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No mails are received or sent on Sunday, and office will not be opened on that day.

W. W HOLDEN, P. M.

WEATHER REPORT.

WASHINGTON, July 31, 1873.

For Friday in the Gulf and South Atlantic states southwesterly winds, high temperature, partially cloudy weather and local storms

METEROLOGICAL.

REPORTED AT PISK HARDIE'S CIGAR STORE.

RALEIGH, July 31, 1873.

7 a. m.	9 a. m.	12 m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.
78	85	88	88	82

CITY ALMANAC

July 31, 1873.

Sun rises	5 08
Sun sets	7 04

CITY COTTON MARKET.

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

RALEIGH, July 30, 1873.

Price of cotton in our market to-day:

At 12 m.	17¾
At 4 p. m.	"
Sales	35 bales.

Market steady.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CITY HOTEL—*J. B. Bryant, Proprietor.*—John T Ball, Route Agent A A L R R; W P Norwood, P M Stuard, J Adams, Clayton; J C Williams, Dr W Williams, Wake; Dr J N Harper, Va; R H Penny, Holly Springs; H C Olive, Apex; J H Renfrow, N. C.

YARBOROUGH HOUSE, *G. W. Blacknall, Proprietor.*—H M Lanier, Baltimore; Dr J E Mayler, Petersburg; G C Battle, Edgecombe; R W Kernodle, Gibsonville; M C McNamara, Plymouth; E G Blacknall, Kittrell; Wm Snowball, Ore Hill; J A Norris, R J Ivory, Wake; W A Graham, Hillsboro; R A D Graham, Charlotte; Thos W Pearce, Norfolk; Wyatt H Cardwell, Va; C B Denson, Pittsboro.

NATIONAL HOTEL—*J. M. Blair, Proprietor.*—F P Haywood, Route Agent; R W Hamlet, Graham; W S Guthrie, Boston; W B Richardson, Jr., Va; J Sanders, Wilson; George Harris and wife, Wilmington, six children and two servants; John S Black, Duplin co; R P Adams, Boston; J D Cameron, Hillsboro; Miss Jackson, Alabama; R L Simpson, Warren county.

STATE NEWS.

MURDER IN BERTIE.—Dennis Brown and Ben Smallwood escaped from Bertie jail on the night of the 23d, and killed a colored man in his own house. A posse was called out to pursue the murderers.

The Executive Committee of the State Educational Association have determined to issue a monthly periodical to be known as the *Educational Journal*, which, as the organ of the association, will be devoted to the educational interests of the State.

ROW AT ENFIELD.—On Sunday last several negroes made a dastardly attack on one Mr. Marshall who succeeded in prostrating two or three of them when the others ran off. Pursuit was given and several shots fired at the retreating rascals but they eluded the vigilance of the authorities by making a rapid exit in a horse-cart.—*Weldon News.*

AN EGG WITHIN AN EGG.—We saw yesterday a tiny, but very well developed egg not larger than that of a cat-bird, which was found yesterday in the yolk of a hen's egg. The discovery was made by a lady, who was engaged at the time in making a cake, and who, as she broke one of the eggs, discovered this little fellow floating in the yolk. This egg within an egg has been turned over to the Library Museum.—*Wil. Journal.*

FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY.—From parties who arrived here yesterday on the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta railroad we learn that a fatal shooting affray occurred at Marion, S. C., on Monday last, Thomas Hughes and Ap. Johnson, two white men of that place, got into some difficulty, which finally resulted in Hughes shooting Johnson and instantly killing him.—*Wil. Star.*

Castellar's new book upon "Old Rome and New Italy," just translated into English, is pronounced by the *Athenæum* a great literary success. "There are innumerable works, in all languages, which point out the antiquities and the historical vicissitudes of Rome, but there is none which describes the varying aspects of Italian life more vividly in a few chapters."

Mr. Skeat has issued for his English Dialect Society, which now has over 120 members, a set of "Rules and Directions for Word-Collectors," with Mr. A. J. Ellis' remarks on "Varieties of English Pronunciation," and "English Glossic," a new system of spelling, that is intended to enable students to register all the peculiarities of dialectal pronunciation, without using other letters than those of our ordinary alphabet.

Mrs. Pender Godlip (Annie Thomas,) known chiefly in literature for her vivacious novels, is the writer engaged on a memoir of the late Mr. James Hannay.

