RATES OF ADVERTISING: 

No advertisements "till forbidden" will be All orders for papers or advertising must be ac-

Job Work done with neatness and dispatch, and at moderate rates.

THE RETURN OF PEACE. We shall, for the present, in the opinion of our military leaders, require a standing army of one bundred thousand men. The continued presence of certain disaffected parties in the southern states, who will need to be watched and held in subjection, will necessitate the creation of military departments in each state. The last vestige of rebellion must be crushed out so effectually that posterity will never hear any whispers of treason against the life of the Republic. Even the above amount of men, when preperly distributed, will leave a small force at each point: Evidently the government is disposed to trust the parole of the rebel armies. There have been flagrant violations of this sacred bond, but it is altogether improbable that there should be any considerable and widely spread disregard of such an obligation among a people who have given many ex hibitions of good sense and good faith, if they have at other times been guilty of folly and treachery. If instead of maintaining peace and good order, the malcontents among them compel the government to resume active hostilities, they will never again obtain such terms af amnesty as President Lincoln accorded, and such terms of surcender as General Grant offered. Mild as Grant's terms are, however, let it be remembered that they are sufficient for our security, and if Lee and his officers are the honorable gentlemen their admirers claim, they will abstain from every word and act which could be construed into hostility to the United States government until they are regularly exchanged or released. The regulations of war among all nations declare that the violation of a

The southern people have suffered so long and lost so much that they are inexpressibly auxious for the return of peace. We incline to the opinion from the evidences of distress presented in this city, in Savannah, in Charleston, and in Richmond, that instead of interposing obstacles in the way of its permanent re-establishment, they will facilitate it in every available method. The War Department is evidently impressed with this conviction, if we judge by its preparations for the immediate withdrawal of so large a per centage of our forces and means of transportation. Its action is a pledge to the nation that after four years of wearying war, terminated by the most glorious triumphs of our arms, by the success of constitutional liberty, and by the vindication of the majesty-of the government, the power of the people and the principles for which they have fought, we are now to be crowned with the blessings of peace.

parele incurs the penalty of death.

The restoration of peace will be accompanied with the return of thousands of our soldiers to their former avocations. The varied pursuits of labor which have slowly dragged along, will receive fresh impulses from the hands which have so long been absent. The hum of returning industry will indicate that active and earnest men are restoring the devastations of war as well as cultivating the arts of peace. Agriculture, commerce, manufactures, will be revivified. The national destiny will be re-assured in the minds of those who doubted and despaired amid the thick gloom of national trial. Patient sacrifice and unawerving patriotism have dispelled the last shadow of apprehension and have paved the way for a ca reer of meridian aplendor. Henceforth the United States will not only command the unqualified esteem and admiration of the world, but will in all respects be the exemplar of nations.

A NEW ERA. A new ers in our progress from revolution to national, commercial and social presperity is before us this morning in the important order from President Johnson, removing restrictions upon trade and commerce in certain southern states which will be found in another column. Accompanying it is an order from the Treasury Department, establishing the rules under which such trade may be carried on and enumerating such articles as it is not yet deemed proper to permit to be carried into those states. This action evinses a desire on the part of the government to af.

atible with the interof the country to the loyal southern states in their efforts to attain their former presperous and happy condition. Such conduct on the part of our new President will do much to hasten the return of that era of good feeling which is so desirable between the two sections.

The President has issued a proclamation enjoining upon all military, naval and civil officers of the government, in consideration of the fact that the rebellion is now ended, additional diligence in efforts to capture the remaining rebel oruisers affort. He also says that if, after this proclamation shall become known in foreign ports, these cruisers receive hospitality there, proper retolistory measures will be resorted to against the ships of these nations which extend such hospitality to these piratical versels.

### DIED.

On the morning of the 15th inst., JOHN E:). WARD, infantion of John E. and Athalia Lippitt, age 13 months.

The funeral services will take place at St. John's Church, this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

## TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS

# THEATRE.

Sole Lessee and Manager, ..... Mr. JOHN DAVIS.

Tuesday Evening May 16, 1865. TRIUMPHAN' SUCCESS.

The performance will commence with the present popular Comedy of

## THE PEOPLE'S LAWYER.

To conclude with the Laughable farce of

### POOR PILLICODDY.

SEE SMALL BILLS.

Admission .- Dress Circle, \$1 00; Parquette, 50 cents; Col:red Gallery, 25 cents.

