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OUTLINES.

Senator Mahone, from the Committee on Public Buildings, reported several bills; one appropriating $400,000 for Charleston. —— Robert Robertson was sworn in as Lieutenant Governor of Indiana; the Republican members of the Assembly protesting against the proceedings as illegal and an assumption of power. —— Two locomotives were wrecked on the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, several men were badly hurt. —— A general strike threatened on the Newport News & Mississippi Valley Railroad is rumored. —— A mate of the crew of twenty-two of the German ship wrecked on the Virginia coast was saved, five men of the life saving crew were lost in attempting to reach the vessel. —— John Roach, the ship-builder, is dead. —— The pastor of a Lutheran Church at Oshkosh, Wis., threatens to expel Knights of Labor unless they abandon the order. —— New York markets: Money 4@5 per cent; sterling steady at 9½@9 11-16c; southern flour steady and more active at $3 50@$3 [illegible]; wheat firm but less active: No. 2 red January 92½@92¾c, corn firm and more active; No. 2 January 47½@47⅝c; rosin steady at $1 00@$1 07½; spirits turpentine quiet at 38c.

They have "struck ile" in Texas.

"Richard is himself again." That is to say, the President walks the quarter deck once more.

There are rival plans before the Senate and House to change Inauguration Day and the President's term.

Two English army corps have been mobilized and that has given excitement to Europe. What does it mean, we ask every mouth.

Upon the same three changes have been made in the Tory Cabinet since Lord Randolph Churchill resigned. A triumph for the young Tory.

In the Augusta *Chronicle* in a review of Julius Cæsar was found: "Cæsar was a man above 5 feet 5 inches high and was remarkably few suffered from dropsy." John Wesley was a very moderate man.

Here is a dispatch of the 8th January from Wilmington, Delaware, to correspondents in North Carolina: "The Pennsylvania Railroad has made arrangements for a steamship line between Beaufort City and New Bern, N. C., thus completing a Southern through rail and water line."

Henry George's new paper, *The Standard*, has the following:

"Two out of every three farms in Marshall and Franklin counties, Alabama, are said to be under mortgage, and yet the farmers there imagine that they belong to the ruling class."

A bad showing if true.

The Standard is the name of Mr. George's newspaper published in New York. It is an eight page weekly, is very able, and is the best printed weekly but one that comes to this office. It will be apt to prove a success.

Give Wilmington enough railroad communication and then let her improve all her waterways and what a town there will be! With more manufacturing in a decade there ought to be 40,000 inhabitants. First try to help yourself and then ask for others to help.

Our girls and boys ought to be sent to schools of technology. The President of the Philadelphia Board of Education favors teaching girls how to saw. Of course, and how to cook. What right has a woman to marry who is not an expert cook and seamstress?

Holloway, colored, in the House from New Hanover, wishes to change the limits of Wilmington, putting the boundary where it was prior to 1874, and he has introduced a bill to that effect. We hope the Democrats in the Senate will watch this manœuvre.

We fear the Asheville *Advance* is in a fair way to follow Pearson into the "Radikul" camp. It indorses his course in the Legislature and says of another kicker:

"Mr. Webster, Speaker of the House, is a Protection Democrat, favors the repeal of the county government system in the West, and wants the Blair Educational bill passed. He suits the *Advance* pretty well."

The Gate City Guards of Atlanta will not be allowed to enter England. Such is the decision of a Tory lord. We know England once got "mighty scared" at the sight of Southern soldiers, about the time Old Hickory thrashed the flower of the British army at New Orleans, but we thought it had got over the big fright by this time. One Southern company with forty muskets is too much for Salisbury's nerves.

The STAR thought that Pearson was sincere in his professions of Democracy, although he had kicked upon the plea of self-vindication. The STAR is very mad with itself for allowing the rabid young Radical to pull the "wool over its eyes" by insane declarations of party fealty. Pearson all the time was kicking clean out of the Democratic party, and he knew it. Well, he has landed where he belongs. He will not fool us a second time.

