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CITY ALMANAC.

Aug. 29, 1873.

Sun rises	5 30
Sun sets	6 31

METEOROLOGICAL.

[REPORTED AT PINK HARDIE'S CIGAR STORE.]

RALEIGH, Aug 29, 1873.

6 a. m.	9 a. m.	12 m.	2 p. m.	4 p. m.
71	73	73	73	75

WEATHER REPORT.

For the South Atlantic States rising barometer, light northwesterly to southwesterly winds and areas of light rain followed by less cloudiness and rising temperature on Friday.

CITY COTTON MARKET.

Reported daily by W. C. Stronach, Grocer and Commission Merchant, Fayetteville Street.

RALEIGH, Aug 27, 1873.

Price of cotton in our market to-day.

At 12 m.	17
At 4 p. m.	
Sales	2 bales.

Market steady.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

YORKTOWN HOUSE, G. W. Blacknall, Proprietor. Thos H Leary, Baltimore; A J Lutterloh, Fayetteville; A K Tenny, city; J D Whitaker, Wake; C B Denson, Pittsboro; [illegible] Cowan, N C; J McCallum, [illegible]; H F Pope, Wake; [illegible] J Young and lady, N C; Mrs Pincord, Ga; A Hamner, Wilmington; James Jones, Harnett; John O. Barham, Petersburg; A B Andrews, N C.

NATIONAL HOTEL, J. M. Blair, Proprietor. Mrs J. M Matthews, child and servant, Fayetteville; Mrs. Banks, Fayetteville; Miss Henderson, Goldsboro; H A Dowe, Chapel Hill; Mrs. Smith, Hertford; Albert Husband, Baltimore; J P Davis, Georgia; G L Hamper, Washington, N C; Dr. P. Rector, U S Army; E J Harper, Portsmouth, Va; Hon W A Smith, Princeton, N C; R Mayo, John Williams and William Jackson, Richmond, Va; Mrs Thompson, Clayton county, N C.

For the Sentinel.

EDUCATIONAL FACTS AND FIGURES TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE PEOPLE OF RALEIGH

The report of the Treasurer for Wake county to the Superintendent of Public Instruction for the school year ending Sept. 30th, 1872, shows, that the school fund of Wake county for that year was $7,478 71, besides the the state and county poll taxes for 1871, which have not yet been paid. Of this scool fund $5,667 75 was disbursed by the county Treasurer in payment of school expenses in Wake county during that school year, of this amount, $135 was paid for white schools in Raleigh township $360 for colored schools, and $709 53 for building a school house.

Raleigh township contains nearly one-third of all the children in Wake county, and is therefore entitled to nearly one-third of the school fund of Wake county.

The school fund of Wake county for the school year, beginning July 1, 1873, will be made up of the following items, to-wit: Seventy-five per cent. of the entire State and county capitation taxes for the year 1871; seventy-five per cent. of the entire State and county capitation taxes for the year 1872, and a property tax in 1872 of six and two-thirds cents on the hundred dollars of property and credits in the county; seventy five per cent. of the entire State and county capitation taxes, and a property tax of eight and a third cents on the hundred dollars' worth of property and credits in the county for the year 1873.

Apportionment of school fund to be paid by State Treasurer to County Treasurer, January 1st, 1874. This fund January 1st, 1873, was $2,262 for Wake county. It is not now known what it will be January 1st, 1874, and is altogether omitted in the estimate which we now make.

I find from the Auditor's Report of 1872, that three thousand five hundred and eleven polls were returned from Wake county, and that the value of all the taxable property and credits in Wake county was $5,769 387.00. The assessment of the present year will, I understand, add at least ten per cent to this valuation. Adopting this return and valuation, and counting seventy-five per cent of the entire State and county capitation at one dollar and a half for each poll, we find,

School poll tax for 1871,	$5,266.50
School poll tax for 1872,	5,266.50
School property tax for 1872,	3,846.25
School poll tax for 1873,	5,266.50
School property tax for 1873,	5,288.59
Total for Wake Co., for 1873,	$24,934.34
One third for Raleigh Township	$8,311.44.