HOME AFFAIRS.

Crops in Chatham.

From a letter received from a subscriber in Chatham, we learn that the prospects for a fine cotton crop in that section are good, and that it is generally the case all through that section of country.

Gen. D. M. Barringer.

This gentleman, we regret to learn is still in very feeble health. He left yesterday morning, for the White Sulpher Spring, Greenbrier county, West Virginia, where he will remain a month or six weeks.

Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1.

Members of this company are reminded of their regular monthly meeting this evening at 7½ o'clock. They are notified to meet with caps and belts, as, at the close of the meeting, the company will parade for drill. The Citizens' Cornet Band will be in attendance.

Office of Superintendent of Public Works.

One of the amendments to be voted on in August abolishes the office of Superintendent of Public Works. Who can object to this except the incumbent?—*Plant.*

At a salary of $50 per annum we think there will be no great objection even from the incumbent.

The Ringing of the Bell.

As the ten-hour system goes into operation to-day, the hours for the ringing of the city bell are changed. Hereafter it will ring as follows: At 7 a. m., 12 m., 1 p. m., and 6 p. m.

Personal.

Mr. Geo. Harris and family, ten in number, from Wilmington, arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, and have taken rooms at the National Hotel. We welcome our Wilmington friends to the City of Oaks, and would be glad to share its beauties and pleasures with as many more.

New Map.

Mr. Fendal Beavers, the county surveyor, has just completed and delivered at the Mayor's office, a large map of that portion of the city north of Hargett street. The map is beautifully executed, and the cemeteries, colleges and seminaries, railroads and new streets are very accurately located.

Religious.

Rev. W. H. Bobbitt, Presiding Elder of the Raleigh District, North Carolina Conference, will hold the third quarterly meeting, for the present year, for Edenton Street Church, on to-morrow and Sunday. According to custom, a love feast will be held at the church this evening at 8½ o'clock.

Dry Enough.

While we are suffering for rain in Raleigh, a gentleman from the country informs us that six miles west of the city there was a good rain Wednesday night, and on Sunday evening they had a real summer shower. It rained hard for an hour and most of the time the sun shone brightly. An old negro, who is over pious, says "the town is so wicked it won't rain."

Primary School.

We direct the attention of our citizens to the advertisement of Miss Lou Stewart's Primary School for small boys and girls. It affords us pleasure to recommend this young lady to the favor of our citizens. She is a lady of finished education and has had large experience in the training of boys and girls. Her school, which begins on Monday, August 4th, is situated in the Western Ward, near the Deaf and Dumb Institution.

Crops in Granville

We are glad to know that the people of Granville have been visited recently with some most refreshing rains. Crops are very much improved. Corn and cotton are doing first rate. The oat crop turned out at least to be quite up to the average for the last three years. Tobacco is doing well, although not more than half a crop has been planted. From Henderson to Raleigh the crops are as good as we remember to have seen them. A good rain fell yesterday at several points on the Raleigh and Gaston road.

Davis' Hotel, Kittrell.

The Associate had the pleasure of dining yesterday at the test hotel, as he sincerely believes, in North Carolina. At any rate, after having visited nearly all of our larger towns (we have but one city,) he gives it as his opinion that the hotel at Kittrell Depot, under the management of Mr. Davis, is the most admirably kept caravansary at which he has been entertained. It is as neat as the neatest private residence when presided over by the most fastidious and elegant lady. The table contains every delicacy that the wayfaring man can desire, served in the most admirable style. Now reader, if you suppose for one moment that we are drawing a long bow, the first time you pass up the Raleigh and Gaston road, try one of Mr. Davis' dinners, and you will admit that we are a good judge of something to eat. If that delightful old braggadocio, Sir John Falstaff, could return to this world in which he once had his share of good things, and could spend a few days at the Kittrell Depot hotel, he would be for remaining and "taking ease in mine inn," the remainder of Mr. Davis' hotel career.

FINE CUT.

Light shower yesterday.

The city is quiet and business dull.

The market house needs cleaning up.

There were 17 ox-cart loads of wood brought to the city yesterday.

Sewing machine agents are again interviewing the ladies at their residences.

The pavement in front of the store of S. D. Waitt is undergoing much needed improvement.

