WEEKLY STAR, By Mail: One Year \$1.00 Six Months..... 60 Three Months...... 30

The reduction in price will, we are confident, add materially to our already large circulation, thus making the paper more valuable than ever to givertisers.

Our telegraphic news service has recently been largely increased, and it is our determination to keep the STAR up to the highest standard of newspaper excellence.

OUTLINES.

Twelve laborers were buried by the falling walls of a burned building at at Minnneapolis. - Gen. Buckner's majority for Governor of Kentucky is 20,000 to 25,000; the Legislature is largely Democratic. — A crazy Irishman attempted to blow up or burn the British steamer Queen at New York: the damage was slight - A stotm of wind, rain and hail did considerable damage at Louisville, Ky.; five persons were severely shocked by lightning. - The general convention of the Total Absti nence Union of America is in session in Philadelphia. — Five cases of cholera and one death at Malta. -Ker West reports four new cases of vellow fever and one death. - Six men reported killed in an election riot in Clay county, Ky. - The treasurer of the New York Soldiers

in Trigg county, Ky., sank five feet during the earthquake Monday night; the negroes were frenzied with fright; great damage to property is reported. — New York markets: Money easy at 4@5 per cent., closing offered at 4 per cent.; cotton easy at 10@10te; southern flour dull; wheat declined 1@ e: options Mic lower, closing heavy at near bottom prices; No. 2 red August 784 6 794e; corn, No. 2 August 4646474c; spirits turpentine steady at

Home is short \$90,000. - The earth

Me; rosin dull at \$1 021@\$1 10. News from Stanly is looked for in

The cry all around now is "too

The meteoric showers begin about 10th or 11th just.

Virginia wheat is turning out better than was expected.

The heautiful star in the West now--low down--is Venus.

Mr. McKensie reports the Jerome Prince of Germany nearly well.

The Prince of Siam says New York Weather is hotter than in his coun-

Alad named James Martin, aged 17, fell from Brooklyn bridge, N. Y., a distance of 160 feet. He was apparently but little hurt.

Australia is suffering from a genuine rabbit plague. Thus far 7,833, 787 have been killed and the fecund little cotton-tails keep on increasing.

The shooting of young wives is becoming dreadfully common in the North, The N. Y. World of Tuesday reports two. Judge Lynch is

It is indeed very astonishing how many of those connected with the Guiteau trial and who received his low. Since that time he has been an inmalediction have been unfortunate. The list is long.

spectacular show called "Rome Under Nero." It takes 1200 persons to present it, and 12,000 spectators witnessed the exhibition.

The latest important item from Europe is that Mrs. Frank Leslie, widow, will not marry a King in Prospect named Prince George Eristoff. She will not marry beneath "a bigger man" than any petty

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WILMINGTON, N. C., THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 1887.

The English postal system is said to be extremely swift and accurate. But a letter once posted cannot be recovered. The American system is far less swift and much more uncersentence to shovel dirt upon the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. tain. Two letters addressed to this writer failed to come at all, and one posted took several days to make a trip it ought to have made the day it was mailed. The newspaper delivery is worse in some respects. Our New Orleans, Mobile, Louisville, Annis-

There is a vast deal of wild figuring just now about the manufacturered products. Some editors fling around the hundreds of millions just as if they had been Vanderbilt's cashier for one entire season. The total estimate of manufactured products for the South is \$529,835,-000. We hope it is so.

ton, and other exchanges come irreg.

In Hardin county, Ill, they are cursed with the worst sort of Ku Klux. Thus far eight people have been murdered and others warned. They have also warned people in other counties to leave if they would

High Tariff Alabama editors are to hold a convention. The people ought then to assemble in mass meeting in all the counties and go for these advocates of an immoral and unjust system.

In the forties excellent table board and room could be got at the University for about \$11 a month. In those prosperous days "chicken fixings" and eggs were most abundant.

There are five thousand men in the Ohio and Pennsylvania iron mills who are idle, and five thousand more who are expected to retire. They are on a strike that will hardly pay.