In this estimate I have not included the State apportionment, nor made any allowance for *insolvents*. But making all due allowances, these figures show that the estimate made and published in the papers this morning that the school fund of Raleigh township is *more* than three thousand dollars is not an extravagant estimate. They also show that the school fund is much too large to be wasted. This fund may be supplemented by other funds and by subscriptions and contributions by the people and schools may be established in which the children of Raleigh may be educated. The people of each race should establish a well regulated public school for their own children. This I understand to be the object of the meetings in Metropolitan Hall on the evenings of the 1st and 3rd of September. At each of their meetings, three or five Commissioners or trustees will be appointed to take charge of the school, secure a house or houses, and employ teachers.

ALEXANDER MCIVER,
Supt. Pub. Inst.

VERY SPICY.—It is reported that Whitelaw Reid, of the New York *Tribune*, courted Anna Dickinson, and was refused. Mr. Reid wanted leave to contradict that he had been "flatly jilted." Anna responded thus:

"If I can stand the rumor of such a proposal without a printed murmur, or resentful word to the public, you surely may bear in silence the report of the jilting."

HOME AFFAIRS.

Returned.

Dr. Thos. H. Pritchard, of the First Baptist Church, returned yesterday from Lincolnton.

Held for Postage.

A letter addressed "Sheffield & Stone, St. Louis, Mo.," is held in the city post-office for want of proper postage.

Personal.

Dr. P. Rector, Surgeon U. S. Army, who was for a long time stationed in this city, is a guest at Blair's National. Hon. William A. Smith is also in the hands of Blair.

Meeting Last Night.

The City Commissioners held a regular meeting last night at the Mayor's office. The question of the validity of the deed to the old Fair Ground was finally settled by the commissioners re-signing the same. In our next we will give the proceedings in full.

Of Age.

Without the consent of the Associate, Mr. T. B. Kingsbury, we announce that to-day is his birthday. We suppress his age, but he is something under fifty. He is, at any rate, old enough to be the recipient of some handsome presents which we hope he will receive.

Thanks.

We return thanks to Mr. J. B. Neathery, Private Secretary to the Governor, for the present of a box of London manufactured, "superior adhesive" scarlet wafers. They will be invaluable to us in the compilation of news and other matter, being much cleaner and more convenient than mucilage or paste.

Our Travelling Agent.

Mr. J. A. Jones, Raleigh, will canvass the West in the interest of the SENTINEL. He is duly authorized to collect all moneys due the office, to contract for advertisements and to solicit new subscriptions. Our friends of the West have always stood by and done their part to support the SENTINEL and we hope to be able to make a good report from them again.

Religious Revivals.

Eight persons professed faith in a Baptist revival at Kenansville—meeting still continues.

Twelve converts at a Baptist revival at Bethel, Person county.

Twenty-seven conversions at Porter's Swamp, wherever that is. It is a Baptist Church. These items are taken from reports in the *Biblical Recorder*.

Mayor's Court.

According to the notice previously given in the SENTINEL, the case of Stanley Stevens vs Bettie Stevens was heard before His Honor Mayor Whitaker, yesterday morning. As before stated, they were indicted for an affray. On trial it was proven that Betty was at fault, having assaulted her lord with a pitchfork. His Honor dismissed Stanley, but sent Betty up for fifteen days.

Counterfeit 5 Cent Pieces.

We learn that counterfeit 5 cent nickles have reached this city. The counterfeit consists in the coin having been split, a portion of the genuine metal abstracted, and the vacuum filled with a base metal. From our exchanges we learn that this counterfeit is rapidly spreading throughout the country, leaving us to believe the counterfeiters are doing an extensive business. Look out for them.

Our Subscribers in Granville.

One of the "Sentinel Publishing Company," Mr. John B. Collins, will visit Granville and the adjoining counties for the purpose of collecting such amounts as may be due for subscriptions, advertising and job work. He will make a pretty thorough canvass, and will also solicit subscriptions and job work. We hope all who are indebted to this office will make arrangements at once to settle. There are gentlemen in Granville, as elsewhere, who are owing the office for two, three, and even four years' subscriptions. We urge them earnestly to prepare to settle with Mr. Collins, who will call on them.

The editors ask their friends to make some exertion on the occasion of Mr. Collins' visit to aid him *in extending the circulation* of this paper.

