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THE RALEIGH SENTINEL. Advertisements will be inserted in the Daily Sentinel at the following rates per square of one inch, or ten million lines.

I. E. A. & PERRINS' is the only GENUINE WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

George Leach left for New York this morning.

Pleasure Club hop at the National hotel this evening.

The U. S. circuit court will probably adjourn this evening.

Raleigh Council F. of T. meet to-night in their room in the Briggs building.

Those who enjoy a glass of excellent Bess' ale can find it on draught at Joseph's.

Dr. J. T. Leach, one of the old and substantial citizens of Johnston county, is in the city.

Sol. Smith Russell and the Berger bell ringers at Tucker hall this evening and to-morrow.

J. M. Long, of Paris, Texas, has been appointed commissioner of deeds for North Carolina.

Cotton very active at 12 1/2. Orders good. Trade better in all directions than for several weeks past.

Sheriff J. M. Monger, of Moore county, arrived in the city this morning, and left for home in the afternoon.

The change of schedule on the Carolina railroad and the reduction of trains save \$60,000 a year to the company.

Some 25 of our sprightliest juveniles are rehearsing a little fairy-land drama to be given some time during the holidays.

At the request of many citizens, we have introduced our fine "DIAMOND OIL," 30 degrees higher test than any in town. Price 40 cents. Law & Co.

Our handsome young friend, S. M. Pryor, formerly of Richmond, but now with the house of Wm. H. Crawford & Co., Baltimore spice and mustard miller, is in the city, and will remain till Monday.

Hon. M. H. Pinnix, a member of the legislature from Davidson county, arrived in the city yesterday en route to Camden county where, it is whispered, he is to be immolated upon the hymeneal altar.

Messrs. A. C. Sanders & Co. have for sale two good mules, one beautiful pony, one new buggy and one second-hand carriage, just repaired and painted, as good as new. Call on them at No. 2, Martin street, for a bargain.

The board of university trustees continued their meeting in the executive office. Closed doors and non-admittance of reporters explain the brevity of this mention. We suppose the proceedings will be furnished at a future day.

We had the pleasure to-day, of taking by the hand brother M. J. McSweeney, formerly of the Fayetteville Eagle. He is preparing to launch a new daily on the tide of Charlotte journalism. We trust that none but favoring gales may swell his sails.

The mayor had only one case before him this morning. Ben. Williams underwent a broadside of magisterial frowns for letting his dray stand in the street contrary to law. He was adjudged guilty, but let off with the payment of \$2.25 costs.

Freight on cotton, between here and New York, has been reduced 50 cents a bale in the last month. Capt. Andrews, of the North Carolina railroad, has arranged so that cotton raisers and buyers can ship direct from any point along his line, without coming to Raleigh.

In the circuit court this morning the motion for a new trial in the case of Murphy & Co. vs. the Old Dominion Fire Insurance company, reported day before yesterday, was argued and up to a judgment for dinner had not been decided. The motion for a new trial in the Bledsoe fire insurance cases is still pending.

Dr. Chas. J. Na'l, an eminent physician of Detroit, Michigan, has arrived in Raleigh, with a view of making this his home. The doctor has a wide reputation in the great northwest, and we extend him a cordial welcome to the beautiful land of the Tarheels. We trust he may find it sickly enough to give him ample employment, and healthy enough to make his residence among us pleasant.

The Winston Sentinel, of Dec. 16, says: "R. W. Best, the traveling correspondent of the Raleigh Sentinel, spent several days here during this and the past week, doing up our town, and our citizens may expect to see something good about our place in the Raleigh Sentinel in a few days. Mr. Best is a genial, clever gentleman and a good writer, and since Col. Donan has assumed entire editorial control of the Sentinel, he represents one of the most readable papers in the state."

PORTER ALIAS FLOURNOY.

ARREST IN WILMINGTON—IDENTIFICATION—HISTORY OF HIS TROUBLES.