Enfield is now competing for the possession of the most curious egg extant.

North Carolina had two Major-Generals and six Brigadier-Generals killed in the late war.

During the month of July there were 107 deeds and mortgages registered in the office of the Register of Deeds.

There was shipped from Durham by Railroad, from January 1st to July 1st 1,345,827 pounds of tobacco.

In Durham young gentlemen are not allowed to sit in the same pew with the ladies they escort to chulch. No comment.

A selection of sacred songs recently printed in London is called by the *Athenæum* "borrowed plumes from the cemetery-going hearse."

Manganese is spoken of as a substitute for nickel, the high and increasing price of the latter metal making its use extensive.

Returned.

After an absence of over ten days the Associate is again at his post. He hopes to contribute his share in furnishing pleasurable entertainment to the many readers of the SENTINEL. He has not seen any of the exchanges save the *News*, which is kindly sent to his family at Oxford. So it will require a day or two to catch up. Elsewhere he furnishes a few items for these columns. In our next number he will resume his regular editorial duties. He is glad to know that the paper has suffered so little from his absence. The Senior has been doing unusual service, and our efficient local, Mr. Hampton, has had his hands more than full. The reader will bear witness to the fidelity and success with which he has labored.

Wesleyan Male Academy.

We direct attention to the advertisement of the Wesleyan Male Academy to be found in another column. The Principal, Rev. R. S. Trawick, has secured the services of Mr. Eugene E. Gray, of Winston, N. C., as assistant. This step was rendered necessary to meet the increasing patronage of the school as well as to accomplish the ends Mr Trawick has in view. He is determined to so elevate the standard of scholarship as to make his school second to none. Mr. Gray is a young gentleman of talent and high literary culture. He recently graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, at Emory and Henry College, Virginia, and was distinguished for proficiency in all of his studies, particularly in mathematics, in which branch he took the highest honors in his class.

Marriages in July.

The following parties were joined in holy wedlock in this county during the month of July. The clerk suggests that the high state of the mercury has affected the matrimonial market—there being only 5 white and nine colored couples.

WHITE.

Wm. T. Bisle and Annie S. Irelan.
Presley Carroll and Lorinda Hale.
James Surry and Joanna Morgan.
Edward Moss and Mary A. Horton.
W. T. McCraw and Mary A. Good.
W. Scarbrough and Julia A. Bass.

COLORED.

Geo. Davis and Jane Littlejohn.
Cain Hunter and Frances Simmons.
Bryant Johnson and Ellen Johnson.
Silas Jeffreys and Geneva Hunter.
Lucas Lovitt and Maggie Smith.
Robert McLean and Hezekiah Holloman.
Anderson Nelson and Virginia Morgan.
Anthony Pope and Lizzie Moore.
Jim Smith and Maria Saunders.

Conservative Meeting in Cary Township.

According to previous notice a number of the Conservative voters of Cary Township met at the town of Cary on Wednesday the 30th inst., for the purpose of selecting candidates to fill the various offices in the township.

A. H. Merritt, Esq., was chosen to preside and W. E. Pell was requested to act as Secretary. Jas. R Page explained the object of the meeting. At the close of his remarks the following ticket was placed in nomination.

For Magistrate—Jas. R. Page, G. G. Maynard and J. P. H. Adams.

School Commissioners—A. D. Yates, W. M. Sorrell and Joseph Stradman.

Constable—Kinyon Jones.

Township Clerk—H. B. Jordan.

The meeting adjourned.

Our correspondent at Cary says:

"Gilbert, the radical nominee for the Legislature, was advertised to speak here on the 29th, but he did not make his appearance, and it is well that he did not unless he is fond of addressing invisible spirits. George H. Snow, Esq., is announced to speak here on next Tuesday, August 5th."

Meeting of City Commissioners.

On Wednesday evening last the city commissioners held their regular monthly meeting at the Mayor's office.

The following members were present: Messrs. Ellison, Gorman, Johnson, Prairie, Ricks, Upchurch and White, Mayor Whitaker presiding.

A petition from A. Williams, asking for the refunding of over-paid taxes was read, and, on motion, referred to the Mayor and the Clerk for adjustment.

The petition of the Street Commissioner for a horse and wagon for his personal use, was read.

Mr. Upchurch moved that the petition be granted.