St John's College

We have received the annual catalogue of St. John's College, Annapolis, Maryland, Hon. Wm. Pinkney Whyte, (Governor of Maryland,) President. Among the faculty we note the following distinguished professors: James M. Garnett, Principal; Rev. Dr. C. K. Nelson, Vice Principal; Rev. Julius M. Dorhiell, A. M., Abram Claude, A. M., M. D., and Prof. Jules Leroux. This college was founded in the year 1784, and was handsomely endowed by the State of Maryland. It is pleasantly situated at Annapolis, on the banks of the Severn River, a few miles from the Chesapeake Bay which is in full view. Its buildings are large and well constructed for the accommodation of youth. The grounds afford ample facilities for exercise and the situation is eminently healthy. The next session will commence on Wednesday, October 1st.

FINE CUT.

A good way to get out of a scrape is to let your beard grow.

A country paper says the best "patrons of husbandry" are good wives.

A pure, white vinegar can be made, it is said, from the juice of watermelons.

Billings says the man who thinks he "can't do it" is always more than half right.

Col. Wm. A Allen, of Duplin, whose illness we mentioned a few days ago, we are pleased to say, has entirely recovered.

Mrs. Senator Ransom has been quite ill at the White Sulphur Springs, Catawba county, in this State, but she was somewhat better at last accounts.

On retiring from business, a wise old man said to his son and successor: "Now, my boy, remember that common-sense is the best thing you can bring to bear on every affair of life except love-making."

Lorraine is a new Mohair wool lace, as fine as thread in texture, and filled in by hand. It is very beautiful, and will be largely used this season for trimmings. Collars and pelerines of Lorraine lace will also be used.

Fine Instrument.

Yesterday the proprietor, Maj. J. M. Blair, placed in the parlor of the National Hotel one of Tremaine's Grand Pianos, a magnificent instrument, and one of the finest instruments in the city.

Vacancy Filled.

At the meeting of the City Commissioners held last night, H. T. Clawson was elected to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Commissioner Upchurch. Messrs. Jones, Johnson, Ricks and White voted for Mr. Clawson.

Family Groceries.

Yesterday in passing along market square, we dropped in at the grocery store of Messrs. S. P. & Z. W. Gill, and were plased to note the many improvements recently made. They have a full line of fresh family groceries which they are offering cheap for cash. Give them a call.

Grand Temperance Excursion.

Durham Lodge, Independent Order of Good Templars, through Mr. N. B. Broughton, has tendered us an invitation to participate in the Grand Temperance Excursion from Raleigh to Greensboro' on the occasion of the meeting of the Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., on the 12th of September next. Hon. J. J. Hickman, the great American temperance orator, will address the excursionists on their arrival at Greensboro'. Only one dollar for the round trip—everybody invited to attend, and a gay time anticipated. The train will leave Raleigh at 5 o'clock in the morning and return at 7:30 p. m. Tickets for sale at R. H. Bradley's confectionery store. We return thanks for the invitation and will endeavor to make one of the party.

Fairs for 1873.

As will be seen from the following list, there will be no lack of Fairs in North Carolina during the approaching Fall months. For the months of October and and November Fairs will be held in this State as follows:

The Thirteenth Annual Fair of the North Carolina Agricultural Society will commence in Raleigh on the 13th day of October and continue six days. Ten thousand dollars in premiums will be offered.

Western North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical Fair Association, Salisbury. The third annual fair will commence on the 7th of October and continue four days.

Central Agricultural Society of North Carolina, Henderson. The next fair will commence on the 7th day of October and continue three days.

Roanoke and Tar River Agricultural Society, Weldon. The next fair will commence on the 28th of October and continue four days.

Cape Fear Agricultural Society, Wilmington. The fifth annual fair will commence on the 11th day of November and continued for four days.

Fair of the Carolinas, Charlotte. The third annual fair will commence on the 25th day of November, and continue four days.

The following Fairs of adjoining States takes place in October and November:

Virginia State Agsicultural Society, Richmond, Va. The thirteenth exhibition will commence on the 28th of Sept. and continue four days.

South Carolina State Agricultural and Mechanical Society, Columbia, S. C. The third annual fair will commence on the 4th day of November and continue four days.

Virginia and North Carolina Agricultural Society, Norfolk, Va. The second annual fair will commence October 7th and continue four days.

