

NEWS BY MAIL.

Eugene Harrell has been elected Captain of the Governor's Guard.

The colored graded school at Kinston was destroyed by fire Monday, the 12th.

Judge Walter Clark will deliver the Commencement address at the University, June 6th.

The State Superintendents of Public Instruction of all the Southern States will meet at Morehead City June 20th.

Randolph county has sixty-four post-offices, a larger number than any other county in the State.—Concord Times.

A gentleman told us recently that he once had a cousin named Miss May, who was born in May and her husband died in May. He also said that the eleventh child in his father's family was born on the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year.—Greenville Reflector.

The United States Rolling Stock Company has commenced the erection of its projected shops and foundries at Anniston, Ala. The capacity of the works will be, when everything gets in running order, about twenty to twenty-five freight cars per day, and from six to ten passenger cars per month.

At a meeting of the business men of Goldsboro it was determined to organize a stock company for the purpose of building a cotton factory to be operated on the co-operative plan. The capital stock will be \$100,000, and committees have been appointed to solicit subscriptions.—News and Observer.

Boston has lost her glory, her pride, her hero and her love, Prof. John Lawrence Sullivan failed to knock out Charley Mitchell. Mitchell did not knock out the Boston boy but tired him out. They fought 39 rounds lasting three hours and eleven minutes. Night put an end to the contest.—Tarboro Southerner.

A FARMERS' CLUB.

A Farmers' Club was organized at Yeopim in fourth Township, Chowan county, March 17th, 1888. W. J. Webb, Chairman, called the meeting to order. On motion, W. E. Jordan, was appointed Secretary, and J. N. Bass, Treasurer.

On motion, the following gentlemen were appointed as delegates to the County Convention to be held in Edenton on the first Saturday in April:—M. H. Hughes, J. N. Bass, W. H. Jordan and Thos. A. Harrell. As alternates, V. Beasley, Dr. Thos. Leary, R. F. Bass and W. E. Jordan.

On motion, the Chairman was made Ex-officio Chairman of delegates. Jas. G. Williams, Esq., was appointed to deliver an address on some practical subject at our next meeting.

On motion, agreed that we meet on Saturday before the 3d Sunday in each month at 3 o'clock P. M.

On motion, the Secretary was requested to furnish copies of these proceedings to the Enquirer and FISHERMAN & FARMER, and request publication. The meeting then adjourned, to meet Saturday, April the 14th, at 3 o'clock P. M.

W. E. JORDAN, Sect'y.
W. J. WEBB, Chairman.

If country newspapers were to publish the names of subscribers who take, read and enjoy, and are gratified by, yet refuse to pay for, their home papers, the reputation of most communities for moral honesty would depreciate ten per cent., says the New York Sun. An editor's labor is seldom esteemed or compensated. A lawyer will give you five minutes' advice on a topic and charge you \$5.00 for it. An editor will give you advice on a hundred topics and charge you five cents a copy for his paper, and very often five cents given to an editor will save \$5.00 given to a lawyer. In fact no other business is so universally robbed and swindled out of their labor and capital as country newspaper publishers.

THE NEW DRYDOCK CAVES IN.

Yesterday afternoon, while a number of men were at work on the new drydock, a portion of it gave way, and caved in, about twenty men barely escaped with their lives. This is the second time that this has occurred. The land where the dock is being built is made land, consequently it cannot be depended on. A great deal of piling, &c., will have to be done.—Norfolk Virginian, 18th.

A very worthy colored man named Patton Beckham, was found murdered on the plantation of Deputy Sheriff White, in Iredell county, last Tuesday morning. A white man named Nance and his two sons are charged with the crime and have been arrested. They will make seven persons in Iredell county jail to be tried for murder.

LOTS GIVEN AWAY!

Montrose, Chowan Co., N. C.

