed off pleas antly.

## Dr. Talmage Heard From.

Mr. Alex. Sprunt, President of the Wilmington Library Association, received a telegram from Dr. T. De Witt Talmage, yesterday, stating that he would fill his engagement to lecture in this city on Thursday, the 20th inst.



Liverpool for this port on the 6th inst. made or to measure.

- Barque Alkron, Madsen, sailed from Hamburg for this port on the 24th of

March.

Diphtheria attacks all classes, at all ages, and at all seasons of the year. As the seed of this terrible disease is in the throat it is directly reached by Darbys Prophylactic Fluid used as a gargle or swabbing out the mouth with a cloth saturated with the Fluid. Articles used about the sick should be rinsed in water containing a small quantity of the Fluid; it will absolutely destroy the germs of contagion.

#### OBITUARY.

**OBITUARY.** The demise of Mr. JOSEPH H. DERHAM, which occurred at his residence. at Pine Bluff, N. C., at 1;15 P. M., on Friday, 7th instant, is an event seri-ously to be deplored, and will doubtless prove disastrous to the community in which he lived, as well as to his distressed and bereaved friends. Mr. Derham was born in Ireland, on the — day of February, 1838, and at the time of his decease was forty-four years one month and — days old. Having begun the battle of life without means, he had, by untiring industry and indomitable en-ergy, acquired a handsome living, providing well for his family, and constantly disseminating his

used, and the requisite machinery to be employed, are among the chief essentials. The first is inare among the chief essentials. The first is in-sured by purchasing the ingredients in large quantities, whereby the exercise of greater care in selecting the materials can be afforded; and the second can only be accomplished where the business is sufficiently extensive to warrant a large outlay of capital in procuring chemical apparatus. These facts apply with especial force to the manufacture of our medicines, their quality having been vastly improved since the demand has become so great as to require their manufac These ideas are not mere speculative remarks to mislead the reader, or to imbue him with false

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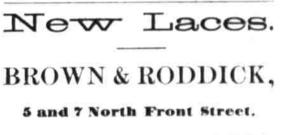
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sist of five members and will cost not		elected this evening.	it the about the stars and alghteen	for his family, and constantly disseminating his	ap 11 1t 85 North Front St.	Easter Egg Dyes, &c.
less than \$26,500. A useless, foolish	- Greensboro Bugle: We had a		tain fifteen rooms, three passages, eighteen windows and twelve doors; and the third	benefits to meritorious acts of charity. The com- munity realizes the loss of one of its most useful		
TT C true la lore	talk with President Gray to-day, and he says no one was surprised that Dr. Canedo	Vesti yined Dab. Oataat, it. or interest	WINGOWS and WOLTO GOOLS, and	offizens, and deeply deplores the untimely death. Mr. Derham leaves a widow and three interest-	VINCENT CE MANAGEMENTAL	Party marked a stand of the stand
to vote away other people's money.	failed to comply with his contract His	F. H. MICHCH, IV. D. WOOD, MI, IN MI	windows and twelve doors. There will be			25 cents; Zoedone, Martinique Lime Fruit Juice and Lime Fruit Cordial. Also a large line Fancy
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	some important amendments made to the charter. This failure works no harm to the	Demoi mardou Dani Cana, cana,	south side 36x25 feet. The dining room	NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.	&c. Mr. Zimmerman is the inventor of the Over- strung Awning. Orders for any work in our line	
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Journal:	rapidly as the limited number of hands will	Delegates Dub. Cualdi, III and Delegates	dows and two doors. There is a large	OFFICE CLERK AND TREASURER.	ap 9 tf 27 N. Front St.	
Mr Editor :- Tell me why colonel	allow. There is no money to buy cross- ties, much less iron, and with the limit	R. E. Helde, T. H. Mitchell,	force engaged upon the work, and the	CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.	TITANTED TO OPEN CORRESPONDENCE	PARTIES IN SEARCH OF GOOD BOARD, AT
Is spelled in a style so infolonel?	placed by the Legislature upon the power	R. G. Hallall, I. a. Daily in -	hotel, unless some unforeseen accident		W with traveling Notion, Dry Goods, or Cloth-	reasonable rates, will find it to their advantage
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On a sorrowful wight Who for years has subscribed for the	quantity to do any material good. — G. C. Boon, of Madison, who sold a load of to-	Nat management (	the reception of guests by the first of June,	TAX LISTERS WILL ATTEND AT THE CITY	Land an indiana paid KING & OLIVER, Man-	Respectfully, mb 3 tf M. SCHLO88, Proprietor.
<ul> <li>Journal.</li> </ul>	hacco at the Star warehouse to-day, bought	Tosti jaton of an and a	the commencement of the heated term.	HALL, THURSDAY, JUNE 1st, 1888, at 9 o'clock	macturers, in mar net ent -	and oth
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