We thank the Raleigh SENTINEL for its liberal and *honorable* use of our news items, and for its kind words of encouragement.—*Piedmont Press.*

We try invariably to give due credit to our State contemporaries for all the news items we obtain from them. We agree with our contemporary of the *Press* that such a course is "*honorable*."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE SENTINEL.]

Gold closed yesterday in New York at 15 1-4.

Cotton closed in New York: Uplands 20 1-8; Orleans 20 1 2.

A dispatch from Shreveport, La., says the steamer Ruby was swamped yesterday. Crew escaped.

W. W. Howe, of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, has sued New Orleans *Times* for $100,000 damages.

J. H. Rosenguest, cashier of the First National Bank of Tarrytown, N. Y., has committed suicide.

The Wisconsin Republican Convention [illegible] Governor. Resolutions denouncing increase of salary and demand repeal.

The Colonization Society of Port Royal, South Carolina, have entered into a contract with the Italian Labor Exchange of New York City, by which fifty Italians are to be sent to Port Royal each month.

The eastern express train from Columbia, on Wednesday night, collided with the freight train standing on the track 15 minutes behind time at Montville. The engineer of the express was killed and the mail agent and a lady passenger injured.

A Remarkable Story.

From Nelson County we collect the very remarkable story, which if true, should be a warning and a terror to all Sabbath breakers. The *North Ext Georgian* says that on Sunday before last a man living below Scull's Shoals, about [illegible] miles below Athens, went fishing, seating himself on a rock. Not returning home at night, search was made for him, and he was found seated upon the rock, and upon the party requesting him to *get* up and accompany them home, he told them that the Almighty had sent a judgment upon him and he had become a part of the rock and *could not move*. His friends, thinking that he was only jesting, took hold of him and attempted to move him, when he commenced screaming at the top of his voice, and asked them, for God's sake not to attempt to lift him up, as it would murder him. He further informed them that he had been informed by an unseen presence, that, as a judgment for his profanity and Sabbath breaking, he would never be covered from his present seat, but would remain fastened to it all his days, and he would be made to preach his own funeral. The story tells quite greedy, and [illegible] by immense crowds. Several parties from Athens and Winterville went to see him last Wednesday, but have not made known their observations.

Concert at Charlotte.

We learn from the *Observer*, that the concert given by the two North Carolina young ladies at that place for the benefit of the Orphan House at Oxford, was a splendid success. Gov. Vance prefaced the musical entertainment with a brief but admirable address in which was set forth the superior claims which the orphan has upon the charitable consideration of us all. At the same time the Governor took occasion to pay a merited compliment to each of the young ladies who have so commendably waived every consideration of personal convenience and fatigue which the successful accomplishment of this laudable object necessarily imposes.

Of the fine singing the *Observer* says:

Her voice is a truly magnificent one, having few equals in the country, and a little more judicious training is only necessary to enable her to become one of the best singers in the whole country. Suffice it to say for the present that she is rapidly fulfilling the predictions of friends, who confidently expect her to accomplish something great.

It also pays a high and deserved compliment to the other young lady, remarking that "while her pretensions to vocal music are perhaps excelled by her superiority as an instrumental performer, is nevertheless a capital singer and withal a general favorite wherever she is known. We may safely venture the assertion that no young lady in the State has more sincere friends or warmer ones than she has."

It well says too that the generous hearts of these young ladies are warmly enlisted in the noble work, and that their practical charities will render their names forever dear to many a friendless orphan.

Several *amateur* performers rendered valuable assistance to the *stars* of the evening.

Education in Robeson County.

The following extract from a letter written to the Superintendent of Public Instruction by the chairman of the Board of Examiners, D. C. McIntyre, indicates the work of the Examiners in that county:

"We are carrying out your instructions to the letter. Several applicants who were at first rejected, return, and, on re-examination, are found to have improved one hundred per cent., and receive certificates. A great clamor is raised by those who are rejected. When, however, any apply a second time and receive certificates, they are well pleased and say 'don't let down a peg.'

Robeson county will soon stand where she stood twelve years ago—No. 3, in her standard of education in the State. I have been on the Board of Examiners almost constantly for nearly twenty years. A teacher holding a certificate in this county can pass anywhere in the State. A high standard will drive out the teaching talent in the county. We will have a supply of competent teachers. Your instructions are right and proper."