The *Dispatch* says a great change has taken place in Cluverius; that he is no longer sprightly and cheery, but has become taciturn and thoughtful. His book is to be published by an agent of the family, and the proceeds will go to the reimbursement of his aunt, Mrs. Tunstall, who has spent all her fortune in his defence. An edition of 10,000 copies has been ordered, and will be ready for delivery in about a week. In the book he stoutly maintains that he is innocent.

Mr. O'Connor, M. P., cables from London on the 8th inst., to the N. Y. *Star* as follows:

"The Salisbury Ministry is in thoroughly desperate straits, and the Prime Minister is reduced to appeal to second and third rate men to complete the Cabinet in time for the Queen's council. All the Whig peers whose assistance is really desired have refused to enter a coalition Cabinet under a Tory Prime Minister. The vain attempt of Lord Salisbury to introduce a number of Liberals into the Ministry has undermined his reputation even among his personal adherents. The belief is spreading that his nerve is shattered and resources dissipated."

Spirits Turpentine.

— High Point *Enterprise:* We hear that the High Point Guards will make preparations to attend the National Encampment at Washington, 23d May. —— There is a report in circulation that the Jordan Warehouse is to be converted into a cotton factory.

— New Bern *Journal:* The National Bank of New Bern has declared a semi annual dividend of five per cent. —— In our recent notice of Superintendent Long's report it was shown that the average attendance of the white children of Craven county at the schools was about sixty per cent. and the colored about seventy per cent. This is fully up with Lenoir, which has for several years justly claimed to be the banner county of the State in educational matters.

— Raleigh *Visitor:* Prof. Shepherd, of Charleston (S. C.) College, will deliver a lecture at Metropolitan Hall on Tuesday evening next, for the benefit of the Second Presbyterian church of this city. Subject: Sir Walter Raleigh. —— On Tuesday evening next Eugene S. Martin, Esq., of Wilmington, will deliver a Masonic address in the hall of the House of Representatives, it being the one-hundredth anniversary of the granting of the charter for the organization of the Grand Lodge of Masons in this State. After the address the Grand Lodge will partake of an elegant banquet at the Yarboro House.

— Goldsboro *Argus:* We congratulate our esteemed friend and brother of the quill Mr. D. B. Nicholson, of the Clinton *Caucasian*, upon his unanimous election as Reading Clerk of the Senate. The position is honored in having such an incumbent. —— Yesterday morning the New Bern train failed to reach this city on schedule time—only a few minutes late, however. She ran in and reached her stopping place just as the north bound W. & W. pulled out, and the latter would not stop a brief few minutes for the transfer of passengers, mail and express. Yesterday afternoon the south bound W. & W. was a few minutes late, and just as it neared its stopping place the "old mullett" pulled out for New Bern.

— Charlotte *Chronicle:* An amusing and alarming sensation was created at Mr. J. Watt Kirkpatrick's cotton gin in Sharon township the other morning. Several persons were about the engine room when a wagon drove up loaded with wood. The engineer, whose name is Mitchem, offered to bet a little darkey that he could not lick the tire of one of the wheels of the wagon. The boy being afraid, Mitchem concluded to poke out his own tongue near the tire, without touching it, but unfortunately his tongue came in contact with the iron and froze immediately. Mr. Kirkpatrick tried to get it loose with his knife blade but failed. In the meantime the man's wife and children came around screaming furiously. His tongue was finally separated by applying hot water to the tire.

— Raleigh *News-Observer:* Attorney General Davidson says in his report to the Governor that the beneficial effects of the laws increasing the number of Judges of the Superior Courts and of Judicial Districts from nine to twelve, and reorganizing the Criminal Court of New Hanover so that it might embrace th county of Mecklenburg, were felt at once. —— Mr. Lee S. Overman poured some hot shot into the Independent ranks yesterday. Among other things he said that a man who professed allegiance to Democratic principles and party, and then voted for Republicans for office, could be nothing but a traitor. His charge was effective in that the broadside was not answered. —— Mr. Pearson has not yet changed his seat to the Republican side of the House, but we presume he will do so before long. (He ought to move early. Delays are dangerous.—STAR.) —— ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., Jan. 7.—Returns come in slowly. The indications point to the election of Griffin beyond a doubt. This county, Pasquotank, gives a Democratic gain of about four hundred. Camden is also giving a good Democratic vote.

