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MORNING EDITION.

OUTLINES.

There was a sensational scene in the German Reichstag when the President read the Emperor's message. —— The King of Burmah personally surrendered to the British commander. —— Election returns in England show that the Liberals have ss far gained twelve seats. —— A tow boat blown to pieces near Pittsburg, Pa.; one man killed and six others seriously wounded. —— Albert A. Wilson has been appointed Marshal of the District of Columbia. —— A caucus of Republican members of the House of Representatives will be held on the 5th inst. —— Five members of a family in Knoxville, Tenn., poisoned by the cook with arsenic. —— —— New York markets: Money 3@1 per cent.; cotton dull at 9 7-16@9½c; wheat, ungraded red 88@99c; corn, No. 2, 52½@53½c; southern flour steady at $3 60@5 50; spirits turpentine dull at 37@37½c; rosin quiet at $1 02½@1 10.

Osman Digna is not dead as reported.

Gladstone defeated Dalrymple more than two to one. His majority was 4,634.

M. Clemenceau, the great popular leader in France, is said to be ill from angina pectoris.

The continuance of the armistice between Bulgaria and Servia is said to be very uncertain.

The celebrated American actress, Clara Morriss, is to play in Norfolk soon. She has a fine company.

Lower Egypt is now said to be in danger. Khalifa Abdulla El Taasha is said to be advancing southward.

Gen. Prendergast, who captured Thebaw, is an old soldier and has fought in four or five different wars.

The President's message is said to be unusually short, and that it will not make more than four columns of ordinary type. Good if true.

The news from Salt Lake is bellicose. It is reported that the Mormons are ready to fight and that only a spark is needed to produce bloody results.

There are two cases of yellow fever at Galveston. Two young Texans caught it at Vera Cruz and were taken down at their hotel upon returning.

Courts and public buildings were closed in Chicago when the Vice President was buried. Chattanooga held a public meeting and passed resolutions and then held memorial services.

The "Plumed Knight" and his able Lieutenant Elkins, are very busy doing preliminary work for the campaign of 1888. Blaine means to invite defeat again if he can get the nomination. Considering his ugly record he is a very bold fellow.

Some of the papers are still harping on the improved trade prospects. But in New England, in the Northwest and in North Carolina trade is dull in spite of the newspapers. From Philadelphia comes the news that the outlook is encouraging all along the entire line of manufacturing. Many mills have been erected recently and the iron trade has improved.

Mr. W. C. Elam, a native of Fayetteville, and editor of the Richmond *Whig*, since the sale of the paper has gone to his farm in Louisa county. The Norfolk *Virginian* pays him a high and possibly deserved tribute in saying:

"We repeat the opinion expressed during the last Presidential campaign, that while we differ with him widely in politics, we cheerfully confess he is a vigorous, earnest, finished journalist—perhaps the most forceful political writer in the State."

Gov. Cameron, of Virginia, Republican as he is, did not fail to issue a proclamation respecting the death of Vice President Hendricks, ordering "that the flags on all public buildings in this State shall be displayed at half-mast on Tuesday, December 1st, between sunrise and sunset, and that funeral guns shall be fired from the Capitol Square, in the city of Richmond, during the progress of the obsequies to occur on that day." This was well done. It ought to have been done in every Southern State.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* makes an excellent suggestion as to the best way of filling a vacancy caused by the death or removal of a Vice President. It is to cause the Electoral College which elected the deceased to meet and select a successor. This is the best suggestion yet. Then the party that was last victorious would be assured of having the full benefit of the office, and the choice would be made through the same instrumentality that made the first selection. To prevent an interregnum in case of death it would be well to incorporate in the provision that the Secretary of State should have charge until the Electoral College has made the selection.

We are glad indeed to see it telegraphed from Washington within three days that the Ohio Democrats are in good spirits and have much hope of defeating John Sherman for the Senate. This accounts for his hurried trip to Ohio to look after his fences. The dispatch says:

"All accounts from Ohio agree that Honest John is in more danger than he has ever been before. There is a great deal of latent hostility to him in his own party that may easily be fanned into activity. In the very slender majority by which the party holds the Legislature there are several Republicans whose status is very doubtful, to say the least. Were a Conservative Republican or Independent candidate to enter the race against Sherman, he would be almost certain to pull some votes out of the Republican line, it is said, and with the votes of the Democratic members solidly cast for him, would be elected. Ohio Democrats here speak with great confidence of Sherman's defeat."