Mr. Prairie called the yeas and nays, and the petition was granted—Messrs. Ellison, Johnston, Gorman, Ricks and Upchurch voting yea, and Messrs. Prairie and White voting nay.

Mr. Gorman, the chairman of the committee appointed to investigate the account of the late city treasurer, M. W. Churchill, reported. The report was not as explicit as desired and it was ordered that Mr. V. Ballard be requested to furnish a balance sheet of the accounts.

The accounts of the salaried officers, policemen and street hands were allowed.

A special meeting was ordered for Monday night the 4th inst., for the purpose of electing officers.

Mr. Gorman moved that the board of city assessors be directed to assess the property on Harrington street and Smithfield road and report at the next meeting of the commissioners. Adopted.

The chief of police was ordered to notify the board of assessors when to meet and make said assessment.

Mr. Ellison moved that the property on Peace street owned by Mr. Martin be condemned. (The object in moving the property is to make room for a side walk.)

Mr. D. L. Royster presented a petition requesting permission to cut down a tree on Hargett street, near the Barringer building. Granted.

The city Attorney made the following report:

To the Mayor and Board of Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN:—As the Attorney for the city of Raleigh, from May 1872 to May 1873, I have the honor to make the following report of services rendered the city during that time:

1. An opinion in reference to the power of the city to tax personal property.
2. An opinion in reference to the power of the city to pay assessors to value property condemned for city purposes.
3. Drafting release from W. V. Clifton to the commissioners upon the Western Basement room.
4. Drafting lease of Basement to Miller & Nelson.
5. Opinion in reference to the power of W. V. Clifton to sub-let Western Basement of Market House.
6. Opinion in reference to the power of the city to have a stable torn down on Wilmington street.
7. Drafting form of deed to be used in conveying burial lots in colored cemetery.
8. Writing renewal of lost bond to J. W. B. Watson.
9. Writing bond from J. W. B. Watson to city indemnifying the city against the recovery of said lost bond.
10. An opinion in reference to the power of the city to tax A. W. Phripps' billiard table.
11. Arguing case before Judge Watts—R. S. Pulles *et al* vs. City of Raleigh, in January, 1873.
12. Arguing same case in Supreme Court, June Term, 1873.
13. To classifying city ordinances and superintending their publication.
14. An opinion in reference to taxation after the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Pullen vs. the city.

The suits by the city in the Superior Court and those against the city, have been entangled since they were instituted. The crowded state of the docket prevents a trial, and until the cases are decided and the docket reduced, the causes referred to must be continued from term to term.

The amended copy of the charter is in process of preparation, and will be completed at the earliest possible moment.

Very respectfully,
J. C. L. HARRIS.

The Board adjourned to meet again on Monday the 4th.

In Error

Mr. Wynne, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, whose article, in vindication of the county commissioners, appears in this issue of the SENTINEL, is in error when he says the SENTINEL gave publicity to the following:

"According to a statement, heretofore published by the Board of Commissioners, it was made to appear that the sheriff was in default to the amount $38,319.17, when in fact the amount of the sheriff's indebtedness was but $31,670.22. Of this amount there is now due from the people of Wake county over $5,000.

If the gentleman will examine our files he will find that we have never published anything of the kind. We simply stated that the taxes for eighteen hundred and seventy-two had been settled. The statement in the SENTINEL was made on the authority of two persons who were in a position to know the facts.

Tickets! Tickets!! Tickets!!!

Remember we furnish tickets for or against Amendments at the small price of 50 cents per thousand.

For the Sentinel.

MESSRS. EDITORS: Allow me space in the SENTINEL to return thanks to the citizens of Raleigh, white and colored, and especially to the whites, for their liberal contributions to the missionary cause.

Being appointed by the Conference of the A. M. E. Church, for the sole benefit of the State, as traveling missionary agent to assist in building up the waste places of our Lord's vineyard, I am, sir,

Most respectfully yours,
HENRY SWAIN.

Oxford.

The health of this town has improved. Messrs. Horner & Graves' school opened this week, and up to Wednesday some sixty pupils had entered. The prospect for an unusually large attendance is excellent. We have heard an old adage that runs, "You'd better let well enough alone."

