

BY W. H. BERNARD. PUBLISHED DAILY EXCEPT MONDAYS.

MORNING EDITION. OUTLINES.

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George was about to start for Monroe, and like too many colored men do, was rubbing up his old pistol to carry along. His mother was standing at a table preparing a meal, when the pistol went off, the ball lodging in her back just below the shoulder blade.

— Monroe Enquirer-Express: We have just heard of the death of Mr. Asa Traywick, which took place at his home in Lanesboro township, Anson county, on the 4th inst. Mr. Traywick was a prominent member of the Methodist church and was one of the best men we ever knew. He was about 82 years old. — Died, at his residence in this place, at 10 o'clock, P. M. Sunday, August 5th, after a short illness, Mr. Marcus Austin, aged 78 years. — Rev. J. E. King went down to Wadesboro yesterday to start the work on the new Baptist church. He drew the plan for the building, which will no doubt be a very pretty one. It will be built of brick.

— Greensboro Workman: We clip the following from the Raleigh News-Observer: "Sunday night an old man, all the way from the edge of Harnett, came here to see the hanging, bringing with him his two sons, aged 13 and 14. He bore his disappointment bravely, drank a pint of whiskey, and the larger portion of our watermelon, and managed to get through the day fairly well. In the afternoon he said he only hated missing the hanging for the boys' sake. As for himself he had seen plenty of men swung off, but it was hard for the boys to see their father hanging. If this is not good proof against the propriety of public executions, we know not what could be. Let us study the picture."

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Connection with the West. Our friend Bryan, of the Hickory Press, copying our brief article relative to the completion of the Chester & Lenoir Narrow Gauge Railroad to Newton, thus putting Wilmington in direct connection with that rich section, and calling upon our business men to profit by the opportunity, comments as follows: "A word fitly spoken! How seldom do we see a commercial traveller in this section representing a Wilmington house. We have them here from Richmond, Baltimore and the Northern cities, and even from Knoxville, an inland town in the West, but you seldom see one from Wilmington. Yet we know that Wilmington is a flourishing city of 20,000 inhabitants, with banks and wholesale merchants, and a large foreign and domestic trade. The distance from Wilmington to Newton is only 235 miles, and to Hickory 245 miles—sixty miles less than from Richmond—with railroads all the way. Why should we not send you our wheat, cotton, flour, tobacco, fruits, &c. in exchange for goods in which your merchants deal? Send us your commercial tourists and sour the Piedmont region, and enter into competition with other cities for the trade of this section. Build up the trade between the sections, and if the railroad companies refuse to give you equitable rates with other points outside the State, then the people must see to it that you get those rates."

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THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NOTICE—To tax payers. MUNSON—Paint patterns. S. G. NORTHROP—Medicinal waters. OLD NORTH STATE SALOON—Cool beer.

Local Data. — Receipts of cotton yesterday 4 bales. — Rain is predicted by the almanac to-day, should the wind happen to be from the south or southwest. — The colored Good Samaritans had an excursion to Orton on the steamer Manahatta, yesterday morning, attended by a band of music. — We omitted to state in our former report of the proceedings of the Pharmaceutical Association that the physicians were invited to seats on the floor. — Another moonlight excursion, under the management of Capt. J. W. Harper and Mr. Geo. N. Harris, will take place on Tuesday night next. Further particulars hereafter. — Mr. C. T. Butler, of Clinton, N. C., writes us that Sunday's issue did not come to any one in that place till Wednesday. In reply, we can only say the fault was not in this office. The package for Clinton was mailed as usual.

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CRIMINAL COURT.

Yesterday's Proceedings—Report of the Grand Jury—The Juries Discharged, &c.

The following cases were disposed of yesterday: State vs. Robert Moore, charged with larceny. Defendant submits. State vs. Adam Greene, charged with larceny. Defendant submits. State vs. Monroe Johnson, charged with larceny. Edward Green called and failed. Judgment nisi. State vs. Mary Anderson, charged with keeping a disorderly house. Case continued for defendant. State vs. Lou Groten, charged with keeping a disorderly house. Case continued. State vs. David Johnson, charged with indecent exposure. Defendant found guilty. Defendant sentenced to thirty days in the House of Correction.

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The Grand Jury, between 4 and 5 P. M., were called into court and discharged for the term. The prisoners upon whom judgment has not already been prayed will receive their sentences this morning at 10 o'clock, to which hour Court adjourned.

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PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Final Proceedings—Election of Officers—Appointment of Committees, &c.