Spirits Turpentine,

-- At best a two-thirds tobacco crop is about all that may be expected in

- Winston Monitor: At Jernigan's Neck, in Bertie county, situated midway between Windsor and Coleraine, a dis ease similar to Asiatic cholers is prevailing, and in some cases has proved fatal. -The members of the Baptist Church of Elizabeth City presented to their organist. Mrs. Thompson, a beautiful silver service in appreciation of her efficient services.

- Maxton Union: We were shown a sample of wheat raised by Mr Wm. G. McLean, which was as fine as we have seen for a long time. Mr. McLean is an energetic, progressive farmer, and this shows what all farmers might do. He raised 664 bushels of wheat on 3 acres, - The crops along the line of the C. F & Y. V. Railroad north and south of this place, are looking fine; in fact they are the finest we have ever seen on this line.

- Hon. A. B. Butler, Commissioner of Agriculture for South Carolina, will attend the Grange Encampment at Mount Holly next month. He will deliver an address, the subject of which will be "Cause of general failure on the part of farmers of North and South Caralina to make farming a profitable and pleasant occupation " Dr Charles W. Dabney, of the State Agricultural Department of North Carolina, will also speak on the same sub-

-- Greensboro Patriot: We announce with pleasure to the busy, bustling world, that Greensboro is soon to have a street railway system in active operation. - The dynamo for the electric lights is being placed in position to-day, and the lights will be tested to-morrow. - The Craftsman, published in the interest of the Knights of Labor organization, by Mr. C. F. King, has been removed from Charlotte to Greensboro. — Caswell tobacco sold on this market last week for \$69 per hun-

- Winston Republican: Mr. Wm. L. Myers, living a short distance from Winston, near the Clemmonsville road. has an ingenious brain and is putting it to good account. He has by careful study and experiment discovered a receipt, by the use of which green corn can be placed in glass jars or other vessels and kept for an indefinite period, retaining the greater portion of its original sweetness and substance. His second is an invention in the way of a machine for manufacturing

fertilizers. - New Bern Journal: Nineteen women and thirteen men were sworn as recruits to the Salvation Army last night. The death of Mr. S. H. Roberts's little boy David, which occurred yesterday, was a relief of a sad case of intense suffering. Some two months ago a servant emptied into the cup which the little boy drank coffee from, some dissolved concentrated lye and placed it on the table within the child's reach. Thinking the contents of the cup was coffee he drank it at one swaltense sufferer.

-- Widson Ledger: We saw some growing corn recently which measured Cincinnati is now suffering from a pectacular show called "Rome Undepot and trains are running. The road passes within four miles of Murfreesboro.

-- High Point Enterprise: It is now positively asserted that a branch railroad is to be built to Madison. — Dr. William J. Pickett died here last Monday morning, aged 68 years. The remains were interred at Springfield. Deceased was one of the early settlers in High Point.

- Winston Republican: Dr. Matthews, whose illness was mentioned last week, died on the 21st from the effects of her. As publisher of several New York weeklies and monthlies she is bigger man" than any petty prince in Europe.

week, died on the 21st from the effects of his paralysis. — We learn that the Forsyth Riflemen are negotiating for the vacant lot on Third street, just west of Norfleet's prize factory, upon which to erect an armory building. — A short time before last court a colored man, living near

Winston, upon some pretext, desired to leave his family. Not wishing to incur the expense of a divorce or the risk of leg leave, he deliberately committed petty larceny, for which offence he exchanged his connubial relations for a twelve month

- Wilson Mirror: We are pained to announce that our esteemed friend and popular young townsman, Pat Deans was stricken with paralysis a few days ago. At this writing he is some better. — No. At this writing he is some better. -Johnny, we never heard of a bald headed man being converted in fly time. -The good and estimable wife of the Rev. Mr. Culbreth, died at Toisnot last Thursday. — On a settlement had of the Town Treasurer's accounts, the auditing committee find as of the 4th of June, 1887 -that after the payment of all the debts of the Town, including the purchase price of the market house lot, there is a balance of Eleven Hundred and Eighty-seven Dollars and Ffty-four cents (\$1,187.54).

