A STATESMAN TO BE TRUSTED. In all the history of the party which saved the republic, struck the chains

from the slaves, enfranchised the colored man and wiped out the one dismal stain upon the fair fame of the government that was founded by Washington, there stands out the name of no man more 'prominently than that of John Sherman. In all the muster roll of the names of illustrious persons and statesmen who have swayed the fortunes of that party, valiantly and cheerfully bearing its burdens or toils in the dark hours of doubt, discouragement and persecutions amounting in the eyes of the world to disgrace, and in the hour of its fierce trial when it gave bold battle for the advancement of civilization and the regeneration of mankind bearing about him with grand stead. fastness and unflinching fidelity, no man's name reflects a brighter glow, or stands credited with higher achiev ments than that of John Sherman.

Beginning with the beginning, he was a Republican. He naturally affiliated with that party, to which from the very moment of its birth the supreme interests of humanity have been confided, as the hardy oak sends his sturdy limbs up into the purer air and brighter sunshine far above the dwarfed and dwindling growth that spends its short and futile life groveling at its base. His every impulse has been that trained at the military school at Woolof a high minded, pure hearted, patris wich. He went to Africa to participate otic humanitarian. Search his record and tell us wherein he has ever fallen short of the attempt at the fulfillment of the noblest impulses. Study his life and show us wherein he has been other than the highest type of man.

We kindle into enthusiastic admira tion for the glorious achievements of General Grant, the heroic and accom plished soldier, the ardent and faithful patriot, and we are proud to belong to a nation that has in honoring him so honored itself. But we abate jot or tittle of our claim that John Sherman shall be awarded equal honor, equal reward. While General Grant at the front directed the armies that were to crush out a rebellion, wrong and causeless, and we feel that we have earned the right to so characterize it, and we do so without fear, at that moment John Sherman was doing no less desperate battle in his place in the United States Senate-beating back heart a worn and fainting people, fillwith the healthy blood of heroic determination, holding up the hands of the soldier hero, who without such aid and making secure the fruits of the costly victory, and with the nobly won opportunity broadening and strengthening the foundation of the newly purely born republic. The courage and wisdom and patriotism that John Sherman was animated by was in no regard less worthy of our grateful recognition

than that of Gen. Grant. Mr. Sherman is a Republican by every instinct of his strong and patriotic nature. He has never swerved from his adherance to the broadest and most requiring creed of that great party .-It would seem that with his mother's milk he drank in the inspiration of equal rights to all men-the shibboleth of all enlightenment and progress, the watch word of the great humanitarian organization. When others fainted in the heat of the conflict, or sunk weakened and despairing beneath their wounds, or allured by the deception of false ambition strayed away from the true path, deserted the camp and dropped out of the fight, John Sherman stood like a rock, and never for an in-

stant relaxed his lofty purpose. . To what glorious purpose he wrought let this great nation testify. Let the world come and know that by the act of this man and his associates, amongst whom he stands a faithful leader, that four millions of human beings have been lifted from the shameful degradation of slavery and ignorance to the proud ought to be, and which will be, please God, as proud a title as ever was that

selfishlp. His aims have ever been for

down and is to be rebuilt.

The Democracy pay John Sherman and pay on the \$4000 mortgage as a the compliment to train their heaviest guns upon him. This compliment h deserves. He has been a consistent opponent of the party which once attempted the life of the nation and which has always been filled with a spirit of hatred for the Union, and of bitter persecution toward the weak and

helpless.

From the great west, the seat of empire, come unmistakeable indications that the Sherman movement is gathering in volume and strength with each day that passes. There is no mistaking this sign of the disposition of the people Secretary Sherman has earned their admiration and confidence. They real'z that he is a man to be trustedthat he is seasoned timber, tried in the storms that have only demonstrated how staunch and true he is. The movement is not to be laughed or sneered in strength.

THE DEATH OF THE PRINCE IMPERIAL.

The Prince Imperial, the only son of Louis Napoleon and Queen Eugenie is reported to have been killed by the Zulus. He was probably about 24 years of age. Since the fall of the Emperor he has resided in England with his mother at Chiselhurst, and has been in the war with the Zulus and was in the Eiglish army. His death leaves Prince Napoleon as the next heir to the French throne in case of the restoration of the Bonopartists.