—Raleigh *News-Observer:* Thos. J. Fields, a colored Democrat from Halifax county, has been appointed janitor in the House branch of the Legislature. —— Dr. Tyre York seems to possess hard, common sense, but he is death to the Queen's English. —— The people of Raleigh will learn with regret that Rev. Dr. W. A. Nelson, who has for several years been pastor of the Second Baptist Church of this city, and under whom the church has grown largely in every particular, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist Church in Asheville. —— Mr. Pearson, in nominating his friend Mr. Davies for the position of Engrossing Clerk, spoke of "traitors," we suppose using the term derisively because of his present political status. —— There was never such an opportunity in Raleigh for sleighing as the present. The snow is fine, packed hard and the sleighs glide over it almost without leaving a track. —— A private letter from Chapel Hill to a gentleman in this city says: Prof. Toy will go home to Norfolk to stay until he recovers from the effects of the accident which happened to him December 23rd. He is now able to walk about the room. Mr. R. L. Uzzell, a post graduate of the University, will take charge of the French classes, and Mr. S. B. Weeks, also a post graduate, will take the German classes for a while. Both are well fitted for the positions. The snow is four and a half inches deep. —— Rev. J. Cavanaugh, a one-armed evangelist, stood in the snow on the vacant lot between the postoffice and the court house yesterday and preached to quite a large audience. —— The streets are in such a condition as to seriously interfere with the hauling of wood, merchandize, &c. Horses slip on the sleet and packed snow and cannot pull. —— President Stedman, who is conceded to be the handsomest man in the Senate, is a most efficient presiding officer. He dispatches business systematically, rapidly and effectively. —— President Taylor, of Wake Forest College, is contemplating using granite in the new laboratory building instead of brick, and estimates are now being made by a contractor as to the cost for the same.

— Charlotte *Chronicle:* Mr. James Thomas, a hard working, honest farmer, of Charlotte township, made with one mule last year fourteen bales of cotton averaging 500 pounds each; 40 bushels of wheat; 100 bushels of corn, besides potatoes, good garden and other patches. He had only two children to help him. —— It was learned in the city here that Jane Morrison, who recently killed her husband, John Morrison, in this city, has been heard from in Wilmington, where she is said to be staying with some of her friends. Capt. T. R Robertson, Clerk of the Criminal Court, yesterday issued a capias for the woman, and it is probable that she will be brought back to Charlotte this week and jailed to await her appearance before Judge Meares for trial. —— Messrs. W. T. Bynum, jr.; W. R. Burch, W. T. Dortch, jr.; B. P. Beard, G. F. Smith, O. P. Meares, jr., J. M. Walker, jr.; Hugh Dortch and E. E. Jurney left yesterday for Jacksonville, Fla. They go to that place in the interest of the Merchants' Protective Union, of which a branch office has been in operation in this city for several months past. —— Lewis Thompson, Esq., a resident of the eastern section of the State, donated the Bronson property, located at the eastern terminus of Trade street in this city, to the Episcopal Church for the purpose of establishing an asylum for the orphaned and homeless children. The donation includes seventy two acres of land and a large and elegant brick building, which was originally built for a college. Accommodation is now afforded for twenty children, and it is hoped that the capacity of the institution will shortly be considerably increased. —— Col. A. B. Andrews, it gives us pleasure to state, will have almost uncontrolled power in the management of the affairs of the Richmond and Danville Company in this State. This company controls 894 miles of railroad in North Carolina, out of 2,675 miles in the whole system. —— Somewhat of an excitement exists in our neighboring town of Fort Mill over the discovery of what is supposed to be a plot to assassinate several of the leading people of that place. A *Chronicle* reporter yesterday learned those whose lives are threatened, are Drs. Kell and Massey. These two gentlemen have received written messages from colored people well known to them, stating that they, the writers, belonged to a secret organization of negroes, and that this organization had planned to kill the two gentlemen named. The writers of the notes gave certain details of the plot, but we have been unable to get the full particulars.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MUNSON—Better call.
HEINSBERGER—Blank books.
DAVIS SCHOOL—La Grange, N. C.
E VAN LAER—Pianos and organs.
W. H GREEN & CO.—Garden seed.
MRS E. WARREN—Lost breastpin.
E. WARREN & SON—Candy fruits.
MASONIC—Meeting St. John's Lodge.
W. L. SMITH & CO.—Bank stock for sale.