- B. S. P. in Baltimore Manu facturers' Record: The favorite time for bear shooting is during October and No. vember. Then the berries of the black gum are ripe and very abundant. Bears are very fond of them, and during this pe riod they feed and fatten upon them. The native hunters go for them moonlight nights in their boats, rowing well inshore. with as little noise as possible. When they discover one in a tree "lapping" the berries they land, get under and behind him, if possible, without being discovered and fire. Many of these hunters have had rough scrimmages and some narrow escapes from wounded beasts. Chief among the Nimrods of this region is Wm. H. Basnight, as sturdy and muscular a man as any to be found in North Carolina, and a living testimony of the best kind to the effects of Dare county climate. Mr. Basnight is 46 years of age, and was born and raised near his present home. He looks like a well-to-do active sea captain instead of a store keeping landsman. It is wellattested that this man has killed (slone or assisted by others) 391 bears since he was a boy, and he has had more rough-and tumble encounters with them than any of his fellows. He is quiet, rather reticent, with nothing of the braggart about him, and is highly esteemed all through this county.

Washington Gazette: The military organized last Monday night with a membership of 64, which is expected to be increased to 75 in a few days. Dr. R. E King was elected Captain, Mr. W. A. Jenkins First Lieutenant, Mr. N. Palmer 2d and Dr. P. J. Macon 3d. Mr. Edgar Parker was elected Orderly Seargent - Our friend and neighbor, Mr. W. G. Plummer escaped a horrible death bravery of his fifteen-year-old daughter, Miss Sue. She was milking one of the cows and her father was standing by ber In the pen was a fine three-year-old Jersey bull, which are generally vicious after passing that age. Before he was aware of what had happened, the bull had knocked Mr. Plummer down, from behind and when Miss Suc saw him the enraged autmal was stand over her father with one of his horns on his throat, preparing to goad him. Without a moment's hesitation she seized him by the horns, and with supernatural strength managed to pull the animal's head a little to one side, when Mr Plummer seized him by the nose With nose and horn both they managed to stop him until Mr. Plummer's son Walter, who was in an adjoining lot, ran up and beat him off with a stick.

- Goldsboro Argus; Mrs. Lydia Smith died on last Sunday at her home near Indian Springs, aged about 70 Mr. T. S Piedmont, formerly in the service of the R & D. Railroad at Durham, has been promoted to the position occu pied by Mr. J. M. Hollowell at the company's warehouse in this city. - Mr. J. T. Burch left yesterday for Little Rock, Ark., where he goes to take a position in the express service. The position he held in the express office in this city has been conferred upon Mr. E. E. Howell. Dr. Blacknall's associates in the purchase of the Atlantic Hotel are Messrs Julian S. Carr, of Durham, and A. B. Branch and Edwin Barnes, of Wilson A live team of progressive business men. - The intelligence comes to us of the death of Mrs. Penny Herring, widow of the late Bryant Herring, Esq., and mother of our townsman Mr. James Herring, which sad event occurred at her home, in the 73d year of her age — Mr. Thos. Beard died at his home in this county on last Saturday; he was 95 years old last February, and probably the oldest man in the county. Mr Beard was a soldier in the was of 1812 and drew a pension up to the time of his death, - Rev. John D. Standford is holding a protracted this week at White Hall Presbyterion Church; we understand that at a meeting held by him last week at Cobb's Mills, ten joined the church. -- We regret to learn that Master Frank Sauls, the son of Mr. W. H. Saule, accidently shot himself very painfully on last Satur-day afternoon Our informant says that Master Frank was minding cows and had his gun with him and climbed with his gun up into a tree that was covered with vines; in coming down he set his gun against the tree and it fired, shooting him through the thigh and lodging in his jaw.

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. FREDERICK-A card. MUNSON-Gent's furnishings. C. W. YATES-Always ready. WARREN'S CANDIES-Fresh daily. COLLIER & Co.-Horses at auction.

Small Fire.