The third session was called to order at 8:30 P. M., Thursday night, the President in the chair. Mr. Gordon presented a report of the Committee on Exhibits. The President appointed Messrs. Simpson, Zoeller, Meadows, Thorp, and Furman as delegates to the American Pharmaceutical Association, which will meet in Washington on the 11th of September. Mr. Nadal introduced a resolution of thanks to the druggists of Wilmington for the entertainment which they had received. Mr. Gordon read an interesting paper entitled "Pharmacists of North Carolina should do more manufacturing."

An election of officers was then gone into, with Messrs. Hargrave and Thorp as tellers, with the following result: President—W. M. Green, of Wilmington. 1st Vice President—J. H. Hill, of Goldsboro. 2nd Vice President—V. O. Thompson, of Winston. 3rd Vice President—T. C. Smith, of Charlotte. Secretary—James C. Munds, of Wilmington. Local Secretary—L. R. Wriston, of Charlotte. Treasurer—A. S. Lee, of Raleigh. Executive Committee—E. F. Hatch, of Goldsboro, Chairman; and W. W. Hargrave, of Wilson; S. W. R. Martin, of Winston; F. W. Hancock, of New Bern, and John Tull, of Morganton.

The President appointed the following committees: Business Committee—J. H. Hill, L. R. Wriston, A. P. Thorp. Papers and Queries—E. V. Zoeller, John Tull, J. G. M. Gordon. Mr. Simpson introduced a resolution tendering the thanks of the Association to the press of the city for publishing reports of the proceedings, and to the officers and members of Germania Lodge No. 4. K. of P., for the use of their hall.

Adjourned to meet in Charlotte on the second Monday in August, 1884.

Wilmingtonians in Savannah. We have before us a neat publication, from the "Savannah Times Steam Printing House," entitled the "Charter, By-Laws and Rules of Trade of the Savannah Board of Trade," adopted July 18, 1883, and amended May 3, 1883. Among the officers of the Savannah Naval Stores Exchange we find several former Wilmingtonians, to wit: Capt. C. S. Ellis, President; C. Lucian Jones and Walter Conroy, of the Board of Managers; and S. P. Shotton and C. L. Chesnut, of the Inspectors of Elections; C. Lucian Jones, on Appeals Committee; C. S. Ellis and John Judge on Complaints Committee; and John Judge on Information and Statistics Committee. Capt. Ellis is one of the Directors of the Board of Trade, and on the Trade Committees we find: S. P. Shotton, C. S. Ellis and Walter Conroy on Quotations; and W. Conroy on Inspection. In the list of members of the Board of Trade we recognize two additional names, W. N. Holt and A. G. Latta.

The Crops. Letters received in this city yesterday from Robeson and Richmond counties, in this State, and from Marion and Marlborough counties, in South Carolina, state that the drought still continues in that section, and the corn crop is badly damaged, being rendered more susceptible to injury from the previous excessively wet weather in the spring, which caused a premature growth and development and left it too tender to cope with the succeeding dry weather and hot sun. The cotton crop, it is hoped, will yet come out and do well, which will be the case if soon visited by seasonable rains.

The Local Committees and the Fruit Fair. The local committees are certainly doing their duty towards promoting the success of the approaching Fruit Fair. They are nearly constantly at work to that end, almost to the entire neglect of their private business. We are glad to see them so earnest in the matter. It inspires a like interest in others.

Magistrate's Court. W. T. Croom and Henry Jones were before Justice Mills, yesterday morning, on the charge of being engaged in an affray on Thursday in the vicinity of Front Street Market House. The defendants were found guilty and judgment was suspended on the payment of costs.

RIVER AND MARINE. — The following vessels are up and cleared for this port, according to the Maritime Register: BANQUES—Frey, Norwegian, 231 tons, Halvorsen, from Glasgow June 15th; George Davis, British, 645 tons, Macomber, from Glasgow June 21st; Ovear Old, Norwegian, 513 tons, Torkelsen, from Rio Janeiro, June 28th; Marie, German, 567 tons, Permin, from Liverpool June 3rd; Sulfjelmer, Norwegian, 314 tons, Sorensen, from London June 15th; Texas, German, 591 tons, Loob, from Bremen May 26th, E. G. Barker & Co.; Theodora Catharina, German, 313 tons, Maybauer, from Rotterdam May 16th; Madonna, Nor., 462 tons, Pedersen, from Rotterdam June 6. BRIGS—Diapa, German, 314 tons, Schroeder, from Hamburg June 28th.

War Department, Signal Service, U. S. Army.

