

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. F. U. DYKES, formerly of this city and more recently Publisher of the Spring Hill (Mass.) Evening News, has become associated with this paper, and is authorized to transact the business of the concern.

A LARGELY QUANTITY of the best ice on the coast waiting shipment by the E. T. TAYLOR.

FURNISHERS for the holidays have already begun to retreat, and the shops are full of buyers.

There will be Divine service at Trinity M. E. Church on Christmas morning at 11 o'clock.

Do not forget to secure a ticket for the School exhibition at the Congregational Chapel to-morrow evening.

Rev. Father Northrop announced last Sunday that three Masses would be celebrated on Christmas day. One at 7, 32 one at 8, one at 10, 30, A. M.

The brick sidewalk in front of the billiard saloon on Craven street is being repaired, and many others in town could be improved in the same way.

THOMAS T. SHERIDAN sends us word that he was elected a delegate to the municipal Convention to be held to-morrow night instead of Jupiter Tucker as it has been reported.

The Norfolk steamer that arrived in this port Friday night, is on the way for slight repairs, previous to another trip which she will make outside, instead of through the Canal as before.

A NEARBY HOME is full of Christmas Presents, and whoever goes there will find a good assortment of everything to please the children. He has an excellent taste for selecting presents for the little folks.

Geo. W. Nason, Jr. Gen'l. Ins. Agt. THE NEW BERNE REPUBLICAN, a radical paper, fully sustains Senator Sweet in his course in reference to the black mail investigation.—North State.

There will be Divine service on Christmas morning at 7 o'clock, at the Memorial Chapel on George street, and services at Christ Church, at 11 o'clock, Christmas morning. The collection to be made at Christ Church will be for the missions of this Diocese.

Great reduction in the price of Photographs, at MORGAN'S GALLERY.

In another column we publish a decision of Judge Brooks, as to whether copies may be substituted in the place of original papers, and will be of equal value. The decision will be interesting to many who are interested in such matters.

A VILANOUS attempt to set fire to the Market was discovered by Officer McGehee about 8 o'clock last night. A quantity of tar, tanned rope, &c., had been thrown on the roof and there ignited; only the timely discovery prevented a conflagration.

THE STEAMER E. S. Terry, Captain, commander, arrived at her dock in this city about 8 o'clock last evening with a full cargo and the following passengers: Mrs. Mayor Palmer and son, Mrs. Dolan and Mrs. Denary, David Ireland and H. W. Elyton were landed at Hatteras.

Prints and Domestic of wholesale prices at BAER & EPPLE'S, Pollock street.

PARTIES wishing to take the REPUBLICAN, can have it left at their houses every morning early, in time to read before going to business. We hope to make it a welcome visitor in every family in the city, and with this end in view, shall exert ourselves to please our patrons, in this, as well as in other respects.

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SEVERAL cases of lawlessness and theft have been committed in Goldsboro by the soldiers stationed there, and that very conservative and high-toned Journal, the Messenger, proposes to exterminate them with "bullet and blade."

WE by no means uphold such low-lived pilfering but venture to say, that if the citizens undertake the job of extermination, it will be a sorry one for them.

A COLORED man who went from this city to New York in a schooner for a cargo of merchandise, was arrested by a sharper on the wharf in that city, who had stolen a skillet from before his eyes, which was to have been landed, and sold it to the unsuspecting African for fifty cents. It was the property of Hubbs & Bro., and the buyer returned it to them when he discovered the "sell."

ONE sign of the approaching holidays is an unwelcome one. The amount of the "ardent" that is being sold in the city increases as the week advances, and many young men already find it extremely inconvenient to decide early where the sidewalk is. Judging from the nature of Christmas and the original cause

of the being set apart as a day of rejoicing, this way of keeping it seems very inappropriate.

Months ago, during the national holiday last evening we found several persons collected around the house of the dinner keeper, in side of which between the stove and the side of the building a small fire was burning. The fire was extinguished by Austin Gibson (colored), who discovered the fire, the key was procured and the building opened just in time to show the burning embers into the fire as the side of the building caught fire. Each reader is sure to be glad for his timely exertions in preventing what would have been a disaster.

In these times of distress, as many are suffering from it is best to look out that they who are ready in want are the more that are needed by the benevolent. There are at present persons going the rounds of the city asking for help, who are professional beggars and have their trade to perfection. The fare they exhibited is truly fearful, they generally have a sick mother, plenty of brothers and sisters, all sick and with nothing to eat. An interest in such matters has shown that their tables are often spread with better fare than many who work for a living can afford, and their sickness is temporary and at will. There are many who are actually in need of food to keep body and soul together, and these should receive assistance from those who have been more highly favored, and a little discrimination is only needed to ascertain who are worthy of help.