If Judge Thurman, "noblest Roman of them all," could only be returned what rejoicing there would be in the Democratic camp. But that would be almost too good.

Spirits Turpentine.

— Raleigh had 70 arrests last month.

— Winston *Daily:* Mr. James R. Pierce died at his residence in Winston yesterday morning, in the 58th year of his age.

— Charlotte *Observer:* The telegraph line on the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, is now completed between Charlotte and Davidson College.

— Raleigh held a public meeting in memory of Vice President Hendricks. Resolutions were adopted. Addresses were made by Gen. Cox, C. M. Busbee, Dr. Grissom, Capt. Ashe and F. H. Busbee.

— Shelby *Era:* The pumpkin show at Fulenwider Bros. store closed Saturday evening with great excitement. Mr. G. R. Smith won the first prize, three silver dollars, for exhibiting the largest pumpkin, which weighed 74½ pounds.

— We were much surprised to see it announced in the last Goldsboro *Argus* that it would suspend. We regret this. It has been the brightest, best conducted daily of its size that has been published in the State. We hope a better fortune will smile upon the two editors soon.

— Lumberton *Robesonian:* Death has again entered the family of Mr. and Mrs. B. Stansel and called from earth to Heaven another of their children. Beulah Stansel, born March 13th, 1881, died November 28th, 1885, aged 4 years 8 months and 15 days. Only a few days ago they buried one of their children.

— Snow Hill *Enterprise:* Work began on the Episcopal Church Monday, and the building will be completed as soon as possible. —— Our community was shocked last Sunday morning to learn that Mr. James E. Exum, of Speight's Bridge township, had died suddenly at his home, about six miles from here.

— Graham *Gleaner:* We still wait to hear of the turnip that can go ahead of 14 pounds 2 ounces. —— Patterson township comes to the front with a pumpkin which weighs 135 pounds. It was grown by Mr. Robert Hornaday. —— Tarboro is the home of fourteen lawyers and three Judges. — *Asheboro Courier.* Nearer home, brother, Greensboro for instance, you will find is the home of five Judges and fifteen or more lawyers.

— Raleigh *Visitor:* Died, in this city, Sunday morning last, Miss Alice J. Godwin, in the 57th year of her age. She was born in Chuckatuck county, Va. —— The United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina convened in this city this morning, his honor, Judge A. S. Seymour, presiding. —— The Rev. Dr. L. L. Hendren, a former member of the Conference, was expelled for gross immorality. —— The revenue collections in this, the fourth district, for the month were $36,572.67.

— Greensboro *Workman:* Mr Jas. Owen, who was struck by some unknown person on Thursday night last while returning home and robbed of all his money, died from the injuries received, on yesterday morning at about 11 o'clock. —— Some time ago while Mr. James, who lives in the southern part of Greensboro was having a well dug, some beautiful specimens of sapphire were found. There were also specimens of agate, crystal, aquarine, beryl and some traces of hiddenite, the matrix showing evidences of this rare stone. Mr. J. J. Thornton, the jeweller, has been having a good many of these stones cut and set for members of Mr. James' family and they are beautiful.

— New Bern *Journal:* The dedication of the new rooms of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday was under the most flattering auspices. Every available seat was occupied and much zeal and interest manifested. —— The colored merchants of Kinston are doing a good business. Some of them have developed into first-class business men. We note this improvement with pleasure. —— The sale of cotton at the Cotton Exchange since Sept. 1st amount to 8,556 bales against 8,192 for the same period in 1884. —— The steamer Stout sailed last night for Baltimore with a full cargo of cotton, cleaned rice, naval stores and canned oysters —— Miss Mary Burkhead, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Burkhead, who has been the efficient organist of the M. E. Church for some year or two was on Friday evening last the recipient of a valuable present—it being her sixteenth birthday. A handsome gold watch and chain was presented to her by T. A. Green in behalf of the choir and congregation.