Division of Telegrams and Reports for the Benefit of Commerce and Agriculture. COTTON-BELT BULLETIN. August 10, 1883—5 P. M.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, Max. Temp., Min. Temp., Rain Fall. Rows include Wilmington, Charleston, Augusta, Savannah, Atlanta, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans, Galveston, Vicksburg, Little Rock, Memphis.

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for to-day: For the Middle Atlantic States, partly cloudy weather, local rains and winds mostly easterly, with stationary barometer and stationary or rising temperature.

For the South Atlantic States, fair, followed by partly cloudy weather and local rains, winds mostly northeasterly, lower barometer and stationary or rising temperature.

For the East Gulf States, generally fair weather, variable winds, lower barometer and stationary temperature.

For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, partly cloudy weather and local rains, followed by clearing weather, variable winds, mostly easterly, stationary barometer and nearly stationary temperature.

Shipping Live Poultry. In response to an inquiry from a correspondent in this city, who asks whether it is practicable to ship live poultry to your city from here in a marketable condition and what are the best contrivances for so doing, the New York Journal of Commerce replies: "We see no difficulty in the way of shipping live poultry from Wilmington, N. C., to this port. Such poultry is now brought by steamer from Richmond and Norfolk in slat coops, the feed sent with them, and the water supplied under contract by the carriers. Our correspondent will do well to make his arrangements first at the office of the steamers, and if they will undertake the proper attention to the live freight, the rest is all very plain and easily accomplished. The coops may be obtained here, but we should think could be readily made at the place of shipment."

Absentees. At Hickory—Mrs. Henry P. West and two children; Mrs. Perrin. Prophets of the Weather. Wiggins and ilk seem to flourish in winter, just as if we had no weather in summer. We really have the worst kind of weather in summer. It may not shake up the air so much and howl so loudly, but it shakes up our systems more and makes them bow. There is no antidote for weather, but you can make the system safe. Perry Davis's Pain Killer is the magician that controls all kinds of stomach and bowel disturbances which warm weather breeds. They are always sudden, like a cyclone, and almost always dangerous. Wise people never separate themselves from the remedy.

CITY ITEMS. PERSONAL. NO MEN ONLY!—THE VOLTAIO BEAT CO. MARLBOROUGH, N. C., will send Dr. FLETCHER'S REMEDY FOR CHILDREN'S TEETHING AFFLICTIONS on trial for thirty days to every young or old who are afflicted with Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality and Manhood, and kind of troubles guaranteeing speedy and complete restoration of health and manly vigor. Address as above, N. B.—No risk is incurred, as thirty days trial is allowed.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed in night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor mother's anxiety and distress. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. For Hot Days, COOL DRAUGHT BEER IS THE PANACEA "OLD NORTH STATE SALOON" HAS THE COOLEST in this city. "Don't you forget it." aug 11 11

Tax-Payers Take Notice. ON MONDAY, AUGUST 13TH, THE COMMISSIONERS of New Hanover County will meet at the Court House, in Wilmington, for the purpose of Revising the Tax List and Equalizing Assessments. All persons feeling themselves aggrieved by the action of the Assessors, and all property owners having complaints to make, are hereby notified to be present on that day and make known their causes of dissatisfaction. HORACE A. BAGG, Chairman. aug 11 11

We Are Closing Out A GOOD MANY FANT PATTERNS. The price is VERY LOW, and the few on hand are GOOD BARGAINS. MUNSON, aug 11 11 Merchant Tailor.

Appollinaris Water. THOSE WHO ARE PRONE OF APPOLLINARIS WATER, and now get this Healthy and Cooling Medicinal Water by the Glass. Also Vichy, Saratoga, and other famous Mineral Waters for preventing fevers and aiding digestion during the hot weather. For sale by E. M. AGOSTINI, S. G. NORTHROP'S, Fruit and Confectionery Stores. aug 11 11

New Crop Turnip and Cabbage Seeds. I HAVE ON HAND A LARGE STOCK of A fresh TURNIP and CABBAGE SEED, all varieties, which I offer at low prices. Country orders solicited. Liberal discount to the trade. J. B. HARRIS, Druggist and dealer in Garden Seed, Cigars, &c. aug 11 11 New Market.