The dwelling of Mr. W. B. Davis, corner of Fifteenth and Market streets, was damaged by fire between two and three o'clock yesterday morning. The Fire Department responded promptly to the alarm given from box No. 35, corner of Eighth and Market streets; Wilmington Hook and Ladder No. 1 especially rendering efficient service in extinguishing the flames. The damage is estimated at \$175 to \$200; covered by insurance with Messrs. Atkinson & Manning.

Arrested on Three Warrants.

W. C. Kops, a photographer, was arrested yesterday on three warrants issued at the instance of Elsa Howard, a colored woman, charging him with forcible trespass, slander, and peddling without license. Kops was arraigned before Justice Millis, but a continuance was asked by defendant's counsel until the 10th inst., which was granted by the Justice.

- The committee on rain is reporting very promptly.

- The excursion of Fifth Street Methodist church yesterday was a

great many signers.

- The window frames of the new put in position yesterday.

-- The Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley connection would make business lively in Wilmington.

"Look for the Poor" cannot be published under our rule because, it is unaccompanied with the real name of the author.

tine' column of the STAR the best place to get North Carolina news I know of." writes a subscriber at Beauregard, Miss.

- A colored boy named Sam Larkins, found asleep in the streets and "run in" by the police Tuesday night, was sentenced to ten days' work on the streets at the Mayor's court yesterday.

day. This is the last road in the

mediately repaired.

the bears under control.

- The Clyde steamer Benefactor Capt. Chichester, arrived at her wharf yesterday evening labout seven o'clock. She left New York Saturday last, and encountered rough weather and head winds throughout the voyage, which accounts for the delay in her arrival.

Canoe Race at Masonboro.

There was a canoe race at Masonboro Tuesday afternoon that afforded lots of fun to participants and spectators. Six boats entered for the contest, as follows:

Allie-Capt. J. A. Hewlet. Bertha-Capt. J. Walton. Ida-Capt. Emanuel Holt. Mamie-Capt. Lewis Craig.

The course was from Fowler's Point to the inlet and back, and repeat distance about four miles. The wind was blowing a gale and all the boats were upset. The winning boat, the Wanderer, turned over twice; but she 'got there all the same." The Ripple carried away her bowsprit and jib, but came in second, and the Bertha was third.

Heavy Rain. The rain storm last night was o a phenomenal character. It began about sundown and continued, a steady [down-pour, until after midnight. At 10 p. m. the registered amount of rainfall was 2.87 inches, and at 12 midnight it had reached nearly five inches-since 5.40 o'clock in the afternoon. It is the heaviest

During the rain streets and sidewalks were flooded; the drains in some instances being inadequate to carry off the great volume of water; but no reports of damage were re-

The City Election.

evening 65 had registered in the Second Ward and 93 in the Fourth

It is claimed that the First and Fifth Wards are good for one thousand votes in favor of "subscription." The registrars say that the opponents of "subscription" are beginning to register. The election will be held Thursday, the 11th inst.

The Washouts on the Carolina Central-Damage to Crops by Heavy Rains.

say they have not witnessed such

heavy rains since 1857. Many coun-

ty bridges have been washed away.

Some of them were fine iron struct-

ures. Among them were both the

county bridges at Shelby and nearly

all on the Second Broad River, so

that communication between neigh-

borhoods in that vicinity will neces-

sarily be suspended for several days.

on the low grounds and creek bottoms

has been very heavy, but the upland

crops have not been hurt and are in

splendid condition. The people are

still hopeful and think that on the

whole they will raise more this sea-

son than has been produced in years.

the C. C. road west of Lincolnton,

and the trestle between that place

and Cherryville has been washed

away, so that trains yesterday morn-

ing could only go as far as Lincoln-

ton. Repairs will be commenced as

soon as the back-water from the South

Col. L. C. Jones, the superintend-

ent, happened to be in Rutherfordton

at the beginning of the freshet-the

Colonel is always at the right place

at the right time-and immediately

went to work to get the road in good

condition. The work is progressing

rapidly and everything will be in

readiness for travel in a few days at

the farthest. It is hoped that trains

will be able to go through to-morrow,

There is a puzzle, consisting of six

pieces of wood in the shape of a duo-

decagon at the office of Capt. W. H.

