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DEMOCRATIC RUMORS.

The rumors of fights and divisions in the Republican party of this state, put in circulation and kept going by the Democratic newspapers, are entirely without foundation. Republicans were never in a better and more solid condition than they are to-day. We all have our opinions (and not being run like the Democratic party, by the one man power) we express them, but when the man is chosen to be the leader of our next ticket we shall all fall in ranks and support him to victory. Democrats, put that in your pipes and smoke it.

The Democratic papers seem to be very anxious to find a split in the Republican party in North Carolina. We can tell them one thing: the Republicans will have their individual prefererces, but when the nominations are once made, the party will support the nominees solidly, and that North Carolina will again be enrolled among Rcpublican states in 1880,

We are receiving information from all parts of the south that Hon. John Sherman is gradually but rapidly gaining ground, and a majority of the southern states will go for him in the Republican National Convention.

Col. Thes. Powers, Collector of Internal Revenue, who was requested to resign by the President, we understand is a Sherman man: So is Mr. White who will get the place in case of a

We advise the New North State to not be so broad in its assertions. It may change views after the nomination.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS .- In the Supreme Court on Monday, among the decisions rendered we find the following: Samuel Albertson, vs Bland from Duplin; medified and affirmed. Decision by Chief Justice Smith.

Edward Kidder, vs T. C. McIlhenny from Brunswick; corrected and affirmed. Decision by Chief Justice Smith,

The Royal murderer.-King Thee Bau's Little Joke-The Fun of the Burmese water Festival-Sousing the Imprisoned Princesses-A Mon-

ster. Mandalay correspondence of the Daily

Instead of getting crowned in the beginning of the Burmese year, as had been expected, Thee Ban, being primed for something, resolved to have some fun out of the Burmese Water Festival. It is customary at this feast for young men and maidens to douse one another with water, a performance accomplished with much good humor and laughter and not a little immorality. Thee Bau dressed up his Let-thou dau, his pages of honor, in fancy costumes as lions | blows. and tigers and bellews, or monsters of all sorts, and, having furnished them with plentiful chatties of water, sent them off to souse the princesses in the palace prison. What might have been a joke, had the ladies been free, proved a most dismal business. At first they thought the end had come, but when it was discovered to be only a piece of coarse pleasantry there was a scene. Half of the younger women fainted away, and cowered shricking in a cornner, while the elder ones stormed and scolded as only Burmese women can scold. The King's little pastime, therefore, proved a failure, and he was thrown in a corresponding bad temper. The murder of a few children since thea is said to be the result. Certain it is that two innocents not more than ten years old have been done to death, and possibly more may have shared their fate. Thee Bau has obliterated the one sign of human feeling he displayed in the February butchery. A ittle fellow, the son of the Tsabin Prince-the mad Prince, as he was called-was brought before the King to shakho to him before being handed over to the executioners. The poor boy was half dead with fear, but when he raise1 his eyes to the throne and saw who was there, he clapped his hands with delight and cried, "Oh, that's Thee Bau; Thee Bau won't let them do me any harm." A murmur of pity went round the ring of courtiers, What has become of the pony I gave you once?" "Oh!" said the child, sadly enough, "we are very poor nowwe had to sell that." So the King by order of Thee Bau, a blow from a

thing's misery.

CITY ITEMS.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy

to take charge of the Post subscription list, both city and country. SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

We will give a TWENTY DOLLAR GOLD PIECE to the person who sends us the largest number of paying Subscri-

bers within the next three months: or by the 15th day of October, 1879.

Only six prisoners confined in the city prison.

The police made seven arrests dur-

Physician's complain that the town is alarmingly healthy. No interments in Oakdale Ceme-

tery the past week. Treasurer Savage collected \$4021 14 during the past week.

One interment in Bellerue Ceme-

ery for the past week. Yesterday was the hottest day of the season so the thermometers said.

See special announcement, a twenty dollar gold piece to be given away.

Marriage licenses were issued to two colored couples during the past week.

Don't fail to look for the twenty dollar gold piece. See announcement. There has been six arrivals and five

clearances at this port during the past The dog badge sales are very slow.