Montrose, N. C., is situated on the Chowan River, and is the terminal of the Suffolk & Carolina Railway. The land is high and dry, and the water excellent. I will give lots to persons who will build two story houses in good style, for the following purposes:

- 1 Lot for Grocery Store.
- 1 " " Hardware "
- 1 " " Gents Furnishing Goods "
- 1 " " Dry Goods Store "
- 1 " " Shoe and Hat "
- 1 " " Clothing "
- 1 " " Stove and Tinware Store.
- 1 " " Furniture Store.
- 1 " " Agricultural Implants "
- 1 " " Millinery Store.
- 1 " " Bakery "
- 1 " " Coach Factory.
- 1 " " Cotton "
- 1 " " Tobacco "
- 1 " " Shuttle block Factory.
- 1 " " Door, Sash and Blind.
- 1 " " Barrel Factory.
- 1 " " Cotton Seed Oil Factory.
- 1 " " Canning Factory.

W. M. T. WOODLEY.
Chowan P. O., Chowan Co., N. C.,
February 29th, 1888.

STEWART & KEAGLE,
Wholesale Commission Merchants,
AND FRESH FISH DEALERS,



Oysters, Produce, Melons and FRUIT.

Pratt Street Wharf. Office corner Pratt and Calvert Streets, BALTIMORE, MD.

Consignments solicited and prompt returns.

References—Franklin Bank, W. J. Carroll & Co., wholesale grocers, Keagle & Geuder, oysters and fruit packers, Baltimore, Md.

CHAS. WATKINS & CO.,

General Commission Merchants,
1412, 14 & 16 CARY STREET,
RICHMOND, : : : VA.



Sale of North Carolina SALTED HERRING a Specialty

Liberal advances made on consignments. Our long and extensive experience in this branch of business, together with the satisfaction that our transactions have generally given to our patrons, we hope, will prove a greater guarantee to them for the future than any extravagant promises that we can make.

CHARLES PHILIPSEN,

North River FISH AND GAME CO.,

COMMISSION DEALER IN

FRESH FISH,



Terrapin and Game,

25 and 26 Vesey Pier, NEW YORK.

SHAD a specialty—Stencils furnished. Refer by permission to Demarest & Jeroleman, 103 Barclay St., and North River Bank, New York.

S. L. STORER & Co.

Successors to Chappel & Storer,
Wholesale Commission Dealers and
Shippers of all kinds of

Fresh Fish,



Lobsters, Turtle, Etc.

16 Fulton Fish Market,
NEW YORK.

Stencils and Stationary furnished on application.

SHIP TO
J. J. SCOGGINS & CO.,
WHOLESALE
Commission Merchants,



Fresh Fish

Terrapin, Game and Produce.

Sales and Check or Cash Daily.

Stencils Free.

Telegraph quotations furnished when desired. Remember the address,

J. J. SCOGGINS & CO., 112 & 114 Grant Street, Baltimore, Md.

LANPHEAR & HAFF,

Wholesale Commission Dealers in



FRESH FISH,

Lobsters, Etc.

No. 12 Fulton Fish Market,

New York City.

If you want to obtain the highest market price for your

Fresh Fish



Game and Terrapin,

—SHIP TO—

I. A. Lee & Co.

27 & 59 Dock St. Fish market,

Philadelphia; - Pa.

JOS. D. NEAL & CO.,

Wholesale Commission Merchants in

Fresh Fish,



Oysters, Terrapin and Game

Pier 16 and 328 S. Delaware Avenue,

Philadelphia.

Consignments solicited and prompt returns made. Please send for cards and stencils.

THE

BEST WAY

To get a First-Class Watch is in our Co-operative Clubs.

FINE WATCHES

AT THE

LOWEST CASH PRICES

Only \$1.00 a Week.

Thousands of the best \$38.00 Gold Watch ever made are selling in our Co-operative Clubs.

This is the Best, Cheapest, Most Convenient, and only co-operative System of selling watches. The watches are American Lever Stem Winders, containing every essential to accuracy and durability, and have, in addition, numerous patented improvements found in no other watch. They are absolutely the only Dust and Damp-proof Movements made in the World, and are jeweled throughout with GENUINE RUBIES. The Patent Stem Wind and Set is the strongest and simplest made. They are fully equal for appearance, accuracy, durability and service, to any \$75 Watch. Our co-operative Club System brings them within the reach of every one.