Bixby which has quite a history. It

was made by Mr. J. B. Mercer, of

Lockwood's Folly, and presented to

Capt. Bixby. The wood is cypress,

and was cut out of two large cy-

press stumps which were pulled up

by the Atlas dredging machine, the

Vim, on the 11th of June, from a

depth of 18 feet, while dredging on

Logs and Big Island shoals in the

Cape Fear river, about seven miles

The United States paid \$40.00 each

for the removal of the two stumps,

and according to Capt. McCommell's

estimate it cost the Atlas Dredging

Company \$115.00 to get them up and

remove them to the dumping grounds.

Wm. Jones, colored, was arrested

yesterday charged with the wilful

Jones' better half had a peace war

rant issued for the arrest of Sarah

Mr. H. C. McQueen returned last

Mr. W. Mullins, of Mullins, S. C., is

crops in Columbus county as in fine

condition; cotton, perhaps, growing

The Steamer Benefactor which ar-

rived vesterday from New York,

brought four passengers; Messrs.

W. W. McIlhenny, W. C. Cafferty, F.

A special dispatch to the STAR

from Henderson, says that the local

club of that place beat the Raleigh

team in the game played there yes-

terday. The score was-Henderson 8;

THE MAILS.

The mails close and arrive at the City Post

Raleigh 6:00 P. M. & 8:00 A. h
Southern mails 9:00 P. h
Cheraw & Darlington Railroad and
points supplied therefrom 9:00 P. h
DAILY EXCRPT SUNDAY.

supplied therefrom 6:00 P. M & 5:00 J.

Carriers delivery open on Sunday from 9:00 to

Mail's collected from street bexes in bus

ness portions of city at 5 A.M., 11:00 A.M. and 5:00

P.M.; from other parts of the city at 4 A.M. and

General delivery open from 6.33 A.M. to 7 P.M.

and on Sundays from 9:00 to 10:00 A. M. Stamp Office open from 7.30 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

Money Order and Register Department open 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. continuous.

Smithville...
Wrightsville
TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices
Little River, S. C., and intermediate

night from his trip abroad.

a little too luxuriantly.

L. Stowell and F. Schmidt.

Base Ball at Henderson.

Raleigh 0.

0 :00 A. M.

Office as follows:

below the city.

Magistrate's Court.

complainant.

A Wooden Puzzle with a History.

though it is not yet certain,

fork of the Catawba subsides.

Three washouts have occurred on

The destruction to corn and cotton

The heavy rains up the Carolina Central Railroad, west of Lincolnton, have produced great freshets. Old people in that part of the country

- The petition for the commutation of John Jones' sentence has a

Grace M. E. church building were

- The communication signed

-- "I find the 'Spirits Turpen-

- A day or two since a STAR reporter saw a little child standing on the steps of his father's premises, narrowly escape serious injury from a stone carelessly thrown by a negro

- Rain interfered somewhat yes terday with the work of the street cleaning force, but nevertheless quantities of weeds and trash were gathered up and carted beyond the city

- The Georgetown & Western Railroad, between Georgetown and Lanes, S. C., adopted the standard gauge of four feet nine inches yester-South which had the old gauge of

- Heavy rains are reported on the Albemarle & Raleigh Railroad, and also in the vicinity of Rocky Mount. There was one slight washout near Rocky Mount, on the W. & W. R. R., but the damage at this point was im-

- The Chicago corn bulls couldn't stand the pressure yesterday and the great staple declined one cent. If the dry weather continues in the Northwest prices will be higher, but it will require this stimulus to keep

-- Our rheumatic editor took a turn at walking yesterday with Capt. F. M. James, the noted pedestrian. Distance, 40 yards. Result, a dead heat. The Captain told our rheumatic editor that he would be cured if he would take such a walk every

Ripple-Capt. J. J. Hewlett. Wanderer-Capt. D. George.

rainfall here for years.

ceived.

Registration is picking up a little. Up to the closing hour yesterday

War Department, U.S. Signal Service

U. S. Army.

Division of Telegrams and Reports for the Benefit of Commerce and Agricu.ture.