Only one badge having been sold last Houses, Lors, Homes.-Houses by

the lot, for sale by W. P. Canaday. See Stacy VanAmringe, Esq., probated

five deeds and two mortgages during

Four adults and five children were interred in Pine Forest Cemetery during the past week. The thermometer indicated 103 de-

grees in the signal office yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Bangs, of the firm of Bangs & Dolby, government contractors, was in

the city on yesterday. The WILMINGTON POST is only one dollar a year. Send in your name-

every man should have it. Lors, Houses, Homes.-Houses for the homeless, for sale cheap, by W. P. Canaday. Call and see him.

Capt. E. J. Pennypacker, President of the Cotton Compress Company, returned from a visit to his friends north on Thursday night last.

The rite of confirmation will be celebrated at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church this morning at 11 o'clock, refused. the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Bernheim, offi-

The Magistrates were resting on their oars last week. Nothing doing and no prospect ahead as the weather is becoming more intense in heat, which will prevent the pugalists from coming to

overcome by the intense rays of the not supposing after the conversation at yesterday afternoon about three o'clock. The proper medical attention was promptly given him and it is thought he is in a fair way to recover. This is the first case of the kind in this

IN THE POSTOFFICE.—The following etters remain in the Postoffice in this city as unmailable matter: Allick Johnson, Charlotte, N. C., C. A. Wood, M. C., S. O. Found without address in northern mail-two and half yards cambric embroidery; two and half yards insertion. Newspapers-J. C. Bird, Newport; Shropshire, Eng.

Mr. Wm. V. Turner has commenced the publication of a Republican paper at Raleigh, called the North Carolina Republican. The advance sheet of the paper came to hand on Friday last; but he will commence publication regularly on the first of August; it will be a weekly paper and the subscription price will be two dollars, an amount and Thee Bau said, after a little pause, within the reach of any man, and we

the Republicans of the state. motioned with his hand, and the poy interest of his paper, we recommend was taken back to jail. Ten days ago, him to our people. We would be glad club on the throat ended the poor to see him have a thousand subscribers spaces which are not measured for oc. had succeeded in getting the gun away in Wilmington.

Hon. J. W. Albertson, U. S. District Attorney, was in the city on Thursday last, looking after a lot of vessels that WANTED -An active young man by the Democratic papers as the leader

have been violating the law concerning lights. Judge Albertson is put down of the Sherman men in North Carolina. We wish to state that the friends of Mr. Sherman could not have a more worthy and honorable leader.

SUDDEN DEATH. - About 9 o'clock on Friday morning, Capt. Thomas Blakely, of the British Barquentine Florence Marguret, was found dead in his bed at the Scarborough House on South Water street. He retired to bed in his usual health on Thursday night, although for several days he has been completely under the influence of liquor, and had kept up a continual round of disipation for some time past. He was about 30 years of age, and, we believe, was unmarried. The vessel which he commanded was cleared some days ago by Paterson & Downing for Glasgow, Scotland, but after being a few days at sea, the captain put back to Smithville, where the vessell now remains, on account of an accident to

the chronometor. This, we learn from Mr. C. P. Mebane the agent of the vessel in this city, is the third Captain who has died since she left London-the first was washed overboard in the English Channel, the second died at Rio Janeiro, and the third this morning.

Coroner Hewlett having been notified, summoned a jury of inquest, assisted by Drs. J. C. Walker and Thomas F. Wood, who made a post mortem examination of the deceased.

The verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death from an over dose of laudanum administered by his own hands. The remains were taken to Bellevue

Cemetery for interment immediately

after the verdict of the jury was ren-

"AN OUTRAGE UPON AN ARMY Officer."-In our last issue we had an article critcising the action of Mr. Fred Robinson for not allowing Dr. Seming, an army officer, the privilege of coming up on the regular passenger boat, on the 4th of July. Mr. Robinin his action, owing to the fact that the boat was chartered by Mr. Geo. Chad-

bourn for a private excursion and it was expressly understood that only one was to be allowed on the boat except those who held tickets; therefore, for Mr. Chadbourn and others, was simply carrying out the instructions last week of doing Mr Fred Robinson great injustice, but some one is was married, and leaves a wife and one to blame, whether it be Mr. Robinson | child. He could both read and write. or Mr. Chadbourn, we care not. The excursion boat was allowed the privilege | 25 years old, was married, but without through the courtesy of the Command- | was Davis and not near so intelligent. He ing officer of the post, at Smithville, and, yet, when one of the officers desired