The Seminary for young ladies, under the management of Miss Mitchell and Mrs. Grant, daughters of the late Rev. Dr. Elisha Mitchell, a name held in reverence throughout North Carolina, opened on Wednesday. Oxford is proud, and has a right to be proud, of these two excellent institutions. Oxford has other schools for smaller children that are good.

The Oxford Home is prospering under the judicious management of J. H. Mills, Esq., and his assistants, and is thus far well sustained. Let the people of the whole State take this noble charity in hand, and make it the home of hundreds of helpless orphan children. We believe there are now sixty-five or seventy children in attendance.

Rev. Edward Gilliam, of Jackson, with his family, is spending the heated term with his mother. We regret to learn that he will leave in a few weeks for Texas, where he has had a flattering call to take charge of an Episcopal church.

LETTER FROM EUROPE.

LEEDS, ENGLAND, July 16th, 1873.

EDITORS SENTINEL:—I spent Tuesday at Abbotsford, Scotland, the home of Sir Walter Scott. Abbottsford itself is a castelated mansion, and possessing little claim to attract, beyond the interesting associations with which it is replete as the home of "the author of Waverly." Yet are there some things, even in the quaint architecture, worthy of notice as being an ingathering of what is interesting and beautiful elsewhere. Thus we have a gateway after the gateway at Linlithgon Palace, Oak wood from Holywood Palace, a roof from Roselyn Chapel, sculptured stones from Ancient Selkirk, a mantlepiece from Melrose Abby, and a doorway from the Old Tolbooth, of Edinburgh. The floor of the entrance hall is of black and white marble from the western flanks, and the walls panelled with richly carved oak from Dunfermline Palace. The armory displays, interesting relics of many a hero famous in Scottish story, especially of those who were more immediately connected with the Scotts, who were distinguished in the border warfare of an olden time. The dining room with its black oak roof, gothic furniture, portraits of Essex, Cromwell, Claverhouse, Charles XII, Charles II, Queen Mary's head etc., is interesting as the room where the great author breathed his last. The breakfast room commands a beautiful view of the Tweed below, and the vale of Ettrick and Yarrow beyond, and is hung around with many exquisite drawings of Turner and Thompson, designed for the "Provincial Antiquities of Scotland." The drawing-room, cased with cedar, contains, among other curiosities in beautiful furniture, the ebony chairs presented by George IV.

The Library, containing about 20,000 volumes, comprises many curiosities of Ancient literature; is also interesting as containing Chantry's bust of Sir Walter, a silver urn, presented by Lord Byron, an ebony writing desk presented by George III., and two carved chairs, presented by the Pope. Passing hence through the study to the closet adjoining, we are shown some of the body clothes worn by Sir Walter.

Across from Abbottsford, below the junction of the Gala, in the vale of the Alan, is "Glendeary," the scene of the romance of the "The Monastery."

I next visited the Abbey. In the Abbey rests the dust of Mary of the "mighty dead." Beneath a polished green-black marble slab, beside the high altar, is interred the remains of Alexander II. The heart of Bruce, which Douglass had vainly striven to carry to Palestine, as an atonement-gift for the foul murder of the Comyn, is buried here. The Earl of Douglass, the hero of Otterburn, and William Douglass, "the Dark Knight of Liddesdale," lie here. The residences of the late Sir David Brewster and Lord Henry Scott are in the neighborhood.

After leaving the Abbey, I visited Dryburgh Abbey, one of the most interesting relics of antiquity. Here rest the ashes of Sir Walter Scott, side by side with his wife and son. The beautiful seat of the Earl of Buchanan is in the neighborhood.

I bade adieu to Abbottsford and took the train for Carlisle, England, where I was announced to lecture at night. I visited the cathedral and castle in Carlisle. To-day I reached Leeds, and will remain till to-morrow, when I will go to London. A temperance rally was held in this city tonight. The meeting was addressed by Hon. James Black, Rev. Mr. Boyd, Hon. S. D. Hastings, and others. The population of Leeds is two hundred thousand—has several woolen and iron factories.

I will write you again from London.

Respectfully yours,
THEO. N. RAMSAY.

Tribute of Respect.

MASONIC LODGE, No. 8, I. O. O. F.
TUESDAY, July 29, 1873.

WHEREAS, God in his adwise Providence has removed from earth our late friend and brother Past Grand M. W. Churchill of this Lodge, and whereas we desire to place upon record our earnest appreciation of his high character and many virtues.