The official account of Prince Napoleon's death says:

The Prince with Lieut. Cary, of the 98th Regiment, six men and one friendly Zulu, left camp at Keletzi mountain, seven miles beyond Blooduar, on the 1st inst., for a reconnoisance. The party halted and unsaddled when ten miles from camp. Just as the Prince gave the order to remount, a volley was fired from ambush in the long grass. Lieut. Cary and four of the troopers returned to camp, and reported the Prince and two troopers missing, From their statements there could be no doubt that the Prince was killed. A party of the Seventeenth Lancers, with an ambulance, started on the 24 instant to recover the body of the Prince which was found and

brought in on the same day. A special to the Daily News adds the following particulars: "The body the unnatural disloyalty at the north of the Prince, when found, lay on its that aimed the coward's blow at the back. There were eighteen assegai father's life, keeping in courage and in it, two of them piercing the body from the chest to the back, two in the side, and one destroyed the right eye. ing the veins of patriotic endeavor with | A locket, with hair, medal lions, and a reliquary, were found around his neck. His tace wore a placid expression. He had evidently ineffectually tried to mount, and the leather of the flap tearwould have fallen and failed, garnering | ing, he ran along the path to where he was found. Two troopers lay near the body, both having been assegaied. The

Prince was very adventurous." The news of the death of the Prince Imperial reached London at a late hour last night. About one o'clock this morning it was circulated in the lobbies of the House of Commons, when, in reply to inquiries, Col. Stanley, Secretary of the State for War read the official telegram.

Lord Sydney, an old and tried friend of the Imperial tamily, has left for Chiselburst to break the news to the

Empress Eugenie. The London journals, while deplor-Napoleon, who has become the head of the line, is a Democrat in politics and is distasteful to the entire Bonapartisl party. He has two sons, aged 17 and 15 years respectively. Party loyalty may fasten around the name of one of these sons, but for the present Imperial counsel must be distracted and the possibility of the return of the Empire must appear more shadowy then ever.

The following correspondence between Mr. M. Cronly, Assessor for this Township, and J. M. Worth, Esq., State Treasurer, will be of interest to tax-payers generally: COPY.

WILMINGTON, N. C., June 13, 1879. Hon. J. M. Worth, Public Treasurer :

Raleigh, N. C. DEAR SIR: - Many of the residents of this Township are listing no Solvent Credits. Cannot think there is any disposition to evade the law, but some inform me that they cannot state the plane of American citizenship which value of their notes and accounts, and are unable to say what amount they could collect by law. Others claim that the state has no right to tax of boasted Rome in her brightest days. Credits in another state, and are un-His life has been a long struggle in willing to list them, while a large mabehalt of his country. No man may jority say their liabilities are larger truthfully say that he has ever wrought | than the entire amounts due them. Many hold mortgages upon real estate selfishlp. His aims have ever been for the elevation and amelioration of the that the owner being in pessession lists condition of his fellow man. And if the same, and claim that should they he wrought heroically in the days of be compelled to list these mortgages darkness he has been no less firm and would involve a double tax upon the patriotic and wise in his recent contests. B a piece of real estate for \$4000, one With what consummate skill and un- quarter cash, balance one, two and wavering courage he has fought the three years credit with six per cent. iron grip—the people decided against thirty days. fight of resumption! And now that interest, recured by mortgage. The him in August last, yet he holds; the real estate is assessed at \$4000. B lists his victory is won and he has placed the and pays tax upon that amount. Now people of the republic on the firm foot- should A list the mortgage (Solvent in contempt of the people and the steered into the wrong port and the ing of the sure high road to prosperity, Credit) made by B to secure the \$3000? courts he continues to hold. We sup. Mayor fined him just ten dollars which

Solvent Credit? Is money on hand, in legal tender

will you be kind enough to give me your opinion on these questions, as well as to polls and salaries of Ministers of the Gospel? and oblige,
Yours, very respectfully
M. CRONLY,

Assessor Wil. Township.

