

FIVE MEN POISONED BY MISTAKE. FOUR DEAD AND THE OTHER DYING.

The hamlet of Lodi, N. J., on the banks of the Passaic river, was excited on Tuesday last, by a terrible accident which had taken place that afternoon, in the print works at that place. Our reporter learned yesterday that the operatives had made a practice of drinking a stimulant composed of water mixed with sulphuric acid and flavored with alcohol, which was generally concocted by the chemist of the establishment for their use. On Tuesday, a little before dinner hour, five of the men; all Hollanders, feeling thirsty stepped into the chemical room for a nip of their favorite beverage; but as there was none on hand, and the keeper being absent, they undertook to manufacture it themselves. Next to the sulphuric acid stood a jar containing arsenical acid, and this, in their ignorance, they poured into the water, adding the alcohol as usual. They all drank of this mixture, doubtless taking larger horns than usual, nobody being near to hinder them, and the consequence was, that in a short time they were taken ill, with symptoms of poison. Two died in less than an hour; and two others lingered in agony until three o'clock, when they, too, paid the penalty of their folly.

All four were married, and leave large families to deplore their untimely demise. The only survivor is a young man, and when our reporter left yesterday, he too, was not expected to recover.

DEATH OF A SON-IN-LAW OF ROBERT BURNS.

A Glasgow paper records the death of Mr. John Thomson, the husband of the sole surviving daughter of Burns, at Crossmyloot recently. Mr. Thomson was brought up at the town, but about the beginning of this century was a sergeant in the Stirlingshire militia, and his colonel by whom he was much respected, often spoke of him as the handsomest man in the regiment. While at Dumfries he met Elizabeth, daughter of Burns, whom he married while she was not quite out of her teens; and on leaving Dumfries he was presented by Jean Armour with many manuscripts and relics of the poet. Thomson was not only a man of physical strength, but had a vigorous intellect and a great fund of genuine humor, and in his day produced some good verses. For many independent of character he was such a man as Burns would have been proud of as a son-in-law. Last May his friends celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of his marriage with the poet's daughter, with whom he led a very happy life. He leaves, besides his venerable widow, two sons and four daughters, about thirty grand-children and several great grand-children.

J. WILKES BOOTH.

In the winter of 1862 or 1863, J. Wilkes Booth, the assassin, was playing a star engagement at Mr. Ben De Bar's Opera House, in this city. Coming down one morning to rehearsal, he had occasion to enter a picture gallery and artist emporium for the purpose of procuring some paint or face dye, either for himself or some other of the actors.

After purchasing what he wanted, he was retiring from the store, when his eye caught a plaster bust of President Lincoln, which was being exhibited for sale. The sight of it appeared to arouse his indignation, and to stir him up to a high degree of rage, so much so, indeed, that he cursed both it and its original, in the most violent strains. He worked himself into such a passion that, walking over to the bust, he struck it a violent blow in the face, knocking off a piece from over its eye, and so severely injuring his own hand that it bled profusely, and he was obliged to wrap a handkerchief around it.

No notice was taken of the act and Booth left the store for the theatre, the owner of the bust picking up the fragment which had been knocked off and gluing it on so dexterously that the injury done it could not easily be detected.

Years passed on, and one morning in April the country was shaken to its centre as no other people of intelligence had ever shaken it before—that the President had been shot in Ford's theatre, in Washington, by J. Wilkes Booth. The nation went into mourning for its Chief Magistrate, and wherever his remains could not be actually honored, mock funerals were held. Such a funeral was kept in St. Louis; the city went into mourning, and the court house was draped with black. A bust of the President was placed in the court house, and it was observed that from one of the eyes a piece of the material had been broken off. This bust was the same one which Booth had mutilated, and the piece which was at the same time replaced was afterwards removed when the same hand which struck it off struck down its original.

We do not know into whose possession the bust has passed, but doubtless whoever owns it would not now part with it for any consideration.—The above anecdote in reference to it was recently related to us by a well-known gentleman of this city, who was present when Booth struck the image, and as we do not think it ever has been told before, we publish it on his authority.—*St. Louis Dispatch.*

People should not sleep in tight rooms at any season of the year, but more particularly at this season. Those who fear night air should remember that there is no air but night air at night, whether it comes in by the window or by any other place. It is not improved by the impurities of a bed-room.

DIRECTORIES, &c.

Government Directory.

President.—U. S. Grant, of Illinois.
Secretary of State.—Hamilton Fish, of New York.
Secretary of War.—Gen. Rawlins, of Ohio.
Secretary of Treasury.—Gov. Boutwell, of Massachusetts.
Attorney General.—E. R. Hoar, of Massachusetts.
Postmaster General.—J. A. J. Creswell, of Maryland.
President of the Senate.—Schuyler Colfax, of Indiana.
Speaker of the House.—E. G. Blaine of Massachusetts.

State Director.