— Raleigh *News-Observer:* At the meeting of the bar at Clinton, Sampson county, to take action regarding the death of Hon. A. A. McKoy, Hon. George V. Strong, of this city, delivered a fine address. —— Hon. George Howard and Mr. George B. Boomer have built and are now operating the "Tarboro cotton seed oil mills," which have a capacity for about twenty tons of seed per day and for turning out about one hundred bushels of oil every week. They have a sixty-horse power engine with a seventy-five horse power boiler. The oil mills complete cost about twenty thousand dollars. Messrs. Howard and Boomer contemplate still further utilizing their fine steam power by adding an ice and fertilizer factory. —— The gathering of citizens yesterday to dedicate the graded school building to the noble purpose for which it was erected was a representative one in all respects and gratifyingly large. The dedication speeches made were in fine taste and highly creditable to those who delivered them.

— Elizabeth City *Economist:* It is proposed to construct a new railroad from Wilmington to Norfolk, passing through Elizabeth City. This would make a coast line shorter by forty miles than any now in use. It would be a paying route, and is worth considering by capitalists. —— Manager King will put a steamer on the line from Manteo to Elizabeth City after the first of next month. —— Dare dots: The stock house, barn and buggy house of W. T. Bringley, were destroyed by fire on the 12th inst. It is supposed the fire originated from a pipe some one had smoked in the loft. The loss is estimated at $15,000. There was no insurance. —— Tyrrell items: Crops sorry. Corn two thirds of a crop. Cotton about the same. Rice one-fourth of a crop. Sweet potatoes very good. —— Bear hunting is now the fashionable sport in New Foundland. —— Plymouth jottings: Farmers continue to haul in rice, peanuts and cotton, and they say they will not be able to pay off their incumberances with the present crop. They have traded too largely.

— Salisbury *Watchman:* Dr. W. H. Bobbitt has held the position of Presiding Elder in the Methodist Church twenty-four years, barring a short interval when he was stationed. —— Mining for both corundum and mica is being pushed more vigorously in Cherokee county, but mica mining is not being pushed so systematically in the tramontane section as formerly. —— There have been some recent and valuable finds in gold bearing districts in Cherokee county, on the waters of the Hiwassee river, and also in Georgia, just over the North Carolina line. Assays of these ores average as high as $75 per ton. —— Mr. Geo. F. Frick, of Providence township, reports a new discovery on his farm. He has opened a promising outcrop of brown sulphide ore, which shows free gold occasionally. The vein is about eight inches wide. —— Mr. John Daniels, late Auditor of the Western North Carolina Railroad, has accepted the position of Auditor of the Memphis & Charleston Railroad, with headquarters at Memphis, Tenn. He left on Sunday night to assume the duties of the office.

— Hickory *Carolinian:* The Bush Hill *Prohibitionist* publishes a call, over the names of Moses Hammond, Chairman of the North Carolina Temperance Union, and F. S. Blair, Chairman of the State Prohibition Executive Committee, and about one hundred other representative men from twenty four counties, "for a State Convention to be held in Greensboro, December 10th, to unite the Prohibition elements of the State, and to organize them into a Prohibition party. —— The through down freight last Friday was about six hours behind and gave our people a good show as it passed in the day time. There were sixteen car loads of stock, in which were 12,000 head of hogs, sheep and one fourth of a car of turkeys, mostly from Tennessee. —— Under this heading the Raleigh *News Observer* tells of a negro who was sent to the penitentiary for five years for stealing a gold watch, and after serving out four years of his time the watch was found in the possession of another negro who was the real thief. We fear such cases are not strange except in the sequel. We know of one negro sent from this county, who although a trifling and perhaps a dishonest creature, was not generally believed guilty of the charge under which he now serves as a convict.

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MUNSON—Overcoats.
COLLIER & CO.—Auction sale.
HEINSBERGER—Piano for raffle.
R S. WHITE—Attorney at law.
HARRISON & ALLEN—Leading styles.
S. S. P. I. Co.—Stockholders meeting.

Local Dots.

— "Tramp, tramp; the boys are marching." Three more were lodged at the guard house last night.

— A handsome steam pleasure yacht, *The Dove*, from Philadelphia, bound for Charleston, S. C., put in here, coaled yesterday at Fowler & Morrison's wharf, and proceeded.