WHOLE NO. 6509

COTTON-BELT BULLETIN. The following table shows the average maximum and minimum temperature, and average amount of rainfall, at the districts named. Each district includes from ten to twenty stations of observation, and the figures given below are the mean values of all reports sent to each centre of district. Observations taken daily at 6 P. M., 75th meridian time.

August S. 1887-6 P.M.

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Districts.	Status	Max, Temp.	Min Temp.	Rain Fall.
Atlanta	12	92	72	.26
Augusta	11	88	72	50
Charleston	8	88	74	.41
Galveston	21	98	76	.02
Little Rock	15	96	70	.08
Memphis	13	98	72	.01
Mobile	9	96	70	.12
Montgomery	7	90	70	.01
New Orleans	13	94	74	.08
Savannah	12	92	74	39
Vicksburg	4	94	74	.02
Wilmington	10	88	74	68

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for to-day, received at 1 a. m .:

For North Carolina and South Carolina, local rains, variable winds, slight changes in temperature.

Quarterly Meetings Wilmington District, M. E. Church, South. Third round of Quarterly Meetings. Clinton circuit, (D. C.,) at Clinton,

Cokesburg circuit, at McNatt's, August 9-10 Bladen circuit, at Center, August

Smithville circuit, August 13-14. Brunswick circuit, August 17-18. Waccamaw circuit, August 20-21. Whiteville circuit, August 23-24 THOS. W. GUTHRIE, P. E.

Unless your teeth are white as pearls-Unless your mouth is pink and sweet, And your two lips in rosebuds meet; And you cannot supply this want, But through the use of SOZODONT Laughter Lends a New Charm

You can't afford to laugh, dear girls,

to beauty, when it discloses a pretty set of Whiteness, when nature has suptained through life, by using the fragrant

A few drops of "SPALDING's GLUE" on a brush, properly applied, holds like a vise THE FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE OF THE NURSERY.—The following is an extract from a letter written to the German Reformed Messenger,

letter written to the German Reformed Messenger, at Chambersburgh, Penn.: A BENEFACTRESS. Just open the door for her, and Mrs. Winslow will prove the American Florence Nightingale of the Nursery. Of this we are so sure, that we will teach our "Susy" to say. "A blessing on Mrs. Winslow" for helping her to survive and escape the griping, colloking, and teething siege. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syaur relieves the child from pain, and cures dysentery and diarrhosa. It softens the gums, reduces inflammation, cures wind colle, and carries the infant safely through the teething period. It performs precisely what it teething period. It performs precisely what it professes to perform, every part of it—nothing less. We have never seen Mrs. Winslow—know her only through the preparation of her "Soothing Syrup for Children Teething." If we had the saviour to the infant race. Sold by all druggists.

abandonment of his wife. Christian NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Jones. After a hearing before Justice Millis, he was required to give By Collier & Co., bond in the sum of fifty dollars to ap-Auct'rs and Com'n Merch'ts, 24 & 26 N. Water St pear at the next term of the Criminal COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK TO-DAY, WE Court to answer the charge. He furwill sell in front of our Sales Room, 4 good Horses and 1 Dray and Harness. The Horses are not sold for any fault. nished the required security and was

COLLIER & CO.

CARD -AS A DUTY WHICH I OWE TO MY Hill, the alleged cause of the trouble A CARD—AS A DUTY WHICH I OWS TO MY A friends, I would state that the PURCELL HOUSE is closed. The property has changed hands, and there will be a general change in the building. I commenced here with a full house, and two days before closing there was not room for the guests in the hotel and the traveling public. I would express my sincere thanks for the in the Jones family. The justice could find no reasonable grounds for holding the defendant and the latter was discharged at the cost of the very liberal patronage shown me while here; also to the good people of Wilmington for the many kindnesses shown me.