to come up on the boat, having been

We are requested to state that Mrs. Neff, the wife of Hon. Joseph H. Neff, a prominnent Republican of this city; was at Smithville, and the larger part John Davis, accompanied by the same hotel that Mrs. Neff was stoping at, and that at dinner Mrs. Neff asked it she "could come up on the boat," the answer was "that it would 10 or 15 paces of the boat Mr. Fred Robinson jerked in the gang plank greatly to her surprise and mortification. When Mrs. Neff get near the boat Mr. Fred Hashagen, who had not seen Mr. Robinson take in the gang plank, attempted to put it down so that Mrs. Neff could come on board, but Mr. Robinson shoved him away and told him to please attend to

his own business. The information concerning who were the responsible parties we got from Mr. Geo. Chadsbourn; the information concerning the very bad treatment of Mrs. Neff is from another but perfectly reliable party. As an apology to an intelligent community, who inherit greater courtesies than exclusiveness, it has been stated that any increase to the number on board would have incommoded those of the original party. If this is so, the U.S. Inspectors of steam yessels should be looked after, hope he will receive the full support of for they have certified that there are around the house and leaned it up against comfortable space accommedations for the house on the side opposite to that Mr. Turner is now in our city in the two hundred and fifty passengers on the "Passpert," not including the pilot other. house, engine room, gallery, and other

Execution of John Davis for the Murder of Henry Mebuffle-The Law Takes its Course-Immense Concourse of People at the Hanging - Davis' Last Moments-The Murder the Trial and the Confession

John Davis, the convicted colored man who was sentenced to be hanged to-day for the murder of Henry McDuffie, left the jail this afternoon at 12:30 attended by Sheriff Taylor and his spiritual advisers At 12:45 the condemned arrived at the place of execution one mile from the town near the Wilmington road and ascended the gallows at 1 o'clock.

The gallows was erested about twelve feet high and six set square. Rev. Messrs Windley Wiley Dovis and McKoy, the two last colored, and Captain Potter were with the condemned.

Captain Potter and Rev. Mr. Wiley made exhortations and Rev. Mr. Windley offered a prayer just before the fatal noose was adjusted.

The condemmed man made a short speech from the scaffold, confessing his crime and urging all present to take timely warning at his sad end, He expressed his hope for forgiveness and his anticipations of happiness in a future world. At fifteen minutes 2 o'clock the rope was adjusted around the condemned man's neck the black cap drawn and at 2:171 the drop fell which launched John Davis, the convicted murderer, into eternity. He seemed to die hard, although Doctors Curtis and Potter declared life extinct at 2:34. The body was allowed to hang 161 minutes when it was cut down.

About 2,000 persons were present, but there was no disturbance of any kind. Sheriff Taylor managed well, the whole of the unpleasant affair exceedinglywell The prisoner was dressed in black and displayed wonderful nerve to the very last. His wife and child were present and he told his wife good-bye on the scaffold. She wept bittarly. The body has been turned over to the dead man's father-inlaw, who will bury it on Town Creek.

The man who has just paid the penalty of the law, the molern emanation of the son's friends claim that he was justified Old Mosaic law that "whose sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed was a lithe young fellow; one shade removed from the full blooded African of a fine phiysique and intelligent features eighty tickets were to be sold and no only 23 years old, about 5 feet 7 inches high and weighing somewhere about 150 pounds. He was born in the Angola section Mr. Robinson, who was acting manager of old New Hanover (now Pender) county, not far from where Duplin, Onslow and Pender now unite, and when a child and that he had received. We were accused until freed by the result of the war was the property of the late John James. He His victim, Henry McDuffis, was about of the government wharf and grounds | children, was a slightly smaller man than was from Onslow county, formerly belonged to Dr. Duffy and he and Davis came here together in 1876 and had beer ordered to the Pacific coast, he was fast friends up to a short time before