Therefore Resolved, That in the death of M. W. Churchill our order has lost an ardent and devoted son, this Lodge a faithful and warm hearted member, and our community a liberal progressive and valuable citizen.

Resolved, That we extend the family of our deceased brother our sympathy in this hour of their bereavement, assuring them that his name will be ever held by us in fragrant and affectionate remembrance.

Resolved, That the members of this Lodge wear the customary badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our records, and a copy sent to the family of the deceased, and a copy furnished the city papers for publication.

Respectfully submitted
G. H. BROWNE,
M. H. SHAW,
SEATON GALES } Committee.

MARRIED.

In Frederick City, Maryland, on the 19th of June last, by Rev. H. G. Hill, Mr. Cornelius H. Hill, to Miss Frances M. Rebinhanger.

MARKETS.

Noon Report.

LONDON, July 31.

Consols 92 1-2.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.

Cotton firm and unchanged, Sales 15,000. Speculation and export 3,000. Savannah and Charleston new crop October shipment 8 13-16. Pork 64.

Later, Official quotations—Uplands 8 7-8; orleans 9 1-8.

NEW YORK, July 31.

Stocks steady. Gold steady at 15 3-4. Money easy at 3 and 4. Exchange, long, 9; short 9 3-4. Governments dull and steady. State bonds very quiet.

Cotton weak and irregular. Sales 1,196 bales; middlings 21; futures opened quiet and steady; August 19 3-8; September 18 3-16 to 18 1-4; October 17 13-16 to 17 7-8.

Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat quiet without decided change. Corn quiet and steady; steam western mixed 51 to 56. Pork steady; new $17.25. Lard dull, nominal; western steam 8 1-2 to 8 5-8. Turpentine quiet at 43 to 43 1-2. Rosin $3.05 to $3.07 1-2 for strained. Freights steady.

Midnight Report.

NEW YORK, July 31.

Cotton—net receipts 112, Gross 112. Futures closed easy. Sales 6,600 bales, August 19 5-16 to 19 3-8. September 18 1-4 to 18 5-16. October 17 7-8 to 17 15-16. November 17 5-8 to 17 11 16. Dec. 17 5-8 to 17 11 16.

Cotton weak and irregular. Sales 2484 bales at 21. Flour in moderate request and unchanged. Whisky 96 1-2 to 97. Wheat heavy at 1 cent lower. Inferior white western 1.48. Corn inactive and easier. Rice active and firm, Carolina 8 1-2 to 9 1-4. Pork active, new 17.40, old 16.50. Lard weak. Turpentine dull. Rosin quiet. Tallow quiet at 7 1-4 to 8 1-2. Freights firm.

Money unchanged at 3 to 4. Sterling dull at 8 7-8 to 9. Gold 15 7-8. Governments dull and steady.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.

Cotton—sales include 9,500 American. Savannah and Charleston September delivery, not below middling, 8 7-8. Orleans August delivery, not below good ordinary, 8 15-16.

BALTIMORE, July 31.

Cotton dull, middlings 20 1-8. Gross receipts 31 bales. Exports coastwise 126. Sales 125. Stock 2893.

WILMINGTON, July 31.

Cotton steady, Middlings 18 3-4, net receipts 14, sales 10, stock 1102.

NORFOLK, July 31.

Cotton quiet, Low middlings 18 1-2, net receipts 260, coastwise 442, sales 50, stocks 5369.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

ON THE BREAKFAST, LUNCHEON, DINNER AND SUPPER TABLE,
LEA & PERRINS' Worchestershire Sauce
IS INDISPENSABLE.
JOHN DUNCAN'S SONS, New York,
Agents for the United States.
mar 29

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE SECOND SESSION OF MISS LOU STUART'S
PRIMARY SCHOOL,
for small Boys and Girls will commence on MONDAY, Augs 4 h. It is situated in the Western Ward, near the Deaf & Dumb Institution. Terms of Tuition, $2 00 per month.
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WESLEYAN ACADEMY FOR YOUNG MEN AND BOYS.
REV. R. S. TRAWICK, A. M., Principal.
EUGENE E. GRAY, A. B., Assistant.
Will begin the 6th Academic Term of 9 weeks, Aug. 4th 1873. For particulars apply for circular.
july 30-1f

NEW GOODS.