Governor.—W. W. Holden, of Wake Term expires January, 1872.
Clerk Executive Department.—W. R. Richardson.
Lieut. Governor.—Tod. R. Caldwell, of Burke.
Secretary of State.—Henry J. Menger, of Craven.
Treasurer.—David A. Jenkins, of Gaston.
Clerk Treasury Department.—D. W. Bain.
Teller.—A. D. Jenkins.
Book Keeper.—C. W. Horner.
Auditor.—Henderson H. Adams, of Davidson.
Supt. Public Schools.—S. S. Ashley, of New Hanover.
Supt. Public Works.—C. L. Harris, of Rutherford.
Adjutant General.—Abiel Fisher of Bladen.

County Directory.

Commissioners.
Samuel Windley, Chairman
Joseph Peed, | Staniel Waters,
Henry Hodges, | Thos. H. Blount.
Sheriff.—S. T. Carrow.
Clerk of Superior Court.—George L. Windley.
Register of Deeds.—Richard Gran-ger.
Clerk.—R. C. Cherry.
Surveyor.—R. T. Shields.
Standard Keeper.—E. S. Hoyt.

Town Directory.

Samuel Corson, INTENDANT.
Commissioners.
John Thomas, | George Buckman,
Howard Wiswal, | Wm. Cherry.
Treasurer.—Charles G. Buckman,
Town Clerk.—S. W. Stille.
Town Officer.—Jesse Pringle.

Lodge Directory.

Orr Lodge, No. 104, F. & A. M., meetings 1st and 3d Wednesdays in each month.
Phalanx Lodge, No. 10, O.O.F., meets every Friday night.

Church Directory.

Rev. P. H. Dalton the Pastor, will deliver sermons, in this Church, Sunday Mornings and Evenings of each week. Prayer Meeting on Tuesday nights.
Methodist.—The Station Minister, Rev. W. H. Moore, will preach in that Church, on every successive Sunday Morning and Evening, (except the third Sunday of each month.) Prayer Meeting on Thursday nights. Class Meeting on Friday night of every week.
Protestant Episcopal.—The Rev. N. Collin Hughes, the Rector of this Parish, will preach every succeeding Sabbath in that Church.

Sunday School Directory.

St. Peter's.—Will hold one session, on Sunday Evenings, 4 o'clock.
Presbyterian.—Will hold one session on Sabbath Evenings, 4 o'clock. Superintendent Thos. Sparrow.
Methodist.—Will hold two sessions, one in the Morning and the other in the Evening of each Sabbath. Superintendent John A. Arthur.

Medical Directory.

Practising Physicians.
John McDonald, office at C. M. Brown & Co's Drug Store.
James F. Long, office at Bogart & Small's Drug Store.
Jesse Bryan, Residence on Water Street, Pungo Town.
Wm. Blount, office opposite E Rosenthal.
Dav. T. Taylor, office 1 door west of Hoyt Brothers.

Special Newspaper Advertising Agency.

General Collection Agency for North Carolina.
Wm. A. Hearne & Co.,
Special Agents for the North Carolina Press, and General Agents for the Collection of Claims of every description throughout the State. Office, GOLDSBORO, N. C.
Aro authorized Agents for THE EASTERN INTELLIGENCER. [ap:27tf]

A. STATON,.....Hamilton, N. C.
W. H. BENNETT,.....Norfolk, Va.
T. M. BARNA,.....Georgia.

STATON, BENNETT & CO.,

Cotton Factors and COMMISSION MERCHANTS
McPhail's Wharf, Norfolk, Va.
This House does strictly a Commission Business, and will, under no circumstances, depart from the principle.
may:4

GRANGERS HOTEL,

FORMERLY GRISWOLD'S.
T. A. Granger & Co., Proprietors
Goldsboro, N. C.
ALL Railroads centering at and passing this point, have their Ticket Office in this Hotel. Passengers going South, East and West, dine at this Hotel.
Baggage taken to and from the House Free of Charge, and Checked to any desired point. [ap:27tf]

WHISKEY,

OLD BOURBON WHISKEY
For sale by
JOHN MYERS' SONS. may:4

NEW SPRING & SUMMER DRY GOODS.



E. ROSENTHAL

has returned from the Northern Cities, and is now receiving an elegant stock of

DRY GOODS Boots, Shoes

—AND—

Hats! CLOTHING.

&c., &c., &c.

Our Stock is very large and COMPLETE,

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

To insure large sales, we have marked our goods at a

Very Low Figure!

And we invite every body to call and price our goods, before buying elsewhere, as we are determined to sell goods

LOWER

than they can be bought at elsewhere. Respectfully,

E. ROSENTHAL

KOSKOO!!

The Most Important Discovery in Modern Pharmacy!

DR. LAWRENCE'S CONCENTRATED

COMPOUND EXTRACT OF KOSKOO,

FOR THE CURE OF Obsolete & Long-Standing OR CHRONIC DISEASES

OF THE BLOOD, LIVER, KIDNEYS, Nervous System, &c.

SUCH AS

Scrofula, and all Scrofulous, Eruptive, Cutaneous, Mercurial, and Syphilitic affections, Chronic Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Erysipelas, Pimples, Bloths, Bolls, Old Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum: Also, Chronic Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Costiveness, Nervous Headache, Nervous Debility, Epilepsy, Gleet, Gravel, and all diseases arising from IMPURITIES or POVERTY of the Blood, TORPIDITY of the Liver, TORPIDITY of the Liver, Disorders of the Kidneys or Urinary Organs, Debility of the Nervous System, &c.