No Humbug! WHEN WE SAY WE SELL CERTAIN LINES OF GOODS LESS THAN COST! We mean it. It is not a catch. We are closing them out, and we put them at a price to make them go. We still offer a few of our specialties in Ladies and Misses' Cloth, Button Boots and Men's Low Ties, and Children's Colored Goods. Come and see them. Geo. B. French & Sons, 108 NORTH FRONT STREET. aug 9 11

New Arrivals. A VERY FINE LOT OF HARD RUBBER AND A Nickel Mounted Harness and Saddles. Also Trunks, Travelling Bags and everything usually kept by First-Class Saddlery and Harness Establishments. Call at the Old Stand, Front street, next to Jacob's Hardware Store. Goods sold at bottom prices. J. H. MALLARD, aug 5 11

Table with columns: One Square One Day, Two Squares One Day, Three Squares One Day, Four Squares One Day, Five Squares One Day, One Week, Two Weeks, Three Weeks, One Month, Two Months, Three Months, Six Months, One Year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOUR-PLY LINEN COLLARS, 10c each. English STRAW HALFS, worth \$2.00, at 50c. Closing out FANCY HATS FIFTEEN at cost.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER FOR \$25.00, worth \$30.00. Another lot of HOPULUS SUSPENDERS, 25c. BIG ARRANGEMENTS for Fall Stock. JOHN DYER & SON, aug 9 11 Tailors and Haberdashers.

NORTHERN (FIRE) ASSURANCE CO. OF ABERDEEN AND LONDON. Assets \$14,286,900 00. The full deposit of \$10,000 has been made with the Treasurer of North Carolina for the security of Policy Holders in this State. M. S. WILLARD, General Agent. aug 5 11

Stolen. ON THE NIGHT OF THE 2ND INST., FROM the subscriber, A VERY LARGE DARK BAY MARE MULE, with wind-calls on hind legs, ten years old. Will pay \$25 reward for her recovery. S. B. TAYLOR, Catherine Lake. aug 9 11

Straw Hats! Umbrellas! HARRISON & ALLEN, aug 9 11 Hatters.

Good Eastern Hay, FOR SALE BY WOODY & CURRIE, Commission Merchants in Cotton and Naval Stores, Wilmington, N. C. aug 6 11

Notice. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Schooner CHARLES TITMANS, hereby notify all persons having claims against said vessel, to present them within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. HANS A. KURB, aug 9 11 HARRY H. KURB.

Why are Melons so Inferior this Year? BECAUSE, WHERE FARMERS HAVE NEGLECTED to use proper preventives, the heavy rains have ruined the vines, but come to my Store Saturday morning, and get one for Sunday to remind you of "ye olden times." L. YOLLERS, aug 2 11 26 & 28 South Front St.

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Have You Seen Them? IF NOT, TAKE A LOOK AT OUR NEW AND complete stock of Phonos, Buggies, Carriages, Bicycles, and every article in the line. Trunks, Satchels, Bags, Shawl Straps, &c. McDUGALL & BOWDEN. aug 5 11

By Order of Our City Fathers, NEW ONES—THE BRILLIANT MOHAIAT AT the corner of Market and Front streets has been removed, but I am still selling Drugs, Turnip Seed, &c., at the Old Stand, and intend to continue to do so. J. B. McILHENNY, aug 5 11

We Offer 500 Rolls and half rolls BAGGING. 1000 Bundles TIES. 2000 Sacks Liverpool SALT. 100 Bags COFFEE. 50 Bbls SUGAR, all grades. 50 Bbls and Bbls MOLASSES. 500 Bbls FLOUR, all grades. Water-ground Meal, Corn, Tobacco, Snuff, &c. HALL & PEARSALL, aug 5 11

AGAIN BEFORE THE PUBLIC, A FEW MORE DAYS LEFT TO SECURE IMMENSE BARGAINS, as we are anxious to CLOSE OUT our SUMMER STOCK even at greater losses than heretofore. Call early. A. I. SHERER, Reliable Clothiers, aug 9 11 114 Market St.

No Humbug! WHEN WE SAY WE SELL CERTAIN LINES OF GOODS LESS THAN COST! We mean it. It is not a catch. We are closing them out, and we put them at a price to make them go. We still offer a few of our specialties in Ladies and Misses' Cloth, Button Boots and Men's Low Ties, and Children's Colored Goods. Come and see them. Geo. B. French & Sons, 108 NORTH FRONT STREET. aug 9 11

New Arrivals. A VERY FINE LOT OF HARD RUBBER AND A Nickel Mounted Harness and Saddles. Also Trunks, Travelling Bags and everything usually kept by First-Class Saddlery and Harness Establishments. Call at the Old Stand, Front street, next to Jacob's Hardware Store. Goods sold at bottom prices. J. H. MALLARD, aug 5 11