500	Bus Bolted Meal,
200	Sacks Extra Flour,
100	" Super "
75	Boxes Dif Grades,
25	" Extra C C Sugars,
50	" Brown "
40	Packets Java Coffee,
25	Sacks Rio and Laguyra Coffee,
100	Cases Brandy Peaches,
25	" Canned "
100	" " Oysters,
50	" Bottled Pickles,
50	Boxes Lemon Biscuit,
10	" Soda "
100	Boxes Scotch Herrings,
75	" Soap,
100	Boxes Candy,
10	" "
4	" Base Ale,
4	" Hibbert Porter,
20	Bbs N C Mullets,
20-100	lbs Kegs Lard,
20	20 " " "
50	25 " Lime "
10	Tierces " "
40	Bbs Molasses,
10	Tierces "
4	" Sugar Cured Hams,
20	Barrels Bulk Meat,
100	Bbls Whisky all grades,

&c., &c.
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PROPOSALS FOR EXCAVATIONS FOR THE U. S. COURT HOUSE AND POST OFFICE AT RALEIGH, N. C.
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, U. S. C. H. & POST OFFICE, RALEIGH, N. C., July 31st, 1873.
Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 m., of the 9th day of August, 1873, for excavating and removing 3,500 cubic yards, more or less, of earth (see site for description of ground) for the Basement story, areas, trenches for foundation, drains, &c., of the U. S. Court House and Post Office at Raleigh, N. C.
The dimensions and depths of the excavations can be obtained on application at this office.
Proposals will be made by the cubic yard, which must include the foundation trenches. The whole excavation must be completed within six weeks from date of acceptance of the contract.
All bids must be made on the printed form to be obtained at this office, and must be accompanied by a penal Bond in the sum of One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars that the bidder will accept and perform the contract if awarded him.
The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.
Payments will be made monthly, deducting ten per cent. until the completion of the contract.
Proposals must be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposals for Excavations for the U. S. Court House and Post Office, Raleigh, N. C and addressed to
S. T. CARROW,
Superintendent.
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PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE STONE, RUBBLE STONE, BRICKS, CEMENT AND SAND REQUIRED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE U. S. COURT HOUSE POST OFFICE AT RALEIGH, N. C.
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, U. S. COURT HOUSE & POST OFFICE, AT RALEIGH, N. C., July 31st, 1873.
Sealed Proposals will be received at this Office until 12 m., of the 9th day of August, 1873, for furnishing and delivering at the site of the building all of the Concrete Stone, Rubble Stone, Bricks, Cement and Sand required for the construction of the building.
There will be required, 500 cube yards, more or less hard durable Stone, broken to the size of hen's eggs and suitable for concrete.
1,000 cube yards more or less, Rubble Stone which may be of Granite, Limestone, or other suitable Stone, which is flat on the bed, sound, durable and which breaks with a clean square fracture; non-quarter to be bevel Stones of a length equal to the thickness of the walls, and to contain not less than ten (10) cubic feet. No stones containing less than one and one-half (1½) cube feet, or less than twelve (12) inches thick will be received.
Also for 300,000 Hard Burnt Red Bricks of the best quality, taken from the heart of the kiln; no salmon or arch brick will be received.
Also for 2,000 Barrels more or less, Hydraulic Cement of quality and strength equal to the best Rosendale, each barrel must contain not less than 300 pounds.
Also for 500 cube yards, more or less, clean Sharp River Sand.
Samples of each of the above materials to be submitted with the proposals.
Delivery will be made at such times and in such quantities as may be deemed necessary by the Superintendent.
Bidders may submit proposals for one or all of preceding items of materials.
All bids must be made on the printed form, to be obtained on application at this office, and each bid to be accompanied by a penal bond in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) for each item bid for, conditioned that the bidder will accept and perform the contract if awarded him, the sufficiency of the surety to be certified by the U. S. Judges, Clerk of the U. S. Court, or the District Attorney of the District in which he resides.
Payments will be made monthly deducting ten per cent. until the completion of the contract.
The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.
Each proposal must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, endorsed "Proposals for Concrete Stone, or Rubble Stone, or Bricks (as the case may be) for the U. S. Court House and Post Office at Raleigh, N. C., and addressed to
S. T. CARROW,
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