Important Decisions of Judge G. W. Brooks in the matter of Seal A. McFair, Bankrupt.

Jos. D. Shaw, Attorney for Bankrupt.

The question presented by the exhibits of the Register in reference to, whether original papers, which have been exhibited to the Court, and annexed to a deposition, been certified as exhibits and referred to in the deposition, have not thereby become a part of the same that they cannot be withdrawn and a copy substituted. After full consideration of this question, I am not able to concur with the Register in the opinion expressed. The papers in question were exhibited, referred to, and stated as exhibits in the deposition, and annexed to the deposition.

The Court passed upon the deposition as was exhibited and all, in further progress of the case if objection should be made to any reference to the exhibits upon the ground that in the deposition they are referred to original papers, but upon inspection they appear to be copies. Sustained, such objection might be good. The deposition, as it is, must be complete. It would not be complete, for it must be established that the papers substituted are copies. That the Court may, upon cause shown, order the withdrawal of the original exhibits to be used as exhibits in behalf of any one having an interest in them, I have no doubt; but the Court accords will not order or allow their withdrawal, unless upon the application of some party who can show the proper use for which he desires them. The original papers referred to in, and annexed to the deposition should be retained by the Register with the deposition, against the demand of the Bankrupt.

Let this be certified to William A. Guthrie, Register.

GEO. W. BROOKS, United States District Judge.

New Advertisements.

COAL. 150 TONS BEST Anthracite Coal for sale to arrive by Schooner Thor. E. French.

From far and Near Customers are seeking the popular Store of

A. NEAR, For Christmas Gifts!

TOYS, GAMES, CONFECTIONERY, FIREWORKS, EVERYTHING!!

Come soon and make your selections! Don't mistake the place.

Next Door to the Post Office.

A. NEAR.

NOTICE. THE NATIONAL BANK OF NEW BERNE

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the BANK for the election of DIRECTORS and the transaction of such other business as may come before the Meeting, will be held at its Banking House on

TUESDAY, January 5, 1869.

H. H. THOMPSON, Cashier.

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Boots, Shoes, Hats & Caps,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

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Country Merchants would do well to look over our Stock before purchasing elsewhere, and see what inducements we can offer them.

Remember the place, Baer & Eppler.

Baer & Eppler. 30 Pollok St.

Provisions. James R. Moorhead & Co., 30 Berne F. Laveland's High Toast SCOTCH SNUFF.

NEW BERNE, N. C. Family Groceries.

400 lbs. Flour, 2000 lbs. Bacon, 10000 " Canned Hams, 5000 " Leaf Lard, 1000 " Dried Beef, 500 " Beef Tongues, 100 lbs. Fish, Mullet & Mackerel, 10 " Lorillard Snuff, 10 cases King Tobacco, 50 tubs Golden Bitter, 100 boxes Factory Cheese, 100 " Candles, 25 " Red Pepper, 25 " Spice, 10 " Concentrated Lye, 50 " Starch, 100 " Ess. Coffee, 50 " Soap, No. 1 & Family, 25 " Onions Corn Starch, 100 lbs. Crackers, assorted, 10 " Trinidad Syrup, 40 " Apples, 40 " Irish Potatoes, 5 " New Cider, 20 " Cider Vinegar, 10 lbs. Molasses, 100 lbs. Sugar, assorted kinds, 2 " Maple, 50 gross Mason's Blacking, 10 " Stone Polish, 1000 bales Hay, 500 " Oats, 25 " Northern Seed Rye, 1000 lbs. Bran, 1000 " Oil Cake, 50 doz. Brooms, 50 " Buckets, 1000 yards Gundy Cloth, 1000 Guany Bags, 5 Cooking Stoves, cheap.

Hubbs & Brother TO BUY Groceries, Crockery, Notions, and FINE LIQUORS.

Orton's Preparation!

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Business Cards. Lorch Brothers, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, &c. Country Produce always on hand.

JAS. R. MOORHEAD & CO., Commission Merchants.

JAS. REDMOND, Checked Store.

Market Wharf, New Berne, N. C.

Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes

READY-MADE CLOTHING, Country Produce bought and sold.

New Berne Hall!

MY FRIENDS and PATRONS, I have a well supplied Bar. A full stock of Wines, Liquors and Lager Beer, constantly on hand.

Ferdinand Ulrich, "The Big Indian," on Middle Street.

SEGARS, AT WHOLESALE and RETAIL

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