— Mr. A. B. Bennett, agent of the Bella Moore Comedy Company, was in the city yesterday. The company will play "A Mountain Pink" here on the 9th and 10th insts.

— After several days of unmitigated miserable weather, the dreary, disagreeable rain disappeared late yesterday evening and at 7 p. m. the stars were shining their brightest.

— It is thought probable, that the scenery, etc., for the "Crazy Quilt," the new comedy that is to have its initial performance in the Opera House here, will be ready in about a week.

— Only one case before the Mayor's Court yesterday; a colored man, whose good reputation heretofore stood him in good service, for he was fined only three dollars for very disorderly conduct.

Christmas Coming.

Dealers in holiday goods are busily loading their counters and shelves with everything that is likely to appeal to the taste and purse of those in search of Christmas presents, and the grand carnival of buying and selling will soon begin. The readers of the STAR, in town and country, in search of novelties of the season, the best goods and the lowest prices, may with advantage consult its advertising columns.

OPERA HOUSE.

A Rag Baby.

The attendance at the Opera House last night to witness the second performance of the "Rag Baby" was small, but the performance ran very smoothly and won the hearty applause and laughter of all present. This excellent company carried the three acts through with much dash and fun, and the music and songs, in great part taken from the most popular of recent comic operas, took well with the audience. "A Rag Baby" may be recorded as having made a bit.

Three Men Arrested.

Three white men of rather respectable appearance were arrested yesterday on the charge of stealing a gold watch from a woman named Alice Dean, living in a disreputable house on MacRae street between Walnut and Mulberry. The men gave their names as Mason, Oxford and Mullen. They are strangers in the city, and say that they have been visiting fairs throughout the country; but on what business was not clearly made apparent at the examination of the case, which was begun before Justice E. D. Hall in the afternoon. They said that they arrived in Wilmington on Saturday last. The hearing of the case was continued until this morning, for the purpose of securing the attendance of witnesses that the defence wanted summoned. A search warrant was issued also to have their baggage brought into the court from the railroad depot, and for which they surrendered the checks. In the meantime the three men were sent to jail.

The woman alleged that the watch, which she described as a small gold one, was taken from under her pillow by one of the three men, who spent the night in the house. It has not been recovered.

The men were made to deliver up everything that they had in their pockets at the jail, (as is customary.) They had no money; or at least no money was found upon their persons. One of them had a silver watch, another a pack of cards, and each had a pair of English walnut shells, used sometimes by gamblers to play the "little joker."

Before the U. S. Commissioner.

A case was heard yesterday before T. M. Gardner, Esq., U. S. Commissioner, involving an alleged violation of the harbor laws, in which it is charged that the English barque *Fairy Bell*, Capt. Jean, on July 22d last violated the statute by lying at anchor in the Cape Fear river at the port of Wilmington without displaying lights at night as required. The barque had cleared, and on the following morning proceeded to sea. She recently returned to this port and on the 30th ult. the warrant was issued. The parties concerned gave bond to appear at the next term of the U. S. District Court which meets in this city in May next.

Foreign Exports.

Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son cleared the German barque *Meteor*, for Liverpool, yesterday, with 2,350 bales of cotton, valued at $101,900, and Messrs. E. Kidder & Son cleared the barque *Vulcan*, for Montevideo, with 324,695 feet of lumber, valued at $5,926.45. Total value of exports, $107,826.48.

The Wilmington Postoffice.

Our new postmaster, Mr. O. G. Parsley, received his commission yesterday, and we learn that by arrangement with Col. Brink, the office will be turned over to him on the 15th inst. Col. Jas. G. Burr will be Mr. Parsley's chief assistant.

RIVER AND MARINE.

— A dispatch to the STAR from London, received yesterday, says that the German barque *Fidelio*, which sailed from this port October 9th, for Wolgast, Germany, was found on her beam-ends in the English channel. She had been cut down three streaks below the copper on the starboard side. She was towed to Dover. The barque partly righted after the masts had been cut away. One dead body was found on board. The *Fidelio* cleared from this port with a cargo of cypress timber shipped by Messrs. Wm. Walter & Fincke. She was of 376 tons burthen and was commanded by Capt. Meyer.

THE MAILS.

The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows:

CLOSE.