THE KEYSTONE WATCH CLUB CO.

926 Chestnut St.,

P. O. Box 928. Phila. Pa.

We refer to any Commercial Agency. WANTED. Clubs Constantly Forming. Join Now and Save Money.

E. G. SCHIRMAN,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
A full line of Foreign and Domestic Goods
always on hand. All work Warranted.

AT THE EXCELSIOR HOUSE,
GREEN FRONT, Main Street, Second Door South of A. T. Bush's corner,
CAN BE FOUND

Whiskies, Brandies, Wines, Ales, etc.,
the best for the very lowest cash prices and in quantities sufficient for any demand.

Cool Beer on Draught; also Bottle Goods of the best grades.

Cigars and Tobacco of brands well established.

This establishment is entirely new and constructed with an eye to the convenience of the trade. I invite competition as to the quality of my stock and the completeness of my structure. Give me a call.
Edenton, N. C. A. L. GREGORY, Proprietor.

BOOKS, THREE CENTS EACH!

The following books are published in neat pamphlet form, printed from good readable type on good paper and many of them handsomely illustrated. They are without exception the cheapest books ever published in any land or language, and furnish to the masses of the people an opportunity to secure the best literature of the day at the most trifling expense. In any other series these great works would cost many times the price at which they are here offered. Each one is complete in itself:

- Wonders of the World, NATURAL AND OTHER. Contains descriptions and illustrations of the most wonderful works of nature and of man. Very interesting and instructive.
- Wonders of the Sea. A description of the most wonderful and beautiful things found at the bottom of the ocean, with profuse illustrations.
- "A Pleasure Excursion," and Other Sketches. By "JOKAN ALLEN'S WORK." A collection of irresistibly funny sketches by the most popular humorist of the day.
- The Aunt Kuziah Papers. By CLARA AUGUSTA, author of "The Funz Documents." A most ridiculously funny book—never was equal to "Yellow Redoubt."
- Christmas Stories. By CHARLES DICKENS. Contains a number of the most charming Christmas stories ever written by the greatest writer who ever lived. Each one is complete.
- Round the Evening Lamp. A book of stories, pictures, puzzles and games, for the little folks at home.
- Popular Readings and Dialogues. Humorous, dramatic and pathetic, including all the latest, best and most popular.
- The Self-made Men of Modern Times. Contains portraits and descriptions of famous self-made Americans from the time of Franklin to the present.
- Familiar Quotations. Containing the origin and authorship of many phrases frequently met in reading and conversation. A valuable work of reference.
- Low Life in New York. A series of vivid pictures showing the dark side of life in the great city. Illustrated.
- The Road to Wealth. Not an advertising circular, but a thoroughly practical work, pointing out a way by which all may make money, easily, rapidly and honestly.
- One Hundred Popular Songs, sentimental, pathetic and comic, including many of the favorite, new and old.
- Bir Noel's Help. A Novel. By MRS. MAY ADELA PLUMING.
- A Battered Life. A Novel. By MARION HARLAND.
- An Old Man's Sacrifice. A Novel. By MRS. ANN S. WREN.
- 25¢—We will send any four of the above books by mail post-paid upon receipt of only 12 Cents; any ten for 25 Cents; any twenty-five for 50 Cents; the entire list (30 books) for 75 Cents; the entire list bound in boards with cloth back, for \$1.10. This is the greatest bargain in books ever offered. Do not fail to take advantage of it. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Postage stamps taken for fractions of a dollar. As to our reliability, we refer to any newspaper published in New York, likewise to the Commercial Agencies. All orders filled by return mail. Address all letters: F. M. LUTTON, Publisher, No. 65 Murray Street, New York.
- The Forecellin Hubbs. A Novel. By M. T. CALDER. Illustrated.
- The Old Oak Chest. A Novel. By ELIZABETH CORE. Illustrated.
- The Pearl of the Ocean. A Novel. By CLARA AUGUSTA. Illustrated.
- Hollow Ash Hill. A Novel. By MARGARET HARRIS. Illustrated.
- Chiff House. A Novel. By FRED W. PIERCE. Illustrated.
- Under the Lilacs. A Novel. By the author of "Dook Thorne." Illustrated.
- The Diamond Bracelet. A Novel. By Mrs. HENRY WOOD. Illustrated.
- The Lawyer's Secret. A Novel. By MRS. M. E. BRADTON. Illustrated.
- The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. A Novel. By R. L. STEVENSON. Illustrated.
- A Wicked Girl. A Novel. By MARY ORRILL BAY. Illustrated.
- Lady Valworth's Diamonds. A Novel. By "The Duchess." Illustrated.
- Between Two Sins. A Novel. By the author of "Dook Thorne." Illustrated.
- The Nine Hearts. A Novel. By R. L. PARKER. Illustrated.
- Dook's Fortune. A Novel. By FLORENCE WARDEN. Illustrated.
- A Low Marriage. A Novel. By MRS. M. E. BRADTON. Illustrated.
- The Guilty River. A Novel. By WILLIE COLLINGS. Illustrated.
- The Felon of Aves. A Novel. By FLORENCE MARYEV. Illustrated.
- Mont Grange. A Novel. By Mrs. HENRY WOOD. Illustrated.
- Forging the Fetters. A Novel. By Mrs. ALEXANDER EDWARDS. Illustrated.
- A Playwright's Daughter. A Novel. By Mrs. ANN EDWARDS. Illustrated.
- Fair but False. A Novel. By the author of "Dook Thorne." Illustrated.
- Lancaster's Cabin. A Novel. By Mrs. M. V. VICTOR. Illustrated.
- Florence Livingston's Oath. A Novel. By Mrs. MARY A. DRENNAN. Illustrated.
- The Woman Hater. A Novel. By Dr. J. H. ROBINSON. Illustrated.
- The California Cabin. A Novel. By M. T. CALDER. Illustrated.