Local Dots.

— Receipts of cotton yesterday 258 bales; the same date last year, 281 bales.

— The Criminal Court took a recess Saturday until this (Tuesday) morning at 10 o'clock.

The cold wave signal was ordered up at the station here yesterday morning. A Bismarckian blizzard is progressing in this direction which is expected to knock the bottom out of all the thermometers in the city.

— Mr. A. L. Plummer, of Nashville, Tenn., will canvass the city for "Cram's Family Atlas of the World," a notice of which, under the head of "New Publications," unfortunately appeared in Sunday's STAR as "Crane's Family Atlas."

— The Board of Aldermen will meet in special session this afternoon at 4 o'clock, to consider the report of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad Commissioners. One member of the Board—Alderman Bear—is absent from the city, and another—Alderman Rourk—is confined to his home by sickness. Alderman Bear has been an earnest advocate of the proposition for a subscription to the road by the city and Alderman Rourk is understood to be in favor of it.

Dividend Declared.

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina Railroad Co., at their meeting in Raleigh, declared an annual dividend of six per cent. on the stock of the company; three per cent. payable on the 1st of March and three per cent. payable on the 1st of September.

Wilmington's Public Building.

A letter from Washington says that Hon. R. T. Bennett was handsomely congratulated by his fellow members of the House of Representatives on his success in passing the public building bill for this city. It passed the Senate on the 9th of last February, providing for an appropriation of $300,000. On the 18th of March the bill was reported from the House committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, and as amended provided for an appropriation of $150,000, and contained certain guarantees as to the purchase of a site and the erection of a building, to the effect that the limit should not be exceeded in any event. The bill provides that exclusive jurisdiction shall be ceded to the United States by the State of North Carolina, and an open space, not less than forty feet in width—including streets and alleys—shall be left around the building. This measure was reported favorably in the Forty-eighth Congress, and the large cotton and naval stores business was urged as a reason, along with others, for its passage. Judge Bennett was evidently fearful that objection would be raised to its consideration, and, after that, that the proposition would be defeated. He has several times objected on grounds of principle to bills introduced by others. When the bill was put on its passage several noes were heard, and it seemed that the measure was lost. Messrs Hatch and Hammond were the chief objectors, but their objections were merely intended to pester the Judge, for their votes were changed.

A New Summer Resort.

The Carolina Beach Company, recently formed, has already begun work on a railroad which will run from near Sugar Loaf, about thirteen miles below Wilmington on the Cape Fear river, across the peninsular to the Atlantic ocean, near the head of Myrtle Grove Sound, and just below old Camp Wyatt, so well known to the "old young men" of this city. The iron for the road has already been purchased and the rolling stock provided. The builders propose to finish the work in about two months. The railroad will not be more than two miles in length, but will extend from the river bank to the beach. A fast and comfortable steamer will run between Wilmington and the railroad wharf, and will make several trips each day on a schedule which will be convenient to all. Ample provision will be made for the comfort of bathers and excursionists. The surf bathing is good and safe, and the beach one of the finest on this coast. At the terminus of the road on the ocean side the land owned by the company will be put in perfect order, and everything done to make the place attractive and furnish a playground where excursionists can go and enjoy themselves, and get to the ocean side without annoyance and delay.

Personal.

Mayor Hall expects to leave the city tonight for a short visit North.

Capt. E. P. George, a former resident of Wilmington, is in the city on a brief visit.

Mr. J. W. Thompson, treasurer of the Atlantic Coast Line, will leave the city today on his six months vacation, tendered him by the company with a continuation of salary when his resignation was presented some time ago.

Mr. E. R. Brink left the city several days ago for his new field of labor at Jacksonville, Fla., as manager of the business of the new company formed for the manufacture of oil and preservation of timber by processes similar to those in operation at the oil works in this city.