NORTH CAROLINA, TREASURY DEPARTMENT. Raleigh, June 17th, 1879. M. Cronly, Esq., Assessor, &c.,

Wilmington, N. C. DEAR SIR: Yours of the 13th instant received, and I answer your question without repeating them.

Taxpayers must list their solvent credits, in or out of the state, estimating their value at what they would bring at a voluntary sale.

Property under mortgage must be listed by the mortgageor, but the note week. given by him to mortgagee, for the money advanced, must be listed by the latter as a solvent credit. This is not down. It exists, and grows steadily a double tax on the same property, because the solvent credit in this case is only a change of the nature of the property of the mortgagee from money on hand or on deposit, or a solvent credit of another class.

It has been decided that while United States Treasury notes may be exempt from taxation as money on hand, National Bank notes are not exempt. If however, United States Treasury notes are deposited in bank, and a certificate of deposit is obtained therefor, the certificate is a solvent credit, and, as such is taxable.

I fine no where in the laws that Ministers of the Gospel are exempt from ou or income tax. In fact, the Con stitution does not admit of their exemption from poll tax as ministers.

Very respectfully, J. M. WORTH,

State Treasurer. CITY ITEMS.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Nayy

WANTED-An active young man to take charge of the Post subscription list, both city and country. Yesterday was the longest day in the

Mr. Thos. Monk expects to visit Eu

Mr. E. S. Latimer has left this city for the great west.

A very heavy bail sterm visited this section on Thursday last.

Col. D. K. McRae attorney at law has been appointed Anditor of Carolina Central Railroad. Rev. J. W. Craig and J. W. Potter

will hold an open air meeting at Dud leys's Grove to-day. Sheriff Manning has received information that Joe Miller has made his

escape from the penitentiary. The Bank of New Hanover has sent up sixty-five thousand dollars of old

bonds to be exchanged for the new state bonds. Dr. B. F. Cobb has gone west with his son. They are thinking of purchasing lands in western North Carolina for

stock raising. FIRE.-On Thursday night last the residences of Jno. J. King and Frank Melton was destroyed by fire.

Mr. B. F. Mitchell and daughter left last week for Bath, Maine, to visit relaing the Prince's death, regard it as the tives. They expect to stop at different end of Imperialism in France. Prince watering places as they go northward. watering places as they go northward, and will be absent some three months.

How long, O, how long, will M. C. Guthrie continue to spend the money that honestly belongs to Samuel P. Swain the regularly elected Clerk of Brunswick county?

The trial of Joe Gillespie, charged with the murder of W. G. Fowler at Mooresville some time ago, has been removed from Iredell county to Alexander county, on application of the defendant Gillespie.

The last regatta of this season of the Carolina Yacht Club in the river will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. It is rumored that only four boats will enter this race: Rosa, Ripple, Gipsy and Bonnie Lassie. The Restless, Frolic and Lizzie, we hear are undergoing some repairs.

Next to the Sheriff, tax assessor, and the city dog catcher, the dearest friend on earth is the tax-collector. He is pleasenter than a country physician, than a deacon, than a sea captain, than a dry goods clerk, He delightfully has insinuated himself into your private business, has found out the value of your watch, your private income and

M. C. Guthrie holds on to the office of Cierk of the Superior Court with an officer. He was furnished quarters for courts have decided against him. Yet how deserving he is of all our gratitude and rewards of honor.

Oreally made by B to secure the \$50001 courts he continues to hold. We suphose justice will reach him after awhile.

Again: C loans D \$4000 upon a piece of real estate, assessed at \$6000, for one and two years, with interest at 6 one and 10 one

Only five person confined in the city prison.

The police made nine arrests during

Three interments in Bellevuc Cemctery for the past week.

etery during the past week. Treasurer Savage collected \$507 57 during the past week.

One interment in Pine Forest Cem

During the past week 525,755 feet of umber were shipped from this port.

Marriage licenses were issued to two

colored couples during the past week. There were 6 arrivals and 6 sailing of vessels from this port during the past

Quite a large number of vessels in below. Seven bound up and others waiting for favorable winds.