STATE NEWS.

The Presbyterian ladies of Hillsboro will give a festival on 29th, says the *Recorder*. Also on September 4th and 5th, the ladies of Hillsboro will give a series of Tableaux.

A desperate fight took place in Charlotte between Capt. J. R. Ivey, a freight Conductor and Van Galloway, a brick mason. Ivey was thrown down a flight of steps and had two arms broken, says the *Observer*.

A daughter of Mr. John Jordan, died suddenly on Friday about 9 o'clock p m. from sun stroke. She was between five and six years old. We extend our sympathies to the bereaved parents.—*Hillsboro Recorder.*

FIRST CO-OPERATIVE STORE.—A sale of stock in the First Co-Operative Store took place yesterday at $37 50 per share, the par value being $25. This is a good and secure way to this useful and popular institution to be on the high road to prosperity.—*Wil. Star.*

SUDDEN DEATH.—We learn that Mr. Turner Bass, of this county, who has been unwell for some time, was sitting in a chair at his house one day last week, when he suddenly dropped dead, falling out of his chair. His family has the sympathy of a number of friends. Life is uncertain—death is certain.—*Roanoke News.*

ACCIDENT IN RANDOLPH COUNTY.—Mr. Thomas C. Dixon of Alamance county, while at work at Long's Mill in Randolph county, fell from a scaffold to the rocks in the bed of the stream below, breaking his right arm and thigh, and sustaining other very serious injuries. His situation was critical, at last accounts.—*Hillsboro Recorder.*

A fashionable lady from the East, visiting Hickory, inquired at Ellis & Shuford's dry goods store for a piece of goods of the "slumbering shade." The clerk replied that he had none in the store, but he believed there were several pieces snoring at the depot. Was not "Dink" equal to the occasion?—*Piedmont Press.*

Nine insurance agents, six drummers, four washing machine agents, two pianoteners, five sewing machine agents, fourteen men wearing green goggles and cork hats, and when last counted, twenty-three bible agents in town; (the latter were fiercely attacked by bed bugs and driven out of town.)—*Piedmont Press.*

TOBACCO.—We learn the recent rains have been the making of the tobacco crop on Flat river, Orange county, planters who considered the tobacco crop almost a failure during the recent drought, now say the crop will be very good. In some portions of Granville, though, they have had too much rain and tobacco is seriously injured.—*Durham Tobacco Plant.*

MEETINGS.—The Western Baptist Convention meets at Waonesville, Haywood county, on Thursday before the fourth Sunday in September, (25th.) R. H. Lewis, Secretary, Hendersonville.

[illegible] combe county, 16 miles west of Asheville, on the stage road to Wayesville, Friday before the first Sunday in September, N. Brown, Clerk, Hendersonville.

We are requested to give notice that J. W. Norwood, one of the Senators from the 20th Senatorial District has authority to nominate one deserving young man from said district who is pecuniarily unable to obtain a medical education, as a beneficial student in the Louisville Medical College, Ky. This is a rare opportunity for a deserving young man to get a medical education, any one desiring the place will immediately communicate with Mr. Norwood.—*Hillsboro Recorder.*

A MODEL R. R. CONDUCTOR.—Several weeks ago, a certain conductor ("what was") on the W. N. C. R. R. is reported as having forbidden honeymoon "biling and cooing." Observing a bridgroom's arm out of place, he forbade further demonstrations. "But I have a right to hug her." Not on a railroad," said the conductor: "there is a law against all unjust discrimination on railroads, and as I havn't a woman for each man on the train to hug, your action is in violation of the law, and must be stopped, or go in the second car."—*Piedmont Press.*

MAJORITIES FOR AMENDMENTS.—In fifty-four counties heard from, the majority for the amendment relating to the Public Debt is 24,900. This would indicate a majority of 41,500 for the entire State. The same counties give 14 000 majority for the amendment relating to Exemptions. This is equivalent to 24,000 in the whole State.