To be Tried for Arson.

The trial of H. P. Morgan, for arson, will take place in the Criminal Court today. Morgan is under indictment for setting fire to a store occupied by him about twelve months ago, on Second street, between Market and Dock. The indictment was found at the September term of the Court, but the case was continued at that term and the one following in November, on account of the absence of an important witness for the defence.

Bingham.

A correspondent of the Richmond *Dispatch*, writing from Raleigh on Saturday last, says: "Although the officials are reticent about the matter, there are grounds for the belief that they have at last some news of the whereabouts of Walter Bingham, the murderer. He has not committed suicide, as some thought. Further details cannot be given just at this time, but remarkable developments in the case may be looked for any day."

Cape Fear Club.

This club held its annual meeting last night, at which the reports of the President and Secretary and Treasurer were read and matters pertaining to the welfare of the club discussed.

The election of officers resulted in the selection of Mr. William Latimer as President. Messrs. G. H. Smith, T. B. Lippitt, J. A. Walker, L. P. Davis and J. D. Munds were elected members of the Governing Board.

RIVER AND MARINE.

— Nor. barque *Nordsoen*, Neilsen, from Hamburg for this port, has been towed into Grimsby, leaking.

— Ger. barque *Prospero*, from Cette for this port, passed Tarifa Jan. 2.

— Br. steamer *Winston*, Edward, hence, arrived at Liverpool Jan. 8.

— Br. steamer *West Cumberland*, Brown, hence, arrived at Liverpool Jan. 7.

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for the twenty-four hours commencing at 10 p. m. Monday:

For Virginia, colder, westerly winds and fair weather.

For North and South Carolina, colder, northwesterly winds and fair weather.

For Georgia, East and Western Florida and Alabama, cold northwesterly, shifting to slightly warmer southerly winds and fair weather.

Wilmington Would Soon Rival Richmond.

The Greensboro *North State*, in a recent issue, says:

Wilmington is now considering President Gray's offer to extend the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway to that city. For a subscription of $150,000, Mr. Gray will agree to commence work within a few months. This looks like a small amount to hesitate over. With this road Wilmington would soon become a rival to Richmond and Northern cities for the trade all through this country. The merchants of Wilmington alone, if they could see their own interests, would secure this line at once. Their wholesale business would become immense."

Is your life worth 25 cents? If it is do not neglect a cough or cold. Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at once, and be cured by that never failing remedy.

Any one suffering from rheumatism or neuralgia would do well to use Salvation Oil. Price 25 cents. †

EXTRA DRY CHAMPAGNE (D. R. & Co.) Quarts $9 per case; pints $11 per case. D. Rich & Co., 785 Broadway, New York.

WHO IS MRS. WINSLOW?—As this question is frequently asked, we will simply say that she is a lady who for upwards of thirty years has untiringly devoted her time and talents as a female Physician and nurse, principally among children. She has especially studied the constitution and wants of this numerous class, and, as a result of this effort, and practical knowledge, obtained in a lifetime spent as a nurse and physician, she has compounded a Soothing Syrup for children teething. It operates like magic—giving rest and health, and is, moreover, sure to regulate the bowels. In consequence of this article Mrs. Winslow is becoming world-renowned as a benefactor of her race; children certainly do RISE UP and bless her; especially is this the case in this city. Vast quantities of the Soothing Syrup are DAILY sold and used here. We think Mrs. Winslow has immortalized her name by this invaluable article, and we sincerely believe thousands of children have been saved from an early grave by its timely use, and that millions yet unborn will share its benefits, and unite in calling her blessed. No Mother has discharged her duty to her suffering little one, in our opinion, until she has given it the benefit of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Try it, mothers—TRY IT NOW.—*Ladies' Visitor*, New York City. Sold by all druggists. 25 cts. a bottle

DIED.

HAYS.—On the 9th inst., at the home of her son, Jacob S. Allen, Mrs. MARY ANN HAYS, aged 70 years. The deceased was a native of Warrenton N. C., and had been a devoted member of the Methodist Church for 54 years. She will be buried at Enfield to-morrow.