Northern through mails, fast	7:45 P. M
Northern through and way mails	8:00 A. M
Through mail for all points north of Richmond	10:00 P. M.
Raleigh 6:15 P. M. &	8:00 A. M
Mails for the N. C. Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom including A. & N. C. Railroad, at 7:45 P. M. &	8:00 A. M.
Southern mails for all points South, daily	8:00 P. M.
Western mails (C. C. Railway) daily (except Sunday)	6:15 P. M.
All points between Hamlet and Raleigh	6:15 P. M.
Mail for Cheraw and Darlington Railroad	8:00 P. M.
Mails for points between Florence and Charleston	8:00 P. M.
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays	1:00 P. M.
Fayetteville, via C. C. R. R., daily, except Sundays	6:15 P. M.
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices, Tuesdays and Fridays	6:00 A. M.
Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily (except Sundays)	2:00 P. M.
Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, Shallotte and Little River, Tuesdays and Fridays	2:00 P. M.
Wrightsville daily at	8:30 A. M.

OPEN FOR DELIVERY.

Northern through and way mails	7:30 A. M.
Southern mails	9.30 A. M.
Carolina Central Railroad	9:00 A. M.

Stamp Office open from 7.30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Money Order and Register Department open 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. continuous.

General delivery open from 7 A.M. to 6.00 P.M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M.

Mails collected from street boxes from business portion of city at 5 A.M., 11:30 A.M. and 5:30 P.M.; from other parts of the city at 5 P.M. and 5 A. M.

Carriers delivery open on Sunday from 8:30 to 9 A. M.

Railroad time, 75th meridian.

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for today:

For the Middle Atlantic States, generally fair weather, winds shifting to southwest and northwest, slight changes in temperature except on the coast, slightly warmer.

For the South Atlantic States, generally fair weather, winds generally from north to west, slight rise in temperature in the north and west portion, stationary temperature in the southern portion.

The Cape Fear.

By advices yesterday from Fayetteville there were reports of a rise of two and a half feet in the river at that place. The steamer *Hurt*, due here Tuesday morning, did not get in until evening. She was on the shoals for about six hours on her trip down, but got off on a rise of about six inches. The *Hurt* cleared on her upward trip about 2 p. m., yesterday, and the steamer *D. Murchison* left an hour afterwards. The latter arrived here yesterday morning.

A DOWN TOWN MERCHANT, having passed several sleepless nights, disturbed by the agonies and cries of a suffering child, and becoming convinced that Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup was just the article needed, procured a supply for the child. On reaching home and acquainting his wife with what he had done, she refused to have it administered to the child, as she was strongly in favor of Homœopathy. That night the child passed in suffering, and the parents without sleep. Returning home the day following, the father found the baby still suffering; and while contemplating another sleepless night, the mother stepped from the room to attend to some domestic duties and left the father with the child. During her absence he administered a portion of the Soothing Syrup to the baby, and said nothing. That night all hands slept well, and the little fellow awoke in the morning bright and happy. The mother was delighted with the wonderful change, and although at first offended at the deception practiced upon her, has continued to use the Syrup, and suffering crying babies and restless nights have disappeared. A single trial of the Syrup never yet failed to relieve the baby, and overcome the prejudices of the mother. Sold by all Druggists. 25 cents a bottle.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Stockholders' Meeting,

SEA SIDE PARK IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, at the Office of the President, Chesnut Street, above Water, at 11 o'clock A. M., TO-DAY, Dec. 3d. A full attendance is requested, as business of importance will be transacted.

J. M. FORSHEE, Sec'y and Treas.
de 3 1t

R. S. White,

Attorney at Law, Elizabethtown, N. C.

Practices in BLADEN and COLUMBUS COUNTIES. Collections promptly attended to.
Refers by permission to Col. John A. McDowell, Dr. Newton Robinson and F. F. Cumming.
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Auction Sale.

$20.000 WORTH OF GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, SILVER WARE, &c., &c., received this day from Jeweler retiring from business, and to be sold at Auction.

Commencing TO-NIGHT, at 7 o'clock, and continuing until entire stock is disposed of, we offer for sale, at auction, at Store No. 103 Market St., next to Mollhenny's Drug Store, the Largest and Finest Collection of Gold and Silver Watches, Ladies and Gents' Chains, Diamonds, Rings, Charms, Lockets, and Silver Ware of every description, ever offered for sale in this city.

de 3 1t COLLIER & CO., Auct'r.