We have taken these two amendments, as the majorities for them are probably the highest and the lowest of the eight voted for.—*Newbern Journal of Commerce.*

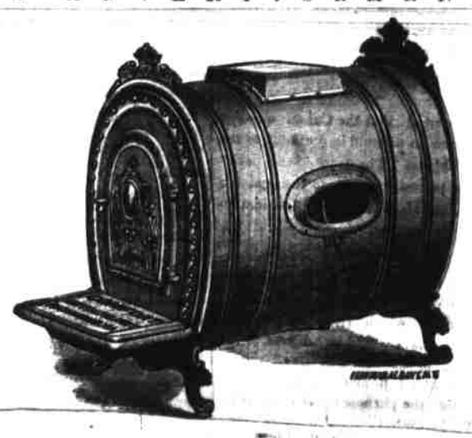
KIRK A DESERTER FROM THE U. S. ARMY.—With all this miserable ruffian's faults we had given him credit for being at least true to the Federals in the late war, but Colonel Grayson, late of the 4th Tennessee (Federal) troops, informed us last week that Kirk was a deserter from his regiment and it would appear so on the muster roll. So it be seen that Grant will reward even deserters from the U. S. A. if they are of the right politics.—*Piedmont Press.*

The Rev. Thaddeus Troy, of Greensboro', a brother of the Senator from Cumberland and a minister of the Methodist church, is spending the summer at Flower's Springs, seven miles from this place. Mr. Troy organized a school soon after his arrival from among the poor children of the neighborhood and has been teaching them gratuitously ever since. This is true generosity. Would that every neighborhood had such a "summer resorter" as the So. Mo. people call them.—*Piedmont Press.*

Rev. P. A. Strobel, District Superintendent of the American Bible Society for State, makes the following appointments:

Wilkesboro, Sunday,	"	31
Sparta, Tuesday,	September	2
Jefferson, Thursday,	"	5
Boone, Friday,	"	6
Bakersville, Sunday,	"	7
Burnsville, Yancey Co., Tuesday		9
Marshall, Thursday,	"	11
Asheville, Sunday,	"	14
Waynesville, Tuesday,	"	16
Webster, Thursday,	"	18
Franklin, Sunday,	"	21
Hayesville, Tuesday,	"	23
Murphy, Thursday,	"	25
Brevard, Wednesday,	October,	1
Hendersonville, Friday,	"	
Rutherfordton, Sunday,	"	9
Marion, Tuesday,	"	7

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS



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ONLY BURNS 2 CORDS WOOD IN A WINTER.

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MARKETS.

Noon Report.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.

Cotton irregular, sales 3707; Uplands 20 1-8, Orleans 20 1-2; Futures opened as follows: August 19 31-32 to 20 1-4, Sept. 18 13-32 to 18 7-16, October 17 13-16 to 17 27-32, December, 17 5-16.

Flour unchanged; wheat quiet without a decided change; corn dull—steam western mixed 54 to 57; pork dull and in buyers favor—new 17.80; Lard firm—old steam 8 1-2; turpentine 43 1 2 to 44; rosin quiet at 3.00 to 3 05 for strained.

Stocks dull; gold 15 1-4; money 5 to 6; exchange—long 8 1-8, short 8 7-8; governments dull: tate bonds quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 28.

Cotton firm—uplands 8 7 8; Orleans 9 1-8; sales 15,000; speculation and export 3,000 Savannah and Charleston October and November delivery, not below ordinary.

LATER—Cotton Upland delivery for October and November on the basis of good ordinary 8 11 16 Savannah and Charleston new crop basis good ordinary 8 1-2 to 8 5-8. Sales American 7 200.

Midnight Report.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.

Cotton—Net receipts 181 bales. Gross 181. Futures closed steady. Sales 19,100. August 20 5-16@20 3 8, September 18 15-32; October 17 13-16; November 17 3-8 to 17 7-16; December 17 5-16.

Cotton quiet and firm. Sales 5,111 bales at 21 1-8 to 21 1-2. Flour in moderate request and unchanged. Whiskey, fair enquiry at $1.10. Wheat 1 and 2 cents higher, offerings light. Corn—common and inferior good supply, heavy prime scarce; white western 66 to 67. Pork weak, new $17.75 to $18.00. Lard active and easier at 8 7-16. Turpentine weak. Rosin firmer at $3.10. Tallow quiet. Freights activer.

Money abundant at 4 to 5 Sterling advanced to 8. Gold 15 1-4 to 15 3-8. Governments dull with slight advance. States quiet and nominal.