THE FATAL QUARREL,

which occurred on the 19th day of last December. On that day, according to the testimony adduced at the trial, of the excursion party took dinner at half-brother, one Hill James, both men having been at work a short time for Mr. Peter Thorp, in Town Creek, went to Mr. Geo. H. Bellamy's store, not far from where he lived, for the SUN STROKE .- A colored laborer, be exceedingly pleasant to have her do purpose of buying some soap. From the Henry Hall, while working on the so." At 3 o'clock Mrs. Neff went down store the two went to McDuffle's house wharf opposite the Custom House was to the wharf, intending to come up, about a half-mile distant, Davis carrying his gun, a common double-barrel shot-gun slung across his shoulder. They met Mc Duflie in a small potato patch near his house, and there the two men began to quarrel, first, it would appear about cutting some wood, and afterwards about a woman. The lie was passed, but it does not appear that any blows were struck at the time. The two men, Hill James with them, then went on to the house. Arrived at the house, McDuffie entered and Davis had his foot on the doorstep for the purpose of following him, when the former returned to the door from within the house, armed with a bar of iron which, it seems, had been used as a fire poker. With this bar of iron McDuffie struck Davis over the head, making a considerable wound, one so severe, in fact, that the blood flowed from it freely. A scuffle then ensued, in the course of which Davis' gun was discharged, and the contents entered the roof of the cabin just above the door. At this point HILL JAMES INTERFERED

and took the gan away from Davis, part-

ly ty coaxing and partly by force, and carried it away from the combatants and where the parties were engaged with each

The fight continued to rage after James from Davis. McDuffie still held the bar

BLOOD FOR BLOOD

of iron and advanced on Davis who was compelled to retreat before it. He contipued thus, backing around the house while McDuffie advanced until he came to the spot where the gun had been placed by Hill James when Davis sprang for it, raised it to his shoulder, cocked the barrel which had not been discharged and sent the contents into his antagonist's breast, ma sala guida a Soda

MCDUFFIE FELL DEAD

upon the ground, with a gaping wound in his left breast, very near the heart. So close was the muzzle of the gun to him when it was fired by Davis, that the wad entered with the load into the fatal

As soon as be could realize what he had done Davis threw down the gun and fled from the spot. 'He made his way up the river, intending to try and get back to his old home, but was captured on the night of the murder at Meares' Bluff, and was promptly placed in jail.

The case came on for trial at the last term of Brunswick Superior Court. Davis had no counsel and so the Court assigned Ex-Judge Watts and M Bellamy, Esq to the defense. Mr Solicitor McIver appeared for the prosecution. The case wa ably conducted on both sides. The counsel for the defense fought hard for a verdict of manslaughter, contending that it should not be murder, inasmuch as there was no evidence of a malice prepense in the affair. But the Jury did not think so, and hence a verdect of murder was the res sult a verdict which all who had followed the course of the testimony had good reason for believing would be the result John Davis was then

SENTENCED TO BE HUNG on Friday, July 11th, 1879, a sente-co which has just been carried into effect in accordance with the law of the S ate.

Quite recently strenuous efforts have been made by Judge Watts and others towards obtaining a commutation of the sentence to imprisonment for life, but these all failed, notwithstanding the fact that the petition was numerously signed. Gov. Jarvis positively refused to inter fere and declared that the law must be allowed to take its course.

Davis did not surrender to his fate without a struggle as our readers will all remember. Life and being are sweet to all, to the humblest as well as to the greatest, and hence it was that Davis made the bold break he did about three months ago, for the woods and liberty. He succeeded in locking his juilor, Mr. Davis, in the cell, and in making his essape from the jail; but Mr. Davis was quickly released and darted after him. He is one of the fast st runners in the county and overhauled his man about a mile from the town, when with a fence rail he persuaded him to return with him. Since then the prisoner had been kept heavily

During his confinement Davis was treated with much kindness, a fact which he expressed to the visitors some two weeks ago. He seemed especially grate. ful to Mr. Davis, the jailor, for having done all that he could consistently do to mitigate the discomforts around him He has also received careful and attentive priestly ministrations, having been visited frequently by Rev. Messrs. Windley, of the Episcopal Church, Wiley, of the Methodists Church and Stringfield, of the Buptist Church, all of whom devoted much time to his spiritaul comforts. On June 8th he was baptized and received into the Methodist Church and soon after par took of the Communion.

About two weeks ago the writer of this visited the condemed man in his cell, and while there he voluntarily made a contession in regard to the horrible deed

but his confession differs from the evidence in some essential parts. He was evidently trying to make out for himself a case in the popular mind. His assertions were very plausible. His confession differs in but two or three points from the testimony elicited in the trial; yet these points are the essential ones, for on them hung the

According to this confession he acted simply and entirely in self-defence, but this view of the case he could not establish at the trial. The deceased has also left behind him a paper written by himin the solitude of his cell, whereby he simply acknowledges that he killed McDuffle, and expresses himself as heartily sorry for hav. ing done so. He speaks of those who had been kind to him, and gave some very good advice to his colored friends,

GRAND MOVING OF STATE ARTIL-LERY .- We learn from Col, Henry G. Flanner, Chief of Artillery of North Carolina, that the Governor has decided to organize two more artillery companies in this state, and distribute the eight guns that are now in charge of the Wilmington and Raleigh companies, so as to give each campany two guns in place of four. Salem, N. C., is to have an artillery company.