The Wilmington Star, of Dec. 16, gives a long account of the arrest of Porter alias Flournoy in that city, the consequent judicial proceedings in the matter and a sketch of the facts involved in the case. We extract:

Mr. John S. Wise, of Atlanta, Ga., who, as agent for the state, has been in pursuit of the party alluded to in yesterday's paper as an escaped convict from the Georgia penitentiary, who had been captured and lodged in jail here, on a warrant issued by Justice J. J. Cassiday, arrived yesterday morning, sought an interview with the prisoner and fully identified him as the party he was after. The prisoner, whose real name is Joseph F. Porter, was formerly a constable in the city of Atlanta, and the charge against him, which resulted in his downfall, we are informed, was that of receiving bribes from, or black mailing, his former colored constituents, &c., while acting in his official capacity. There were, it is alleged, many such charges against him, but he was only arraigned on two, in one of which he succeeded in securing a verdict of acquittal. On the other, however, in which he was charged with accepting a bribe for allowing a prisoner to escape, he was convicted and sentenced by the presiding judge to one year's hard labor in the penitentiary or on state works. He received his sentence some time within the past year, and was soon transferred to the Dade county coal mines, where, under ex-Governor Joe Brown, lessee, he was put to work. Though the interposition of influential friends, however, his labor was made to consist of work of a light character, such as keeping accounts, &c. Notwithstanding this fact he seized the first opportunity to escape, and in about five days, or within a month after commencing to undergo the sentence of the court, he had disappeared. Shortly afterwards Mr. Wise was put on his track and succeeded in tracing him to Texas, but he seems to have got on a laking that a pursuer was on his trail and left the state. He was next heard of in Louisville, Ky., but on the arrival of Mr. W. at that place the "bird" had again flown. He seems next to have retraced his steps to his home in Atlanta, but remained there but a short time, and was next heard of in Washington City, then in Richmond, Va., then in Columbia and next in Wilmington, from whence, after a brief stay, he made his way to Raleigh, where he obtained employment in a saloon. Here, as stated in our last, he was about to fall into the meshes prepared for him, when he executed a brilliant strategic movement and "fell back in good order" once more upon Wilmington, where, after a sojourn of a few days, the wanderer was suddenly seized and caged.

Porter is a man of very fine personal appearance and pleasing address, is about 30 or 35 years of age, and appears to have made quite a number of friends here as well as elsewhere in his travels, where the parties were unacquainted with his record. He is said, too, to be very respectably connected on both his father's and mother's side.

The case came up before Judge Henry, yesterday, on a writ of habeas corpus, and his honor decided, after hearing arguments from counsel, that the prisoner should be remanded to the custody of Mr. Jno. S. Wise, who has a requisition for him from Gov. Smith. From this decision the prisoner's counsel, the Messrs. London, craved an appeal to the supreme court. At last accounts his honor had not fixed the amount of the bond required and Porter still remained in the custody of the sheriff.

The Star then goes on to twit the Raleigh police for the escape of Porter, and very unjustly. Our police never had a full description of Porter; they received a very brief and inaccurate one, which answered far better for the man arrested by mistake than for Porter, as Mr. Wise acknowledged upon his arrival here. They did not have information concerning the matter a week before the attempted arrest as the Star alleges, but received it late in the afternoon of that day. It is now known that Porter had been on his guard for several weeks previous to this affair, as he had been recognized and spoken to by an acquaintance from Georgia, and by means of his own vigilance and that of friends got wind of the fact that the police were looking for him in time to make his escape before the mistake in identity was discovered. The Wilmington police in effecting the arrest had the benefit of all the necessary intelligence by wire from this city, so they needn't strive to stick a whole ostrich plume in their caps. The latest accounts from Wilmington bring the intelligence that Mr. Wise left that city Wednesday for Georgia without the prisoner, he being held in custody by the sheriff of New Hanover county to await the decision of the superior court in the appeal from the decision of Judge Henry in the habeas corpus matter.

AMUSEMENTS.—Theatre goes and all such as keep late hours are very liable to contract a severe cough or cold. A safe and reliable cure is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. The price is only 25 cents.

ARREST OF A SNEAK THIEF.—Scott Howell, a promising young republican of inky complexion, was arrested this morning, charged with stealing several overcoats from the residence of S. D. Williams, 8 miles from this city, Thursday night. At the time the theft occurred Mr. Williams was entertaining a number of friends, having just brought home his newly married wife. The preliminary trial will probably take place to-morrow morning.

RELEASED.—Sam. Curtis, an ardent republican of the African persuasion, belonging in this county, was released from our jail yesterday, having given a \$200 bond for his appearance before Big-Hog Sam, next month. Curtis was incarcerated on a charge of having forcibly entered the house of one Jane Morgan, a flat-nosed, thick-lipped, dusky belle of St. Matthew's township, this county, and attempting to violate her immaculate purity of person and character.