Stacy VanAmringe, Liq., probated five Jeeds, four chattle mortgage and one mortgage during the week.

There are 341 bales of cotton, 6,030 casks of spirits, 100,897 barrels of rosin, 4,059 do. turpentine, and 14,617 do. tar ashore and affoat at this port.

During the past week 44 baies of cotton, 2814 barrels of spirits, 9265 bbls. rosin, 114 bbls. tar, 2535 bbls. tupentine were received at this port.

furniture warehouses, and grocers are the action. all crowded into this vast mart of human activity.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a meeting of Carolina Lodge, No. 434, Knights of Honor, last Monday night, the regular semi-annual election of officers was beld. The following were chosen for the ensuing term: Dictator-John D. Taylor.

Vice Dictator -- Walter Coney. Assistant Dictator-J. A. Springer. Guide-Jas. F. Post, Jr. Chaplain-N. W. Schenck. Reporter-Geo. N. Harriss. Financial Reporter-John L. Dudley Treasurer-Owen Fennell, Jr. Guardian-II. B. Willis. Sentinel-Jas. M. McGowan. Medical Examiner-Dr. W. J. H.

MAGISTRATES COURT .-- Lud Johnson was before Justice Hill, charged with willful abandonment and assault and battery. Judgment was rendered against him in both cases; the fine and cost amounting to \$6.30. He was committed in default.

Geo. W. Murry before the same Justice; charged with assault with a deadly weapon. He was fined \$50 and

MAYOR'S COURT .- Paddy's Hollow contributed Anna J. Hill as a victim for the city court, Anna was drunk and is now resting in the city prison She will make a visit of twenty days. Two kids Tom Tit and Mike Peden were caught purloining scrap iron. They are in the city prison on a months

Stephen Hannon committed an assault upon Billy Miller. Hannon was fined \$25. The fine was paid.

Bod Martin and Jacob Thompson had a ct to and were run in before the Mayor. Their cases was continued. Charles Murphy was arraigned for abusing and insulting a police officer in the discharge of his duty. The testimony of the witnesses went to prove that Health Officer Scharf, while on the premises of Mr. Murphy yesterday,

in the regular discharge of his duty, inquiring into the sanitary condition of the place and making inquiry into the number of badgeless dogs on the premises, in accordance with a recent order of the Chief of Police, was cursed and abused by the defendant and ordered off his premises.

Lemonade Jim, alias James Clark, was arraigned for interference with an

A sailor man got on his beam ends and refused to mind his rudder was

The old Fulton market has been torn own and is to be rebuilt.

one and two years, with interest at 6 money of Samuel P. Swain, the right money of Samuel P. Swain, the right money of Samuel P. Swain, the right two days in a cell was released.

Twenty-two vessels in port, and forty-two are up and sailed for this port.

John Mercer Langston, L. L D. whose untimely death is announced, was a Proffessor at-Law of the Howard University, associated with the Hon A. G. Riddle of Washington, D. C. He took charge of the Law Department of the above named institution, at its organization, and was by his earnest endeavors, instrumental in qualifying the first class of young colored men for practice of the profession in this country. Col. Geo. L. Mabson of this state was a member and graduate of

A live eagle may be seen any day on Second street in front of Sykes's meat market. He walks up and down the street or on the side walk with a lordly strut, occasionally flying a rod, and sometimes lighting upon a rail, folding his wings, and looking very wise and dignified. He minds his own business mostly, but the other day he took possession of a little boy's hat and wouldn't let him have it for a while. Then he walks into a mudpuddle and sticks his beak in the water as if he were hunting fish. He knows he is no common bird, looks you straight in the and sometimes glances up in the face and eyes of the sun as if he thought of taking an aerial flight. He subsits on the best of mutton chops and beef steak.