Look At

OUR STOCK OF OVERCOATS, STYLES AND PRICES will induce those who want to BUY.

MUNSON,
de 3 1t Clothier, &c.

Leading Styles!

STIFF AND SILK HATS!
UMBRELLAS!

HARRISON & ALLEN,
de 3 tf Hatters.

Piano for Raffle.

AT THE REQUEST OF MANY LADIES AND gentlemen, I have consented to raffle a fine Upright BAUS PIANO—catalogue price $900—for $350, at $1 per chance. Any one taking or getting up ten chances will receive one extra without charge.

List now open at

HEINSBERGER'S
de 3 tf Live Book and Music Stores.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 24th, 1885

Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS of the NAVASSA GUANO COMPANY of Wilmington, will be held at their Office, in this city, on Thursday, December 10th, 1885, at 11 o'clock A. M.

D. MACRAE, Sec'y and Treas'r.
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The Grand Opening!

OF

Toys & Holiday Goods!

WILL TAKE PLACE AT

Taylor's Bazaar

ON

TUESDAY, Nov. 24th!

to which the public are respectfully invited, as our elegant line of TOYS AND FANCY ARTICLES will be open for inspection. THE LARGEST STOCK OF NOVELTIES to select from. At the same time we will sell the stock of

Millinery and Fancy Goods!

WAY BELOW THE USUAL PRICE, so that we can have more room at

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR

118 Market Street.

N. B.—The store will be open until 9 o'clock P. M. from now until after the Holidays.

no 22 tf

Cotton and Naval Stores

SHIPPED TO US WILL BE CAREFULLY HANDled at full market value.
Orders for Bagging, Ties, Hoop Iron and Glue filled at low prices.

WOODY & CURRIE, Commission Merchants, Wilmington, N. C.
se 17 tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AT MUELLER'S

NOVELTY STORE!

Corner Market and Second Streets,

Daily New Arrivals of

TOYS AND CHRISTMAS GOODS.

THE ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM IS the LARGEST AND CHEAPEST in this country. The most beautiful lines of FRENCH DOLLS ever imported are for sale there at lowest prices. Doll Carriages, Velocipedes, Tricycles, Goat Sulkies, cheaper than ever; quality the best.

PARTICULAR BARGAINS offered in fine Dressing Cases, Albums, Picture Frames, Work Boxes, Writing Desks, Ink Stands, Card Cases and Pocket Necessaries.

The finest line of SMOKERS' ARTICLES that any first-class New York store could afford can be found there.

Glassware, Toilet Sets, China Cups and Saucers, Plates and Teasets—an unsurpassed assortment at popular prices. Bisque Figures, Terra Cotta and Lava Ware in great variety.

JAPANESE GOODS—a most tastefully selected stock.

Sole agency for the celebrated CHINESE LIGHTS AND TORCHES. Discount to dealers. Assorted lots on hand for country merchants, which will yield them handsome profits.

Call soon and avoid the rush of the last two weeks, when it is utterly impossible to give everybody the necessary attention.

JULIUS MUELLER.
no 29 tf

Business Notice.

OUR MR. BRIDGERS, ANTICIPATING REMOving to South America, has secured the services of Mr. N. B. RANKIN to conduct the Grocery Business of P. L. BRIDGERS & CO.

Mr. Rankin's familiarity with the grocery business, and his well known push and energy, will be a sufficient guarantee to all that the business will be conducted well and satisfactorily.

He will devote his whole time and attention to it, and we will be in a better position than ever to cater to the trade.

P. L. Bridgers & Co.

We will announce later the date he will take charge. no 29 D&W tf

Louis J. Poisson,

REAL ESTATE AGENT AND STOCK BROKER. Houses Rented and Rents Collected. Estates Managed and Money Judiciously Invested. Business solicited. Office
de 1 1w 113 NORTH SECOND ST.

Copartnership Notice.

HAVING ASSOCIATED MR. FRANK L. MEARES with me in the WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUG BUSINESS, the business will be continued as heretofore under the firm name of WILLIAM H. GREEN & CO.

WILLIAM H. GREEN,
de 1 tf 117 Market St.