ATTEMPT TO BREAK JAIL.—Last night Stanley Stevens, a third-term ebony republican cotton-thief, confined in one of the cells of our jail, succeeded in breaking the bar of his window looking out into the main passage of the bastille. He then attempted to force the main door, but evidently finding his attempts fruitless went back to his quarters. The attempt was discovered by the jailor's inability to unlock the door this morning, being compelled to enter by the private door leading into the sheriff's house. The aperture through which Stevens crawled into the passage is only seven inches wide. He must have stripped and greased himself to have gone through and returned. He left bloody stains behind him and his body is bruised and lacerated in various places. He is a stout darkey, weighing probably 180 pounds.

A FENISH OUTRAGE.—The Weldon News, of Dec. 15, contains an account of one of the most brutal and fenish outrages ever recorded within the borders of our state. Saturday afternoon, Miss Cornelia Bedgood, living near Whitaker's, Edgecombe county, was returning home from a neighbor's house, when she was waylaid in the woods by a notorious nigger scoundrel named Simon Ragland throttled, blindfolded and shockingly outraged despite her desperate struggles and screams for help. Her cries were heard by S. P. Holland, who happened to be passing near the place, but he could not reach the spot in time to save the victim. Medical assistance was at once sent for and soon came, as the lady's throat, neck and arms were terribly bruised and torn, beside terrible injuries in other respects. Miss Bedgood is well connected and is esteemed by all who know her. The citizens of the neighborhood were quickly aroused and a search for the black miscreant at once inaugurated, which resulted in his arrest Monday night. The day following he had a hearing before S. P. Hilliard, and on being properly identified was lodged in jail to await trial at the next term of the Edgecombe superior court. He should have been burnt at the stake without judge or jury.

TUCKER HALL.—The Lexington (Ky.) Press thus commends the Bergers and Sol. Smith Russell, who perform this evening at Tucker hall:

They are musicians in the artistic and best sense. Their music is of a high order, and their very appearance is a passport to the esteem of the audience. This company of artists, individually and collectively, is such as to win the highest praise. Their performance is meritorious in every respect. The bell ringing, which used to be the principal feature of their entertainment, is so no longer. All the ladies play upon some instrument, either brass or stringed, and play, not like amateurs, but like professionals. Miss Anna Berger is a host in herself. She plays upon the cornet and the violin and sings the choicest serio-comic songs, with a grace of manner that is positively charming. As a soloist or in choruses she is conspicuous for her excellence. Miss Annie Morgan, the special vocalist, has a voice that might drive half the professional singers mad with envy, and she has such a sweet, engaging manner as wins all hearts to her. Adolina Patti could not have been more applauded than was the charming Miss Morgan last night. We do not want to mislead our readers and represent Miss Morgan as another Patti; but we venture to say that the great soprano never gave an audience more satisfaction than Miss Morgan gave her audience last night.

Sol. Smith Russell deserves a chapter to himself. He is a true humorist. He never, as he modestly said of himself, descends to buffoonery, but by a faithful mimicry of the weakness and the foibles of certain specimens of humanity of both sexes, he can evoke more mirth than all the minstrel shows we have ever seen.

So more need of having your collars washed, when you can wear Kimwoods and Warwick's that are for sale everywhere.

TAR DROPS.

Cherokee county has the epizootic.

S. S. Clayton dropped dead at Chapel Hill, Saturday.

A number of young Murphites are preparing to go west to starve.

J. T. Ballard has been appointed a U. S. commissioner at Lumberton.

Fairs and festivals are prevailing in epidemic form throughout the state.

Joe Ashby, of Stokes county, has killed 600 squirrels since last spring.

D. F. Ramsour and family, of Cherokee county, have migrated to Texasward.

Wilmington's cotton compress is squeezing the fleecy staple dry and tight.

Knapp of Reeds is to have a huge temperance blow-out and water sipping, Dec. 29.

The steamer Silver Wave plows the silver waves between Edenton and Franklin.

L. T. Carroll spouts cold-water rhetoric at Western Prong church, Columbus county, Jan. 1.

Greensboro is inflating her corporate limits to make room for the deserved spreading of her staunch, true Patriot.

The fair young creatures of Fayetteville female society entertain their friends, Dec. 22, with the cantata, "Festival of the Rose."