### FOR RENT.

MY SUMMER RESIDENCE situated on Middle Sound. Apply to

M. Mel NIS. No. 16 North Water Street.

M. & J. LAWTON'S OLD STAND OPEN AGAIN BY th undersigned to supply the market in Un-dertaking and Cabinet Making, at the shortest notice, and fifty per cent. cheaper than any establishment in the city. Give us a call.

Shop on Front Street, between Princess and Ches-C. H. JENKINS,

G. S. COPES.

## RECEIVED TO-DAY,

The very latest

May 16th

NEW YORK PAPERS Call at

May 16th-1t

WHITAKER'S Book Store.

## HEREAFTER,

New York,

Philadelphia,

Baltimore

Papers, Can be had at WHITAKER'S Book Store.

May 15th-1t

FOR NEW YORK .... DIRECT.

The first class Steamship

# COMMENTANTALE

CAPTAIN POWELL,

Will leave on Thursday, May 19th,

## AT 12 O'CLOCK,

For New York direct from

HARRIS & HOWELL'S Wherf.

No freight received on day of sailing.

For freight or passage apply to

HORACE M. BARRY

The first class Steamship

## CHAS. C. LEARY,

with excellent accommodation for 60 passengers, now leading at New York, for Wilmington, will fellow the Commander in about 10 days.

All merchandize shipped by these Steamers will be covered by insurance.

Cash advances made on merchandize consigned to Arthur Leary, New York.

Sight Drafts bought and Sold.

Orders executed for merchandize

May-16th

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The following mdze. received on consign ment per

At the office of

## HARBISS & HOWELL,

200 boxes Boots and Shoes,

25 cans Patroleum Oil,

5 packages Petroleum Oil Lamps,

44 doz. Brooms, different paterns,

1 case Palm leaf Fans,

11 bales Hay.

1 box Seeds,

25 kegs Nails,

22 bbls. Bourbon Whiskey,

50 cases bourbon Whiskey,

50 cases Ale,

15 cases Jelly,

10 cases Pickles,

10 bbls. Cider,

100 cases do.

200 bbls. Potatoes. 25 bbls. Turnips,

60 bbls. Flour,

40 bbls. Fulton Market Beef,

29 half bbls. Fulton Market Beef,

15 boxes Oranges,

15 boxes Lemons,

40 tons Ice,

27 Plows,

2 dez. Axes, &c., &c.

The above lot of goods will be sold for cash at wholesale, and desirable merchandize taken in payment. No package broken.

May 16.

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### Restaurant and Billiard Saloon. No. 40 North Water Street.

FANTS

HAVING the roughly repaired and fitted up the old stand formerly occupied by D. J. Gilbert, I am prepared to accommodate at all hours, and re-

spectfully solicit as are of patronage from the citi zens of Wilmington and visitors generally. No pains will be spare to please the most f stidious, while my Billiard Tables are surpassed by none

J. S. FAY, in the city. Proprietor. 63-2t

## STOLEN OR STRAYED.

BLACK and tan Dog Pup, about two months A old, a brown mark over each eye, and brown feet. A liberal reward will be paid to any person bringing it to the Theatre. W. F. CORBETT, May 12, 1865.

# NOTICE !--- NOTICE ! !

HE undersigned is new prepared to make and repair arriages, Buggi s, and all kinds of vehicles; also painting and trimming done with neatness and in the best style. My shop is on the corner of Red Cross and Second streets, opposite Mr. Henry Nutt's residence, where I can be found at all May 12th, 1865. JAMES LOWRY. 61-6t\*

# WANTED

TO RENT, a house near the business part of the town. Apply at this office.

ICE CREAM! ICE CREAM! AY be found at all times at BAILEY'S RES-TAURANT. Private rooms for Ladies .-Families furnished at reasonable rates. April 22.

# GOOD NEWS -- AT HOME AGAIN

THE subscriber respectfully announces that he will respect the City (formerly Carolina) Hotel, to-morrow (Wednesday) 10th inst. for the reception and accommonation of the public. Patronage solicited. No efforts spared to make guests comfortable. Charges moderate for the times.

P. SHEMWELL! Wilmington, May 9th, 1865.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

To the Citizens of Bladen County BEADQUARTERS DISTRICT OF W. LWINGTON Wilmington, N. C., May 11th, 1864 General Orders No. 36, isreed at Releigh, Me. 6th, by Major General Schofield, cound'g Dear ment of North Carolins, contains the following

structions . Th : Corps and District Commanders will, at see as practicable, send to each county under their risdiction a discreet officer, with a sufficient for to organize a small company of the most respect ble loyal citizens to serve as a local police for until further orders. As far as, necessary the con panies so organized will be furnished with eaptured arms and ammunition, but will receive ao compen sation for their services.