New Stove House.

WE HAVE ADDED A FULL LINE OF COOKING and HEATING STOVES and RANGES, with Portable and Stationery GRATES, to our PLUMBING and GAS-FITTING Business, and are prepared to give Very Low Figures on our NEW GOODS. Slate Mantels and Hearths furnished at short notice. Plumbers and Gas-Fitters' Supplies always on hand. Try us.

R. H. GRANT & CO.,
no 3 tf 410 N. Front St.

STILL THEY COME!

Another lot of those Delicious

CALIFORNIA PEARS AND GRAPES,

By To-Day's Steamer.

ORANGES, BANANAS, APPLES, &c, IN ABUNDANCE.

Mrs. E. Warren & Son,

de 1 tf EXCHANGE CORNER.

Fashionable Folk,

AS ALSO THOSE NOT SO FASHIONABLE, can find Goods to suit their fancy at our Store. We keep BOOTS AND SHOES IN ENDLESS VARIETY, and will Fit your Eye, your Pocket and your Foot, and charge you THE MOST REASONABLE PRICES for the Best Class of Goods.

Call and see us.

Geo. R. French & Sons,

de 2 tf 108 NORTH FRONT STREET.

More New Goods.

HATS, FANCY FEATHERS, OSTRICH TIPS, ZEPHYRS, SAXONY, &c.,

At MRS. KATE C. WINES',
no 22 tf 119 North 2d Street, next Post Office.

For Rent,

Two Stores on Market Street.
Store on Third Street, opposite City Hall, suitable for grocery or drug store.
Dwelling corner Second and Ann.
Dwelling on Fourth between Princess and Chesnut. Apply to

D. O'CONNOR,
no 22 tf Real Estate Agent.

Vaseline Confections,

ROSE AND LEMON FLAVOR. AN AGREEable form of taking Vaseline internally for Sore Throat, Cold, Bronchitis, &c. They are unrivalled as a remedy. Fresh lot Osborn's Syrup.

ROBERT R. BELLAMY, Pharmacist,
de 1 tf N. W. cor. Market and Front Sts.

At Our House

YOU WILL FIND TOILET SETS, ALL STYLES and beautiful in finish. Also, the best Biggin to be found. You that are fond of good Coffee, try them. Copper Tea Kettles, Lamps, Pumps, and a good stock generally.

PARKER & TAYLOR.
PURE WHITE OIL. no 29 tf

Coffee.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A NEW LOT OF the latest improved COFFEE POTS. Also, a lot of elegant Tin Toilet Sets. We invite the public to call and examine them, and also our Cook Stoves, Heating Stoves and Grates. Don't forget the "Farmer Girl."

W. H. ALDERMAN & CO.,
no 22 tf 35 Market Street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Execution Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION TO ME DIrected, issued from the Superior Court of New Hanover County, October 31st, 1885, wherein the Bank of New Hanover is Plaintiff, and J. R. Blossom and Thomas Evans, parties trading under the name and style of J. R. Blossom & Evans, are Defendants, I will expose to sale, to the highest bidder, on MONDAY, the 7th day of December, 1885, all the interest of the said Joseph R. Blossom, in

Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in Block 318;
Lots No 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in Block 317;
Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Block 319;
Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Block 320;

—being the whole of the said Blocks 316, 317, 319 and 320. Also

Lots No. 4, 5 and 6, in Block 318;
Lots No. 4 and 5, in Block 345.

Also the lot of Land on Red Cross street in Block 233, beginning 100 feet west of Third street, running west 83 feet 5 inches on Red Cross street, thence northwardly in a line parallel with Third street 200 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Red Cross street 83 feet 5 inches to a point 100 feet west of Third street, then southwardly 200 feet parallel with Third street to the beginning, and all the buildings and erections on the above described lots levied upon to satisfy said execution. The sale will take place at the Court House door at 12 o'clock, the day and date above mentioned.

S. H. MANNING, Sheriff
no 1 tds New Hanover County.

Assignee's Private Sale.

COMMENCING ON MONDAY MORNING, I will sell any of the

DRUGS, FANCY ARTICLES, FIXTURES & FURNITURE

in the Drug Store of J K. Mollhenny at REDUCED PRICES.