NORFOLK, Aug. 28.

Cotton dull; middlings 18; net receipts 538; exports coastwise 585; sales 40; stock 1115.

WILMINGTON, Aug. 28.

Cotton firm; middlings 18; net receipts 9; stock 649.

Spirits turpentine steady at 40; rosin steady at 2.50 for strained; 375 for extra pale: crude turpentine quiet at 2.00 for hard, 3.35 for yellow dip and virgin; tar quiet at 2 85.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 28.

Cotton quiet; middlings 19 1-4; net receipts 12; gross 93; exports coastwise 62; sales 207; stock 1165.

Petersburg Tobacco Market.

The offerings were again light on Wednesday, and with a better demand from both manufacturers and shippers, prices were decidedly better, particularly for the good grades of dark rich tobacco. Fine bright grades are still very scarce and will bring high prices when offered. We quote:

Lugs $6.00 to $8.00, working lugs $6.50 $8 25; shipping leaf, common to very good, $9 to $13; fine $13.00 to $14.00; filler leaf, common to good, $8 50 to $10; very good $10.50 to $11.50; dark strong waxy leaf, (husky fired,) suitable for black work $9.75 to $14 for common to fine; coal cured wrappers $15 to $73; nondescript leaf $8.50 to $11.00. Mouldy, warm and funked tobacco is selling very low.

AUCTION SALES.

SATURDAY AUG. 30, 1873.

Will be sold at Towles' Auction Warehouse on Wilmington Street, sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

A collection of fine Furniture and Household articles, Feather Bed, Mattresses, &c.

Readymade Clothing and general merchandise.

One excellent Refrigerator, Cooking Stores and Iron Bedsteads.

aug 30 2t JAMES M TOWLES, Auctioneer

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NATIONAL HOTEL.
RALEIGH, N. C.
I want to employ four No. 1 Dining Room Servants.
aug 29-tf J. M. BLAIR, Proprietor.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.
From my premises, near the city of Raleigh, one MEDIUM SIZED BLACK MARE MULE in good order and between 7 and 10 years old, mane and tail roached. Was bought by me from the neighborhood of Durham last January and may have strayed to her old range. A liberal reward will be paid for any information leading to the recovery or delivery of the same to the undersigned, or to John or T. P. Deveneux, or to P. C. Cameron, of Hillsboro.
MRS. GEORGE W. MORDECAI.
aug 29-1w

MOUNTAIN BUTTER.
At 30 cents per pound,
At J A JONES' Grocery Store,
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CHEESE VERY FINE
At J A JONES' Grocery Store.
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and soon as we can get them we will have them.
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BEST TEAS AND COFFEES ON HAND.
W H JONES & Co.
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At $1 per Bushel.
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HOUSE and lot on Wilmington Street adjoining Cooks Hotel. House has 6 Rooms, large Garden and Well good Water on the lot.
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I have this day bought of Mr. A. F. Page his entire interest in the above business, and am prepared to fill orders on short notice, and at prices as low as any in the country to prompt payers. Orders respectfully solicited. Send for prices.
Aug. 5, 1873 W. M. JONES, Cary, N. C.
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Aug. 25, 1873. A. F. PAGE
aug 27-d&w3m

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.
Tax payers of the City of Raleigh are notified to come forward and pay their taxes for the year 1873 at once, time for collection expiring September 1st.
FRANCIS M. SORRELL, Collector.
aug 26-t18ept

FOR SALE OR RENT BALANCE OF THE YEAR.
The large "Shepard House" and lot, at the head of Hillsboro' street, fronting the Capitol. The house contains nine rooms, conveniently arranged. There is about one acre of ground attached, good garden and flower yard in front. The lot is in one of the most desirable locations in the city.
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Will be opened on October 1st next, J. P. Thomas, Sup't., assisted by Gen. D. H. Hill and other competent instructors. Terms moderate. For further information apply to the undersigned for circular.
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Miss Chaffee and Miss Hamersley, Principals, assisted by able Professors. Next session opens September 10th. Course of studies extensive, comprising all branches of a polite education. French is the language of the School. Class honors awarded at the close of the year.
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aug 19 d1m

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july 12 d&w2m