THE BRUNSWICK CASE-DECISION Second street is getting to be the seat | AND APPEAL. - In the case of the peo of an enormous business. One fellow | ple of the state of North Carolina upon keeps lemonade and ice cream in a the relation of S. P. Swain vs. M. C. store five feet square. Another makes Guthrie," being a quo warranto to test coffins, another shaves Africo-Ameri- the validity of the title of the defendant cans, and another has "meals at all to the office of Superior Court Clerk of hours." Pompey Harris holds court Brunswick county, heard in the Supeat the corner over multifarious vege- rior Court of New Hanover on Wednestables. There is a cafe and one beer day the 11th instant, His Honor Judge shop, one sewing machine store, and Seymour, rendered a decision on the one cigar maker, and one tailor's shop, 14th in favor of the complainant, Sam'l one upholsterer, one undertaker, a paint | P. Swain, the defendant (M. C. Guthrie) shop and a Magistrates office, and a being required to surrender the office law office. The Postoffice and the and its appertenances to the plaintiff United States Court, two livery stables, and pay a fine of \$250 and the costs of

From this judgment defendant aprequired to give bond in the sum of | tend a double Tax thereon. \$50 for his appearance.

K. OF H. DELEGATES.-Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy and Mr. N. Jacobi, who have been in attendance at the Grand Lodge Knights of Honor, which was held in Newbern, returned to this city yesterday morning. They speak in warm terms of commendation of the hospitalities of the people of our sister city. We give below a list of officers, as obtained from the representatives from this city:

G. D.—T. F. Klutz. V. G. D.—Dr. W. H. H. Cobb. A. G. D .- J. M. Spragins.

G. R.-P. C. Carleton. G. Treasurer—S. C. Scofield. Chaplain-Rev. W. P. Williams, G. Guide-N. Jacobi.

G. Guardian-Dr. D. Cogdell. G. Sentinel-C, M. Brown. G. Medical Supervisor-Dr. W. J.

H. Bellamy. Trustees-L. C. Haines, Dr. R. F. Lewis, Alexander Miller. Representative to Supreme Lodge-

W. G. Brinson.

The Portland (Oregon) Bee looks upon Senator Chandler, of Michigan, as the most popular man in the nation to-day, and it would not, be surprised to see the Republican ticket made Grant and Chandler; or, in case Grant declines to run, Chandler in the first

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Wilmington

TELEPHONE EXCHANGE!

OUR FRIENDS ARE REQUESTED TO e a little patient. We expect the instruments soon. The Wires are being strung as rapidly as possible. One Cable was laid

in the river on Tuesday last, and we have another on the way. It is hardly necessary to tell you that anything said through the Exchange will be private, only reaching the party for

whom it is intended, L. A. ANGEL

je 22 lt

THIS is to give notice that on the 16th day of June, 1879, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Cape Fear District of North Carolina against the estate of Samuel Northrop, William H. Northrop and William A. Cumming, partners trading as Northrop & Oumming, of Wilmington, in the county of New Hanover, in said District, who has been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition. That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said livery of any property belonging to said bankrupts, to them, or for their use, and the transfer of any property by them, are for-bidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of their estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 25th, day of July A, D. 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., at Fayette-ville, N. C., before Wm. A., Guthrie, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy of said district.

J. B. HILL, june 28 Marshal for said District.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Mortgage Sale. ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 2ND, 1879, AT 10 o'clock, A. M., Messrs. CRONLY & MORRIS, Auctioneers, will sell at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the BED-ROOM SETS, OFFICE, PARLOR DIN-ING-ROOM and KITCHEN FURNITURE contained in the

Empire House,

in this city, the same being the property that was conveyed by I. L. Dolby to Maria Genaust, by Mortgage, dated January 24th, 1879. and registered in Book O. O. O., on pages 286 and 387, in the Records of New Hanover County. Said sale to take place at said Hotel, at the appointed hour by order of the Mortgagee, je 22—2t.

M. CRONLY, Auctioneer. BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Mortgagee's Sale. O'N WEDNESDAY, JULY 2ND, 1879, upon the premises, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M., we will sell, at Public Auction, THE ENTIRE FURNITURE AND OUTFIT of

Empire House, of this city, viz.,

Bar, Office and Kitchen Furniture, Two Billiard Tables and Fixtures, Bedding, Crockery and Glassware, nd everything requisite to the conduct of a First Class House. Conditions Cash.

Hotel can be rented for one or more years pon application to the Auctioneers.

Monday 23rd, And Tuesday 24th, The Last Days.