All the members will be required to take the said of allegiance to the Government of the United States, and an oath to preserve the peace, prerea crime, and arrest criminals as far as practicals. within their county, and to obey all lawful orce, of the United States Military authorities.

Criminals acrested by the police companies be sent to the nearest military post for trial be Military Commission. A full statement of " crime and the names of witnesses must be sert va the prisoners in each case.

To carry out these orders, an officer from the

Headquarters will be at Elizabethtown on Monday May 15th, to meet such citizens of Bladen country desfre to organize the company referred to. & will be happy to confer with them upon any matter of common interest.

All citizens are requested to give this notice wide a circulation as possible.

By order of Brig. Gen. HAWLEY.

E. LEWIS MOORE. Capt. & A. A. Ger

May 13th, 1865.

HEAD Q'AS DISTRICT OF WILMINGTON. Wilmington, N. C., May 9th, 1865. Inobe ience to orders from department headq. ters the following notice is published: HEAD Q'ES DIVISION . P THE JAMES

May 8th, 1865 \$25,000 Reward .- By order of the ecrets of War, a reward of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollar is hereby offered for the arrest and delivered trial of William Smith, rebul Governor of Virgit. H. W. HALLECK, Major General Com'd'.

All officers and soldiers will give circulation the above and consider themselves under order effect the arrest referred to, if possible. By order of Brigadier General HAWLEY

E. LEWIS MOORE, Capt. and A. A. 6 HEADQUARTERS DISTRICT OF WILMINGTOS Wilmington, N. O., May 5th, 1866. Notice is hereby given that after date all person

counts with the gas company. No biles for gas, incurred after this date, will ! paid by the military authorities.

using gas will be expected to settle their own

By order af Brigadier General HAWLEY. E. LEWIS MUOBE, Capt and A. A. G.

HEADQUARTERS DIST. OF WILMINGTON, Wilmington, April 28th, 1866. SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 42.

(EXTRACT).

IV. All communication between the several Par of this sistrict, and the settlements of negroes Fort Anderson, and its vicinity, is hereby probib ted, except by special permission from these les quarters.

By order of Brig. Gen. HAWLEY: E. LEWIS MOORE, Capt. & A. A. Ge

HEADQ'BS POST OF WILMINGTON. Wilmington, N. C., May 3d, 1865.

General Order No. 10 .- I. The Brevet Brigati General, commanding post of Wilmington, sanot ces the following changes in his staff : 1st Lieutenant and Adjut nt John Green, ith Je Hampshire Volunteers, A. A. A. G. and Post Ad tant, vice Lieut F. F. Huntington, assigned to de

as A. A. I. G. and Post Inspector. 1st Lieutenant F F. Huntington, 16 New Los Heavy Artillery, A. A. I. G. and Post laspecto vice Capt James B. Caryl, relieved.

2nd Lieutenant Albert Foster, 16th New 1 Heavy Artillery, A. A. D. C. They will be obeyed and respected according!

By order of Brevet Bri . Gen. Jos. C. Apport "OHN GREEN 1st Lieutenant and Aat'g Ass't Gears

HEAD QUARTERS DISTRICT OF WILMINGTON Wi mington, A. C., April-11th, 1866. General Orders No. 7 .- Sameul S. Ashes. tant superintendent of freedmen for the distri-Wilmington, will have the general supervisa the colored population of the district, district them upon anoccupied lands, supplying the desta with rations and clothing and farming implement and endeavoring to cause all to lead industricts

orderly lives. Mr. Ashley is also appointed superintescent colored schools. All persons coming to the car to preach, teach or in any way labor for this will report to him. All supplies of books or ing, or other articles intended for the colored ple will be reported to him. If possible the sp directions of donors will be respected, but to " the full benefit of benovolent effort it is indepe ble that some system be observed.

The Miller, Holmes, Hill and Taylor piate on the Cape Eear river, near fort Anderson, apart for the use of freedmen, and the desti-

refugee colored people. By order of Brig. Gen. J. R. HAWLEY. E. LEWIS MOORE, Capt. & A.

FOR RENT.

THE House over the Stere occupied by scriber on the North-cast corner of Mark Second street, to sent until the ist of October Apply to JOHN P. STOLE

May 10th 1865.