Send to this office for
JOB PRINTING

FROM A

Business Card to a mammoth Poster

With neatness, correctness and dispatch.

Our Motto: Good Work
At Small Prices.

Every attention will be given to the printing of hand bills, letter and note heads, bill heads, wedding invitations and programmes.

Steam Boat House

AND OYSTER SALOON.

King St., 3 doors west of Bay View Hotel and next to the Dixon Building.
EDENTON, N. C.

R. B. Hayes, Prop'r.,

Who begs leave to inform his patrons of Chowan and the counties surrounding that on and after October 1st, running through the entire winter season, he will be prepared to furnish daily

FRESH NORFOLK OYSTERS

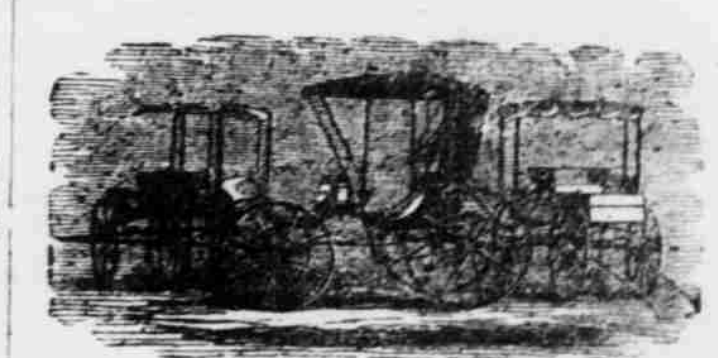
in any quantity desired.

Orders, large or small, from any distance will be promptly filled. Daily boats on the Chowan, Roanoke and Scuppernon Rivers will enable him to supply regularly and promptly any parties in Bertie, Washington and Hertford counties, either on general or special orders.

Patronage respectfully solicited. Terms as reasonable as the supply affords.

Printing cheap
At this office.

GEO. M. BAKER,
Coach Maker,
Edenton, N. C.



The above firm having just received a new supply of material, also increased their force, wish to state that they are now prepared to do all kind of

Coach work

in the very latest and improved style at prices to surprise everybody.

Before buying a Buggy, wagon, cart or a wheelbarrow, you should give them a trial, you will save money. If you have repairing of any kind to do they will suit you both in work and price.
Horse shoeing done cheap and neat.
sepl4-y