Two of Wilmington's fifth ward bucket company were arrested the other day, at which the whole organization got its back up and disbanded.

Wiley, late loyal sheriff of Montgomery county, has skedaddled with \$7,000 of the dear people's shipplasters somewhere about his trousers.

The Newbern Journal of Commerce has been forced to suspend its daily, but the weekly will be continued; and if merit is a measure of success, will win both fame and funds for its proprietors.

Bonitz, of the excellent, sound and newsy Goldsboro Messenger, has socked a libel suit against Judge Daniel L. Russell, of Wilmington. He estimates his damages of fame and laceration of soul at \$3,000, and we hope he may get the last nickel of it.

NEWS AND NOTES

Carl Schurz is collecting choice engravings.

Williamsport, Pennsylvania, blazed \$60,000 worth Wednesday.

Mayor Latrobe, of Baltimore, is at an early day to marry Miss Hattie Early.

West Virginia goes \$20,000 on the centennial humberg and Philadelphia fatener.

The naval activity humberg is dying out, and 200 men were discharged at the Norfolk yard yesterday.

England has demanded the return of Egypt's squadron and aquatic niggers from the coast of Zanzibar.

Gen. W. C. Wickham has been appointed receiver of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad under a \$150,000 bid.

Riddle, democrat, has satisfactorily solved the political riddle in the 4th Tennessee congressional district.

Wales' brother, the duke of Edinburgh, last Wednesday laid the cornerstone of the new London opera-house.

Thomas Carlyle writes the Harvard degree bestowers a palavery letter, clear of any word that would put an average jaw in a sling.

The national convention of cheap transportation is sessioning in Chicago. The enlargement of the Weldon canal is being urged.

Governor McEnery, the rightful chief executive of Louisiana, has appointed R. H. Marr to succeed the bought and paid-for "retirer," McMillan, in the senate.

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Valmaseda is to be succeeded in the head-buttership of Cuba by Saballos. We don't know whether these names are right or not; no two papers in the country ever publish these foreign jaw-breakers alike; but where's the difference?

A Brooklyn girl of 19, of course said to be "beautiful and accomplished," yesterday transferred herself to the Other Shore by pistol-bullet express, from grief at the enforced absence of her lover in Europe on account of divers and sundry financial irregularities. We have recorded many masculine suicides from affectional ailments, but this is one of the first genuine feminine cases that ever came under our observation.

MASONIC DOTS.—Brother Wilson, of the Greensboro Masonic Journal, is evidently pleased with his visit to this city, as a delegate to the masonic grand lodge. In the course of a lengthy notice, he says:

In the rear of the grand secretary's desk hangs an oil painting of that venerable old landmark, W. T. Bain, who for 24 years so faithfully filled the responsible office of grand secretary, and whose mantle now rests so worthily upon the shoulders of his son, the present incumbent. It affords us real pleasure to add our testimony to the superior management of the National hotel by its present proprietor, Col. C. S. Brown, than whom a more genial and accommodating landlord is not to be found. His rooms are well furnished, neatly kept, conveniently arranged, and attended by polite and trusty servants. His tables are a marvel of attraction to the wayfarer, being supplied with everything afforded by the home market and the liberal contributions of distant cities. Being conveniently located near the capitol, for homelike comfort and kind attention we cheerfully recommend the National hotel and its gentlemanly proprietor, Col. Brown. We once thought, years ago, that the two last places in America for out-door comfort were Raleigh and Entfield, but under the guiding hand of reform and advancement Raleigh has been thoroughly redeemed. Her streets and walks are nicely paved, and the latter under the fiat of fashion are kept cleanly swept.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SANTA CLAUS Is coming on the night of the 24th of this month, and

H. H. & R. S. TUCKER are providing for all. They are receiving new lines of

DRY GOODS, and a general assortment of goods for the different departments, suitable for the

HOLIDAYS.

Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Furs, Handkerchiefs, Silk Muffs and Belts, Satchels, Trunks, Collars and Cuffs, Laces, &c., &c.

10 Cases New Style Prints, 20 Bales N. C. Plaids, 300 lbs Ziegler's Boots and Gaiters, 50 lbs Gents' Burs' Boots and Gaiters.

SHIRT DEPARTMENT.

The great demand for our unfinished Shirts has induced us to

STILL LOWER THE PRICE.