CHEAK.—In this city, on Sunday afternoon, NATHAN CHEAK, aged 56 years.

The funeral will take place this morning, at 10 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M.

REGULAR MONTHLY COMMUNICATION This (Tuesday) Evening, at 8 o'clock.

Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
WM. M. POISSON, Secretary.
jan 11 1t

Lost,

YESTERDAY, ON FRONT, MARKET, PRINCESS or Chesnut St., a BLACK ONYX BREAST-PIN, with Maltese Cross. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to
MRS. E. WARREN, Exchange Corner.
jan 11 1t*

Bank New Hanover Stock,

40 SHARES FOR SALE.
Apply to
WM. L. SMITH & CO.
jan 11 1t

DAVIS SCHOOL
LA GRANGE, N. C.
Military Boarding School for Boys and Young Men. Full preparation for any College or for Business. Healthy Location; Fine Climate; Excellent Buildings; Cadet Cornet Band; Resident Surgeon. *No Charge for Medical Attention.* No Extra Charge for Languages or Sciences. Department of Art. Full Course in Telegraphy. Very Low Rates. For Register with full particulars, address,
COL. A. C. DAVIS, Supt.
SPRING TERM BEGINS JANUARY 20TH.
jan 11 2t nac

Better Call

AND SELECT OVERCOATS NOW.
ALL OF OUR BUSINESS SUITS AT PRICES WITHIN THE REACH OF EVERYBODY.
MUNSON,
jan 11 1t Clothier and Merchant Tailor.

A lways buy articles of food which are well known. Always be sure that you have got the best. Always see that you get what you ask for. Always Heckers Self-Raising Buckwheat, and be sure that you get it.
jan 1 1m ch eod nrm

PIANOS FROM THE FACTORIES OF SOHMER & Co., James & Holmstrom, E. Gabler & Co., New York, and Mathushek, of New Haven, Conn. in great variety. ORGANS from the factory of Wilcox & White, Meriden, Conn.
We offer the above at lowest prices, and court the closest and most critical examination
E. VAN LAER,
409 Red Cross Street, between 4th and 5th.
jan 11 tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BROWN & RODDICK,
9 North Front St.

We desire to call the attention of our friends, patrons and the general public to the following:

Our time for taking an Inventory of our Stock is February 1st, and in order to close out our ODD LOTS previous to that date, will make

Sweeping Reductions!

so as to make room for our VERY EXTENSIVE SPRING PURCHASES. Our reductions will be BONA FIDE.

We take this opportunity of thanking our customers for their very liberal patronage during the past year, and promise that no effort on our part will be spared to make this year even more attractive. Our endeavor will be to place THE NEWEST AND MOST DESIRABLE GOODS before them at THE VERY LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Special Announcement.

We beg to direct the attention of all those who have accounts with us to call and settle, as we have opened a new set of books on the first of this year, and will carry none forward from our old ledger. No charges will be made till the old accounts have been settled.

BROWN & RODDICK,
9 NORTH FRONT STREET.
Branch Store, 27 Hay street, Fayetteville, N. C.
de 5 tf

Garden Seed.

NEW CROP NOW IN STORE,
For sale at Lowest Market Prices,
Quality Guaranteed.
WILLIAM H. GREEN & CO.
jan 11 tf Market St.

Crystalized CANDY FRUITS,

50 Cents per Pound.
TRY THEM,
E. WARREN & SON,
CANDY MANUFACTURERS.
jan 11 tf EXCHANGE CORNER.

Roller Skates.

BARNEY & BERRY'S ROLLER SKATES, THE best made, all sizes, for sale cheap at
HEINSBERGER'S.

Blank Books,

PAPER AND ENVELOPES, FINE BOX PAPER, Irish Linen Paper and Envelopes to suit, Check Books, Note, Draft, Receipt and Order Books, Albums, and many other nice articles just received and for sale very cheap at
HEINSBERGER'S
jan 11 tf Cash Book and Music Store.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as Executor with the will annexed of Catherine Elise Kortjohann, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said deceased to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said Estate will present them for payment on or before the 20th day of December, A. D. 1887, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Dated December 20th, 1886.
NICHOLAS HULLEN, Executor with the will annexed.
de 21 6w tu

Sale of Steamboat Excelsior.

IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF PRIVATELY, I will sell to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, at Market Dock, in Wilmington, on TUESDAY, the 18th inst., at 12 o'clock M., the Steamboat EXCELSIOR, her Tackel, Apparel, &c She is 75 feet long, breadth 18 feet, and 17 tons burden net. Terms cash.
SALTER L. DRANE.
ASA A. BROWN, Attorney in fact.
Jan 8 4t nac 8 11 14 18

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON,
January 1, 1887.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of this Bank, for the election of Directors, will be held at their Banking House on Tuesday, the 11th inst., at 11 o'clock A. M.
A. K. WALKER, Cashier.
jan 1 4t 1 2 10 11

First National Bank of Wilmington.

A DIVIDEND OF THREE PER CENT. HAS been declared by the Board of Directors of this Bank, payable on and after the 11th inst.
A. K. WALKER, Cashier.
jan 8 3t

Subscriptions Received

AT PUBLISHERS' PRICES, FOR ALL POPULAR PERIODICALS AND PAPERS.
A Complete Stock of BLANK BOOKS and STATIONERY at Lowest Prices.
jan 9 tf YATES' BOOK STORE.

Handsome Goods.

BRASS FIRE SETS, BRASS ANDIRONS, Brass Coal Grabs, Brass Handled Hearth Brooms, Metal Vase Lamps, with Decorated Shades; Brass Candlesticks, with and without pendants; Brass Crumb Trays, and a handsome line of Hanging Lamps. For sale low by
GEO. A. PECK,
jan 9 tf South Front St.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

One Square One Day	$1 00
" " Two Days	1 50
" " Three Days	2 00
" " Four Days	2 50
" " Five Days	3 00
" " One Week	4 00
" " Two Weeks	5 00
" " Three Weeks	6 00
" " One Month	10 00
" " Two Months	15 00
" " Three Months	20 00
" " Six Months	40 00
" " One Year	60 00

Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates.
Ten lines solid Nonpareil type make one square.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13TH.

GRAND CONCERT
BY THE CELEBRATED
MENDELSSOHN QUINTETTE CLUB
OF BOSTON—ORGANIZED 1849.
JOHN MARQUARDT (from London) Solo Violin.
FRITZ SCHADE, Violin.
THOMAS RYAN, Solo Clarinette and Viola.
WILLIAM SCHADE, Solo Flute and Viola.
LOUIS BLUMENBERG, Solo Violoncello.
AND
MISS ALICE RAIN, Prima Donna Soprano.
Reserve Seats at usual price.
Box Sheet open Monday, the 10th.
Admission 75 cents.
jan 9 3t

M. CRONLY, Auctioneer.
BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Sale of Valuable Property.

ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 22D, 1887, AT 12 M., on the premises, by virtue of a mortgage executed to P. B. Ruffin and Thomas Ruffin, Trustees, on 10th March, 1874, by Pride Jones, H. P. Jones and wife Olive, E. A. Jones and M. C. Jones, and duly registered in office of Register of Deeds for New Hanover County, we will offer for sale the following PROPERTY, situate in the City of Wilmington:
Beginning at a stake on the bank of the Cape Fear River, in Orange street, running thence east along said street two hundred and ninety nine feet to the intersection of the same with Front street, then south along said Front street one hundred and thirty two feet to the corner of the Adam Empie lot, then west along the line of said Adam Empie lot three hundred and thirteen and a half feet to a stake on said River, then north with said River to the first station, embracing Lots Nos. [illegible] in Block [illegible] in the plan of said city.
The property will be sold in sub divisions as follows:
1st, Wharf; 2d, House and Lot; 3d, House and Lot; 4th, Corner Lot; 5th, House and Lot.
Terms of sale—One third cash, and balance at one and two years, with interest from day of sale at eight per cent; and right also reserved to reject any or all bids, if price for whole property is not satisfactory. Survey made and plot of the same can be seen on application to Cronly & Morris.
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