The great superiority of this medicine over alloothers is, that it thoroughly eradicates all humors and taints, and at the same time changes the Stomach and Liver to an active, healthy state, invigorates the Nervous System, renews vitality, and can be relied on as a safe, pleasant, and positive remedy.

FORMULA around each BOTTLE.

This preparation is prepared by an educated, experienced,

and WELL-KNOWN Physician and Chemist, who has thoroughly tested it in a large practice. It is, therefore, submitted to the public with full confidence that its great merit will cause it to have a popularity UNEQUALED in the history of Medical Preparations.

PRICE, One Dollar per Bottle. Prepared only by

J. J. LAWRENCE, M. D., Norfolk, Va.

FOR SALE BY GALLAGHER, WASHINGTON N. C.

TO THE PEOPLE OF N. C.

THE EASTERN INTELLIGENCER

a weekly journal

published in WASHINGTON, N. C.

EVERY TUESDAY:

It is intended chiefly for the advocacy of the Educational, Commercial and Agricultural interests of Eastern Carolina.

Beaufort, Pitt, Martin, Washington, Hyde, and Tyrell Counties will be especially benefited by this Publication.

But will have brought to its columns talent and culture to make it valuable to the people, and systematic management to make it prosperous and enduring.

THE INTELLIGENCER

WILL NOT BE A LAME NOR FEBBLE NEWSPAPER,

the latest news, from every quarter, will be carefully collated and presented.

MARKETS:

The markets of Washington, New Berne, and New York, will be regularly exhibited.

TERMS:

One copy for one year, \$3 00
" six months, - - 2 00

CLUB RATES.

Clubs of 10, 1 year, - - \$25 00
" 20, " - - - - 40 00

Advertising & Job Work pledged on good terms, with neatness and dispatch.

We will furnish Blanks of every description, to County officers, and others, at short notice, for cash only. Job Work, from a small card to a large poster, can be executed at this office as cheap as the cheapest!

feb 10, 1869.

TO SHIPPERS, &c.

R. L. MYERS, T. H. B. MYERS. JOHN MYERS' SONS

COMMISSION MERCHANTS, RECEIVING AND FORWARDING AGENTS, Washington, N. C.

Liberal advances made on COTTON and other produce to our consignment.

FOR TARBORO and intermediate landings ON TAR RIVER, THE STEAMER



COTTON PLANT, Capt. J. K. HATTON

is running regularly between WASHINGTON AND

TARBORO', LEAVING

WASHINGTON Monday, Wednesday and Friday

at 6 o'clock a. m. and TARBORO',

on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock a. m.

FREIGHT taken to all points on the river.

THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED ON THE BOAT FOR WILMINGTON & WELDON,

and all points on the W. & W. R. R.

This is the cheapest and most expeditious route for passengers bound East, West, North and South, close connections made with the cars of the W. & W. R. R., a special train connects with the COTTON PLANT, at Tarboro'.

JOHN MYERS' SONS.

PROVISIONS AND GROCERIES:

Mess and Rump PORK, CORN and MEAL, FLOUR of all grades, English Island and Cuba MOLASSES, in Hogsheads and Barrels, Raw and Refined SUGAR, Rio and Laguna COFFEE, Turks Island SALT, American and Liverpool Ground ALUM SALT.

SOAPS, Adamantine CANDLES, PERAFINE CANDLES—the cheapest and best Candle in use.

For sale at JOHN MYERS' SONS. apr:27tf

COTTON GINS!

We are Agents for the Taylor, or BROWN COTTON GINS Manufactured by W. G. OLEMONS BROWN & CO., Columbus, Ga.

These are the best GINS ever introduced in this Market; and have nearly Superseded all others made. THOSE WHO HAVE USED THEM, WILL NEVER USE ANY OTHER GIN.

Call and See Samples! JOHN MYERS' SONS. jan 9-1y

1869!

J. J. WHITEHURST has just returned from the

North

with an elegant and complete stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

Consisting of Dry Goods,

Boots AND Shoes

AND CLOTHING!

HIS STOCK OF Ladies Dress Goods

IS ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE AND BRILLIANT EVER BROUGHT TO THIS MARKET.

Ladies wishing to purchase their SPRING AND SUMMER outfit, will find the most beautiful Imperial Cloths, Silver Cloths, Summer Poppins, Grenadines, Muslins, Gingham, &c.

HIS STOCK OF LADIES' SHOES

is very large and well-selected. It would be well for those wishing to obtain a cheap and elegant shoe, to give this part of his stock an examination.

The attention of Gentlemen is especially called to his large assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING and Furnishing goods

which will be sold for SMALL PROFITS.

J. J. WHITEHURST having taken great pains in the selection of his goods, and having made each department as complete as possible, is determined to sell, for CASH, on terms as low as can be bought in this

MARKET.

mch 30 1y