N. FREDERICK. au 41t city papers. Charlotte Chronicle and Raleigh News-Observer will please copy.

Shirts, Collars & Cuffs, THE LARGEST LINE IN THE CITY; NECK-Mr. D. L. Gore returned from wear, Half Hose, Suspenders, Handkerchlefs, Whiteville yesterday. He reports the

> Furnishing Rooms. Always Ready TO RECEIVE CUSTOMERS FOR SCHOOL

Underwear, &c , at

Books, Blank Books, Ink. Pens, Pencils, Wrapping Paper, Grain Bags, Base Ball Supplies, Picture Frames, Hammocks, Croquet, &c., &c. au 4 tf. C. W. YATES.

WARREN'S CANDIES!

Made FRESH DAILY

au 4 tf Pianos.

DROF. R. VAN LARR DESIRES TO ANnounce that he will soon go to New York for the purpose of personally selecting instruments for customers. Our constantly increasing orders attest as to the great success of this plan of obtaining instruments, and the advantages gained are apparent to all thinking people.

The manufacturers carry the largest stock at this season of the year, and by our careful method of testing instruments, we can make method of testing instruments, we can make perfect selections and consequently give entire satisfaction. Orders solicited.

Address all communications and send for circulars to

ANN LAER,

409 Red Cross street,

au 2 2 w tu th sat Wilmington, N. C. Little River, S. C., and intermediate offices. 2.60 P. M.
Cape Fear River mail. 1:00 P. M.
OPEN FOR DELLVERY.
Northern through and way mails. 10:00 P. M.
Southern through and way mails. 6:00 A. M.
Southern, West of Florence. 9.50 A. M.
Carolina Central Railroad. 9:30 A. M. & 9.60 P. M.

Persons Building WILL PLEASE REMEMBER THAT WE ARE putting up Lightning Rods in connection with Roofing. Drive Wells, &c. Don't give your orders to Lightning Rod agents when you can get better work done at lower figures here at home. Call on us for Builders' Hardware of every description.

Dealers in Hardware, Timware, &c., tv 24 U

Contract Advertisements taken at pro

ionately low rates. Ten lines solid Nonparell type make one squar

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Kainit By Auction.

ON THE 27TH INST., (UNLESS CHARGES BE coner paid,) we will sell at our Auction Store at 11 o'clock A. M., so much of the recent impor tation of KAINIT, by the Danish Barque Nord soen, as may be necessary to pay the freight and charges due on that cargo by the owners thereof, say about \$2,210, and the expenses incident n the sale.
POSTPONED UNTIL AUGUST 9.
COLLIER & CO.,

U. S. ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
WILMINGTON, N. C., AUGUST 1ST,
PROPOSALS for furnishing 5000 tons of Stone
for the improvement of the Cape Fear River,
North Carolina, will be received until noon of
September 1st, 1887, and opened immediately
thereafter. Blank forms, specifications and information can be had upon japplication to this
office.

W. H. BIXBY,
Captain of Engineers, U. S. A.
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Carolina Beach.

ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY THE Steamer PASSPORT will leave for Carolina Beach at nine and three o'clock. Returning, Train will leave the Beach at one, ive, and half-past eight o'clock to accommodate passengers wishing to stay over for supper, JOHN W. HARPER, au 2 tf sac Gen'i Manager.

For Rent.

WE OFFER TWO OF THOSE BRICK Dwellings on Dock, between Fourth and Fifth streets, to rent for ensuing year. These houses have been recently put in good condition. Abundant supply of city water, introduced. Each has a good cistern for family use and being centrally located are desirable.

Also house on Fifth street, between Dock and Orange, at present occupied by Sol. Bear, Esq.

Apply to

GEO. R. FRENCH & SONS,

ly 31 tf 108 North Front st.

Dental Rooms.

HAVE MOVED MY DENTAL ROOMS TO NO. 114 PRINCESS STREET, between Front and Second, on South side.

J. H. DURHAM.

New Crop

jy 12 im

A MERICAN GROWN TURNIP SEED. ALL A leading varieties Fall Cabbage and Collard Seed. Your orders solicited. Price, quality and purity guaranteed. Drugs, Chemicals and Druggist sundries. ROBERT R. BELLAMY, Druggist, sundries. ly 24 tff [N. W. Cor. Front and Market Sta

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