TAX LISTING.

WILL CLOSE TUESDAY. JUNE 24TH, 1879, at 6 P, M

HOURS on Monday, June 23, 9 A, m. to 1 P. M.

5 A. M. to 8 P. M, FUESDAY June 24th,

9 A. M. to 1 P. M., 3 to 6 P. M.

M. CRONLY, Assessor Wilmington Township,

TAX LISTING.

TAVING BEEN FURNISHED WITH A LIST of all Mortgages of Record in this Township, it is made obligatory upon me, in case parties fail to list to enter the same pealed to the Supreme Court, and was upon the delinquent list, compute and ex-

Save annoyance and expense-call at City Hall and list, Hours from 9 A. M.

P. M., 3 to 6 P. M. M. CRONLY, Assessor Wiimington Township.

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The FAIN-KILLER is now known and ap-

preciated in every quarter of the Globe.
Physicians recommend it in their practice,
while all classes of society have found in it
relief and comfort. Give it a trial.

Be sure and buy the genuine. Every Druggist, and nearly every Couniry Grocer
throughout the land keep it for sale.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

READ

We stood at an open window Leaning far over the sill.1 And if something hadn't happened We might have stood there still: But we reached for a banging shutter

In a blinding northeast breeze.

So our friends will have to be invited

To join in the obsequies...

F WE COULD ONLY HAVE KNOWN what a storm was brewing (in a teapot), and how far off that shutter was, we should never have ventured our head outside of that window; but it is too late for regrets now; we are nonplussed, completely squelched, have been sat upon, and our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to attend the obsequies on

SATURDAY NEXT

Parlor, Dining Room and Chamber Furni-ture (38 Rooms), all in excellent condition, the grandest funeral they ever witnessed.

As he slips he slides, and every time he slides he slips up most woefully. We leave our "kind friends" to find out the meaning of the above, and while they are doing so we will ask the following questions:

Havn't we the ugliest and dirtiest store in the State?

Havn't we the poorest stock of goods in Wilmington? Havn't we made prices much highesince

Havn't we been very unaccommodating and impolite to you?

Havn't we charged you for all he goods delivered? Havn't we made a great many mistakes and refused to correct them when our atten-tion was called thereto? All of our friends who answer "yes" to the above questions will please not buy from us any more. RespeStfully and truly.

P. L. BRIDGERS & CO.

In glancing over last Sunday's paper we regretted to notice the tacit acknowledgment from some of our brother grocers that we had taken away part of their trade, and making an appeal to the others not to leave them. We regret this exceedingly, especially as they were so kind and considerate about our coming to grief, but suppose, as we have determined to do the

LARGEST RETAIL GROCERY BUSINESS

ever done in Wilmington, we will in the future have to keep from being so tender hearted, and CUT DOWN PRICES a little

THE BLOODY CHASM HAS BEEN

BRIDGED OVER.

THE LITTLE JOKERS are not quite

A fine line of TOILET SOAPS rc-

ceived to-day, very low down.

The OLD CAPE FEAR is flourishing and MARTELLE swimming.

We have been over and smoked that "Cigar of Peace." (a fine Havana it was), but still think it would be bad policy to stop furnishing the papers with our fine literary productions, as they have the tendency to keep prices very low, which we, of course, with all other good grocers. desire; only want enough left to pay for clerk's hire; store rent and taxes.

NOT PURITANICAL.

Although opposed to the drinking of Liquors, P. L. BRIDGERS & CO., are not puritanical enough to refuse to sell them, as they think no FIRST CLASS GROCERY STORE can afford to be without; but they promise the ladies that they would never find out there was any on the premises, as it must be taken elsewhere to be grunk.

BUMGARDNER,

received this week.

STUART'S DEW and

DURHAM OLD RYE

TRY OUR BUTTER AND LARD!

The purest, oldest, and best CORN WHISKEY in the State, to be bought only at

P. S.-We feel highly flattered at the no-tice taken of our advertisements, especially by a fellow grocer, who was not surprised at the absence of our usual Sunday morning ad, on account of one of our friends having gone to New York Saturday night, dec 15

P. L. B. & CO.