THOS. C. McILHENNY,
no 29 tf Assignee.

That Sledge Hammer,

THAT SLEDGE HAMMER HAD THE DEsired effect. Prices were knocked so low that consternation reigned among all our competitors. Every customer was sold who visited our store last week, and a great majority of lookers became purchasers when we named prices.

This week we intend to keep up the good work To-morrow we will display the handsomest DRESS SUITS in Black, Blue and Wine-Colored Corkscrew for $10.00 ever shown in this city. These Suits are fully worth $18.00, and sell readily at that price; but we promised last week a panic in prices, and we propose to keep our promise.

We offer BIG INDUCEMENTS in every department. In Furnishing Goods we can show some pretty styles in FLANNEL UNDERWEAR that no other house has, and prices on these goods, though staple, will be made just as low as if they were hard stock.

KNIT DRAWERS are becoming very much more popular than the Canton Flannel or Jeans, and we carry six (6) qualities ranging from 75 cents up.

We have not been saying much about FURNISHING GOODS lately, but it is not because we havn't the stock. We propose to make a big hole in our stock in the next four weeks, and every one interested will find they can save money and be better suited by buying from us.

Watch the papers next Thursday for startling disclosures.

A. DAVID,
no 29 tf Merchant Tailor and Clothier.

Some of the Finest.

WE HAVE TO-DAY RECEIVED HALF A CAR LOAD OF

Beef, Mutton, Pork, Sausage, &c.,

of the finest quality and in the finest condition, which we offer both wholesale and retail from our stalls in Front Street and Fourth Street Market Houses.

no 29 tf W. E. WORTH & CO.

PERSONAL—Ladies! enlarge the bust and develop the form; simple self-treatment; no quack stuff. Physicians endorse it. Sealed particulars and proofs mailed free.
no 14 1m Erie Med. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Bacon, Flour, Sugar.

100 Boxes D. S. C. R. SIDES,
1000 Bbls FLOUR, all grades,
150 Bbls Refined SUGARS, all grades,

For sale low by
no 29 tf WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO.

Molasses, Coffee, Rice.

100 Bbls Choice Porto Rico MOLASSES,
250 Sacks Choice RIO COFFEE,
25 Bbls CAROLINA RICE,

For sale low by
no 29 tf WILLIAMS RANKIN & CO.

Bagging, Ties, Salt.

500 Half Rolls 2 lb BAGGING,
2000 Bundles New ARROW TIES,
4000 Sacks LIVERPOOL and FINE SALT.

For sale low by
no 29 tf WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO

Cheese, Crackers, Candy.

50 Boxes Selected CREAM CHEESE,
50 Boxes CRACKERS,
50 Boxes CANDY,

For sale low by
no 29 tf WILLIAMS RANKIN & CO.

Fire-Proof Oil

IS BETTER THAN "KEROSENE OIL, OR any other Burning Oil. Can be used in any lamp

For sale by
HOLMES & WATTERS, 7 North Front St.
HENRY HAAR, 701 Chesnut St.
WM. OTERSEN, corner 5th and Market.
GIESCHEN & BRO., corner Chesnut and McRae.
P. H. SMITH, corner 4th and Campbell.
J. C. STEVENSON & CO., 617 North Fourth St.
B. H. J. AHRENS, corner 7th and Market Sts.
J. C. STEVENSON, 181 Market St.
H. SCHULKEN, corner 4th and Walnut Sts.
J. H. BOESCH, No. 801 North Fourth St.
GEO. M. CRAPON, No. 22 South Front St.
GEO. A. PECK, No. 29 South Front St.

Watch this list and see it grow. mh 26 tf

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School Shoes Cheap.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD PAIR OF SCHOOL SHOES for your boys and girls, come and ask for our BAY STATE SHOES. You will save money by buying them, as they are the best wearing Shoes that you could give them. A new lot just received at

A. SHRIER'S,
Boot, Shoe and Hat Dealer,
no 29 tf Nos. 108 & 110 Market Street.

Look at

OUR NEW LINE OF FIRE SETS—SHOVEL and Tongs and Andirons—put up in Brass or Iron. Galvanized and Japanned Coal Hods, Blower Stands, &c. All at the very lowest possible prices.

no 22 tf GILES & MURCHISON.