The arrears of pensions will all be paid as soon as the first October.

DIRECTORY OF LODGES.

MASONIC .- (WHITE,) St. John's Lodge No. 1, F & A M, meet last Thursday evening of each month, at Ma-sonic Hall; Wilmington Lodge 319, F&A M, meets 3d Tuesday in each month, at Masonic Hall Concord Chapter No 1, RAM, meets 3d Monday in each month, at Masoniq Hall. Wilmington Council No. 4, Rand OM, meet 2d Monday in each month, at Masonic Hall.

Wilmington Commandery No. 1, K T, meets 2d Wednesday in each month, at Ma-

KNIGHTS OF HONOR. Carolina Lodge 434, meet 1st and 3d Mondays in each month, at Odd Fellows Hall, I. O. O. F.

Cape Fear Lodge No 2, meets every Tues-Orion Lodge No 67, meets every Wednesday evening. Campbell Encampment No. 1. meets 1s nd 3d Friday evening of each month. Rebecca Lodge meets 1st and 3d Thursday evenings of each month, Wilmington Degree Lodge meets 2d and

I. O. B. B. North State Lodge No. 222, meet 1st and d Sunday in each month, at 3 o'clock p m 0. K. S. B. Manhattan Lodge No 158, meets 2d and th Sunday in each month, at 3 o'clock p m ROYAL ARCANUM. Cornelius Harnett Council No 231, meets

th Thursday eveneing of each month,

2d and 4th Monday evening of each month. The above Lodges meet at Odd Fellows Hall on Third between Princess and Chest-KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS. Stonewall Lodge No. 1, Meets every Mon-day at Castle Hall, on Third street. Germania Lodge No. 4, meets every Thurs-

lay evening at Castle Hall. Endowment Rank No. 221, meet 2d Friday in each month, at Castle Hall, I. O. O G. T. Wilmington Lodge No. 64, meets every

Vednesday evening, at Temperance Hall I. O. R. M. Wyoming Tribe No. 4, meets every Tues-day evening, at their Hall on Prince's be-tween front and Second streets.

MASONIC-(COLORED.) Mt. Nebo Lodge meet 1st and 3d Monday in each month, on Sixth between Walnut and Red Cross streets. Giblem Lodge, meet 2d and 4th Monday in each month, corner Eighth and Princess G. U. U. O. F.

Free Love Lodge, meet 1st and 3d Tuesday in each month, corner Dock and Water sts Gol en Lyre Lodge, meet 1st and 3d Mon-day in each month, corner Market and Water streets. I. O, OF G. S. AND D. S.

Queen Esther meets every Monday even-Star of Liberty, meets every Tuesday Ingenious, meets every Tuesday evening Union, meets every Wednesday evening Loving Union, meet every Wednesday Damon and Pythias, meet every Thursidelity, meet every Friday evening. The above Lodges occupy the second and hird stories, in the west end, of Evans's uilding, on Princess street.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. READ.

We stood at an open window Leaning far over the silf, 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. 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 squeiched, have been sat upon, and our friends and the public generally are 18-spectfully invited to attend the obsequies on

SATURDAY NEXT

and we stake our reputation on its being

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

Havn't we the poorest stock of goods in

Havn't we made prices much highesines

Havn't we been very unaccommodating and impolite to you? Havn't we charged you for all he goods

Havn't we made a great many mistakes and refused to correct them when our attention 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 egretted 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

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

fine line of TOILET SOAPS re-

The OLD CAPE FEAR is flourishing and MARTELLE swimming.

ceived to-day, very low down.

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 hirej 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 arunk.

BUMGARDNER.

STUART'S DEW and

DURHAM OLD RYE

received this week.

TRY OUR BUTTER AND LARD!

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

BRIDGERS & CO'S.

P. S.-We feel highly flattered at the no-tice taken of our advertisements, especially by a fellow grocer, who was not surprised at th eabsence 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