We will sell 6 of our Wamsutta Shirts with Richardson's round thread Linen Bosoms and Cuffs for \$6.00 12 ditto for \$12.00

Orders filled according to date of reception. Remember our motto: "The best goods at the lowest Cash prices."

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER, 100 N. 17th St., 1875-76.

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IMPORTANT SALE. As Agent for the mortgage and as Trustee for the creditors of N. S. MOSELEY, I will expose to public sale at Store-House recently occupied by said Moseley, on Fayetteville Street in Raleigh, all his stock of Oranges, Apples, Nuts, Candies and other Confectioneries and Fancy Goods. His office and store furniture, fixtures, &c., in said Store.

Sale to begin promptly at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday 18th December, 1875. dec 17-td J. J. LITCHFORD

SELECT BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL, Hillsboro, N. C. The thirty-fourth session of the MISSES NASBIT & MISS KOLLOCK'S School will open on Friday 4th February, 1876. Board and Tuition reduced to \$103. Circulars forwarded on application. dec 12-td

NOTICE. On Friday the 29th day of December, 1875, we will sell to the highest bidder, at the courthouse door in the city of Raleigh, ONE LARGE AND FINE BAY HORSE, 16 hands high, and a good traveler in harness. This sale is to be made to pay the costs and charges of keeping said horse at our Livery Stables, and who's costs and charge have not been paid by Patrick Murray, Esq., who placed said horse to board with us. G. W. WYNNE & CO. dec 16-td

GREENSBORO FEMALE COLLEGE, GREENSBORO, N. C. The Spring Session of 1876 will begin on Wednesday, the 12th of January, and continue twenty weeks. Board (exclusive of washing and lights) \$75. Tuition in regular course, \$25. Charges for extra studies moderate. For Catalogues containing particulars, apply to Rev. T. M. Jones, President. N. H. D. WILSON, President of Board of Trustees. dec 6-2m

TALK ABOUT Wamsutta Shirts, BUT

C. D. HEARTT BEATS 'EM ALL ON GENTS' HATS, Gents', Ladies' and Misses', Gaiters.

FRESH LOT OF GENTS', LADIES' AND MISSES' BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS AT C. D. HEARTT'S. dec 2-3m

NEW STYLE FRENCH LAST, GENTS' Gaiters, the best and most comfortable wearing shoe in the market, at C. D. HEARTT'S. dec 3-3m

HEADQUARTERS FOR WOOD AND COAL, AT J. A. JONES' YARD, IN FRONT OF BETTS & ALLEN'S SHOP. Send your Cash, get your fuel and keep comfortable. It is best to let us know just before you are out, that you may be sure to get it in time. dec 11-td

VALUABLE CITY LOT FOR SALE. Will be sold on the premises at auction, on TUESDAY, THE 21st INST., the following desirable city property: One lot on Newbern Avenue 165 feet, running through to Morgan street, with a front on Bloodworth street of 210 feet, upon which is a new Dwelling House containing 8 large rooms conveniently and well arranged; four other good houses now occupied by good tenants are on the lot; kitchen, stables, carriage houses, &c., adjoining the same and six other lots which will be sold at the same time, 3 fronting on Morgan street 22 1/2 by 105 feet; 3 on Newbern Avenue 25 1/2 by 105 feet, one of which has on it a house containing 3 rooms in good repair. This property is in the heart of the city, is desirably located, being on one of the principal streets and surrounded by good people on all sides. Terms: One-third cash, one-third 6 months, one-third 12 months with interest from date six per cent. Title retained until all the purchase money is paid. Possession given on 1st January next. Sale to take place at 11 o'clock. dec 9, 1875-14. A. G. LEE.

LADY ORCHESTRA! ALL THE LATEST MUSICAL NOVELTIES OF THE DAY. Admission 75 and 50 cents; Reserved Seats \$1.00. Seats can be seen in advance at CARNER'S DRUG STORE. W. W. FOWLER, Business Agent. dec 13-td

NOTICE. The undersigned, Administrator of L. H. Sanders, deceased, will sell at auction at the late residence of said deceased, on the 21st day of December, 1875, all the personal property of deceased, consisting of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Corn, Fodder, Shucks, Casts, Wagons, &c., &c. Terms in de known on day of sale. M. M. SANDE'S, Adm'r. Dec. 7, 1875-14.

DO YOU WANT A NEW STYLE Gents' Hat, call at dec 3-3m C. D. HEARTT'S.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER