

THE WILMINGTON HERALD. THOMAS M. COOK & CO., EDITORS AND PROPRIETORS.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., DECEMBER 14, 1865.

THE LABOR QUESTION.

Accept the present situation as it is, and trust Divine Providence for the future. You are prepared for something that is different and better. That God who has led you thus far will provide.

The answer is simply this: Just in proportion as the freedmen show a disposition to shun work, put on airs and treat the whites with insolence and contempt, just in that proportion will they have to give way to the stern decrees of fate, and freedom, instead of proving a blessing, as it was designed, will be to them a curse.

But, on the other hand, if the freedmen shall deem it to their interest to show a willingness to become useful citizens instead of drones in the hive, as we think they eventually will, and go to work cheerfully and with the determination to earn an honest living; to treat their employers with respect, and to believe themselves in a proper and becoming manner, they will always find employment among the whites, and be treated with that respect and consideration which is their due.

NEEDLESS ALARM.

There seems to be an impression in this community as well as elsewhere that there is danger of a disturbance occurring among the colored population during the Christmas holidays. We do not say that this feeling is very general in our community, and we must confess that we do not in the least share in the concern which is felt on the subject.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

Right Rev. Thos. Atkinson, D. D., Visitor. Rev. Aldert Smedes, D. D., Rector. Rev. Bennett Smedes, Assistant.

F. W. Foster & Co.

71 Market street, (up stairs,) Wilmington, N. C. Land and Emigrant Agency. HAVING made the requisite arrangements we are prepared to furnish WHITE LABOR to any part of North Carolina on the following terms:

servants of the United States. It is a strange thing that much misunderstanding and confusion should exist. During the war almost everything has been destroyed; houses, fences, cattle, tools, &c., were swept away; many of the plantations were abandoned by their owners; the future was all uncertain.

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A SORROWFUL REMINISCENCE.

To the editor of the Wilmington Herald. A friend—one of the noble ones—who ministered alike to "friend and foe" during our terrible war, gave me, in the summer just gone, many incidents connected with hospital life in the south.

MARRIED.

In Magnolia, N. C., on the 12th inst., by the Rev. J. M. Sprunt, M. E. W. JOHNSTON, of Louisville, Ky., to Miss SALLIE E. HERRING, of this city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SACRED CONCERT.

AT THE very general request of those who were detained on account of the storm from the concert given at the City Hall, on Wednesday evening, in aid of St. John's Church, the committee have the pleasure to announce that the singers have consented to repeat the entertainment at the same place, on Saturday evening next, the 16th inst., on which occasion several new pieces will be given.

FOR SALE.

WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION, ON THE Second day of January next, at Commercial Corner, if not sooner disposed of, my plantation on the Plank Road, two miles East from Wilmington.

Shackelford, Haas & Co.

ARE receiving, and have now in store 100 Barrels Flour, 30 Casks Western Bacon, Sides and Shoulders, 30 Barrels Sugar, 25 Boxes Candy, 30 Boxes Cheese, 30 Half Boxes Raisons, and many other articles unnecessary to mention.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

PROFESSOR HENRY SCHUELLER offers his services as Teacher of Music, in all its branches, to the citizens of Wilmington. Piano tuned. Apply at Whitaker's book store, at the store of Jacob & Co., No. 9 Market street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR NEW YORK. MURRAY WELLS STEAMSHIP LINE. THE FINE fast sailing side wheel steamship CUMBERLAND, DEARBORN, Commander.

WHITEWASH HEADS.

DUSTERS, STENCIL, sash, strips, varnish and camel hair brushes, soap, harness, hand string, and lace leather, French and American calf skins, window glass, oil, paints, dry paints, varnishes, tin ware, powder, shot, acid caps, pistol cartridges, coach materials and coach hardware, builders hardware, saddlery goods, willow ware, holloware, cotton and wool cards, &c., &c.

PILOTAGE.

AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF Navigation and Pilotage, held on the 12th day of December, (instant), the following preamble and ordinance were adopted, to wit:

RATES OF PILOTAGE.

FOR THE CAPE Fear BARS AND RIVER, ESTABLISHED ON THE 12TH DAY OF DECEMBER 1865, IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXISTING ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

RIVER.

Every vessel drawing 6 feet water and under 7 feet—\$18 50 \$10 50. Every vessel drawing 7 feet water and under 8 feet—15 75 12 00. Every vessel drawing 8 feet water and under 9 feet—12 25 13 50.

Co-partnership Notice.

HAVING formed co-partnership for the purpose of carrying on the cabinet making and undertaking business, we will always keep on hand an assortment of Coffins, Cases, &c. All orders promptly attended to.

FRESH ORANGES.

RAISONS, CURRANTS, CITRON, MIXED CANDY, STICK CANDY, Wines and Cordials for.

CHRISTMAS.

AT GEO. Z. FRENCH & CO'S. No. 10 South Front street. 243-ts.

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Notice.

THE undersigned is now prepared to make Buggies, Sulkeys, Wagons, Carts and Drays to order, and also Blacksmithing neatly done, and all repairing done with neatness and at the shortest notice.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PROCLAMATION.

W. W. HOLDEN, PROVISIONAL GOVERNOR OF NORTH CAROLINA. WHEREAS, it has been represented to me that there is an urgent necessity in many of the counties of this State, that funds should be raised by taxation for the support of the poor.

SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY.

EXPRESS FORWARDERS. THE SOUTHERN EXPRESS CO., LATE THE ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY, IS NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE AND FORWARD with promptness and dispatch, all Freight, Money, and Valuables, to any point in the Southern States, and with their connection with THE ADAMS and HARRIS'S EXPRESS, can forward without delay to all points in the Northern States, either by Railroads or Steamers, as shippers may desire.

STEAM SAW MILLS.

POOLE & HUNT, Baltimore, Maryland, MANUFACTURERS OF PORTABLE and Stationary Steam Engines and Boilers, Steam Fire Engines, Portable Saw Mills, Gang and Single Saw Mills, Milling Machinery, Portable Grist Mills, Flour Mill Machinery.

SACRED CONCERT.

TICKETS of admission to the Sacred Concert at the City Hall on Wednesday evening next in aid of St. John's Church may be had of the Hon. JOHN DAWSON. At the store of J. M. LIPPITT, at WHITAKER'S book store, at the BANK OF WILMINGTON, of Col. DEROSSET, of JOHN L. HOLMES, Esq., or J. A. WILLARD, Treasurer.

Coal.

75 TONS STOVE COAL, for sale by HORACE M. BARRY. Dec. 12 242-s.

Auction Sales.

OF GOVERNMENT ANTHRACITE COAL, belonging to the Navy, to be sold on Tuesday, 19th day of December, 1865, at Newberne, N. C., 3,500 tons of Anthracite coal, more or less. Terms cash on delivery. Dec. 11 240-ts.

Home Insurance Co., OF NEW YORK.

Phenix Insurance Co., OF BROOKLYN, N. Y. Merchants' Insurance Co., OF HARTFORD, CONN. Representing Assets of \$10,000,000.

For Sale to Arrive.

2000 sacks Liverpool ground SALT. 5000 bushels Nova Scotia Oats superior quality. Dec 9 KIDDER & MARTIN. 240-3t.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS!!

WE are constantly receiving every variety of BOOKS, COMPRISING GALLERIES, SOUVENIRS, JUVENILES, &c., &c. TOYS OF ALL KINDS, AND FIRE WORKS INNUMERABLE.

DOLLER, POTTER & CO.

SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Dealers in Cotton, Naval Stores, &c. All consignments to this address are insured when on shipboard, with or without advice from the shippers. Usual cash advances made on consignments. Dec 12 242-1w.

LIQUORS, & C.

RUSS' ST. DOMINGO PREPARATIONS.

An infallible remedy for Diarrhoea, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, General Debility, &c. Especially recommended to weak and debilitated women and children. RECOMMENDED AND USED BY THE MEDICAL FACULTY.

RUSS' ST. DOMINGO WINE.

For the social circles.

RUSS' ST. DOMINGO PUNCH.

A delicious beverage. We challenge the world to produce as genuine articles as we above enumerated. TRY THEM. For sale by GEO. Z. FRENCH & CO., 10 South Front street, Wilmington, Nov. 30 238-1y

BOKER'S BITTERS.

THE oldest and best renowned. L. FUNKE, Jr., Sole Agent. 66 Liberty street, New York. Aug. 23d 148-3m

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S THROUGH LINE TO California.

TOUCHING AT MEXICAN PORTS, AND CARRYING THE U. S. MAIL. LEAVE PIERS No. 43 NORTH RIVER, foot of Canal street, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 11th, and 21st of every month (except when those dates fall on Sunday, and then on the preceding Saturday) for ASPINWALL, connecting, via Panama Railway, with one of the Company's Steamships from Panama for SAN FRANCISCO, touching at ACAPULCO.

THROUGH PASSAGE RATES IN CURRENCY.

First Cabin. Second Cabin. Steerage. \$350. \$250. \$125. Discount of ONE QUARTER from steamer's rates allowed to second cabin and steerage passengers with families. Also, an allowance of ONE QUARTER on through rates to clergymen and their families, and school teachers; soldiers having honorable discharges, HALF FARE.

FOR SALE.

ON THE SECOND day of January next, (unless sooner disposed of at private sale) at public auction in the town of Wilmington, the following valuable property: A THREE STORY BRICK STORE, On the South side of Market street, known as store No. 29, in Block 161.

FOR SALE.

ON THE SECOND day of January next, (unless sooner disposed of at private sale) at public auction in the town of Wilmington, the following valuable property: A BRICK STORE, On the North side of Market street, No. 15, Block 164. One row of ONE STORY BUILDINGS, On the South side of Princess street, in Block 164.

FOR SALE.

ON THE South-west corner of Front and Princess street, Block 164, and a THREE STORY BRICK STORE, On the South side of Market street, No. 22, Block 151. D. B. BAKER. Dec. 4th 236-2twts

Substitute for Peruvian Guano.

BAUGH & SONS, MANUFACTURERS AND PROPRIETORS, Store No. 20 South Delaware Avenue, PHILADELPHIA.

THIS VALUABLE MANURE

has been before the agricultural public, under one name for twelve years past, and its character for vigor of action and permanence in effect is well established. Before the war, it was introduced to some extent in the Southern States, and was found to be highly adapted to the culture of COTTON, TOBACCO AND ALL CROPS.

THOS. B. CARR, M. D., Dentist.

OFFICE and residence on Market street, next door west of Willis' Drug Store. Oct. 5th 185-3m

FURNITURE.

ESTABLISHED IN 1826. AN EXTENSIVE assortment of FURNITURE, and BEDDING every variety and style constantly on hand. Orders for the south carefully packed. WM. H. LEE. Oct. 30th 109 & 301 Fulton St., New York. 208-3m.

TO LET AND FOR SALE.

Hilton Plantation DWELLING HOUSE. UPLAND AND LOWLAND ATTACHED. WILL be rented until 1st October. For terms &c., apply to CROWLEY & MORRIS, Real Estate Brokers and Auctioneers. sept. 25th 176-tr

STEAM SAW AND PLANING MILL FOR SALE.

OFFER for sale my Steam Saw Mill property, one-horse engine to each Saw and Planing Mill, extensive pen for timber, commodious wharf, plenty of water, houses for accommodation of superintendents and employees. O. G. FARLEY & CO. sept. 21st 175-s

VALUABLE PLANTATION For Rent or Lease.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for rent, for one or five years, his plantation on Town Creek, ten miles below Wilmington. 500 acres are cleared and fenced, well adapted to the production of corn, cotton, wheat, potatoes, &c. and a part is excellent ground-pea land. In addition to which there is a Large Orchard of Fruit Trees, Bearing large quantities of fruit. On the place there are two framed dwelling houses, large barns, stables, &c. Also, seventy-two framed houses for laborers, now occupied by freedmen, most of whom may probably be hired to work on the place.

SLEEPY HOLLOW PLANTATION.

CIRCUMSTANCES over which I have no control, render the necessity of offering this desirable plantation and residence FOR SALE. It contains over 700 acres of Land, situated at the head of the Great Hollow of the Cape Fear river in Bladen county, near Colonel's Bluff, (a public landing) on the public road, 62 miles above Wilmington, 14 miles above Elizabeth, 24 miles below Fayetteville, 1/2 mile from Prospect Hill P. O., 2 miles from Mayesville, 14 miles from Lumberton, and about 10 miles in a direct line from the Wil., Char. & R. R. Road, in one of the most agreeable neighborhoods in the State.

WANTS.

TO a person desiring long life and a pleasant one, this place offers rare attractions. Plantation furniture, stock and provisions will be sold with the place if desired. Application may be made to me, upon the premises, or to O. G. Farley & Co., at Wilmington. HENRY NUTT. Sept. 30. 81

BANK OF WILMINGTON, NOTES WANTED.

WE wish to buy a limited amount of the above Bank Notes. Apply to WORTH & DANIEL, Browns' Wharves. Nov. 13. 218-s

Wanted.

\$90 A MONTH! Agents wanted for six entirely new articles, just out. Address O. T. GAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. sept. 13th 166-3m

Wanted.

\$25 A DAY! Agents wanted to sell a new and wonderful SEWING MACHINE, the only cheap one licensed. Address SHAW & CLARK, Biddeford, Maine. sept 13th 166-3m

SCHOOLS.

The Bingham School, MEBADEVILLE, N. C.

THE next session will begin March 7th, 1866, and continue forty weeks, presenting to the people of the east the advantage of a summer session and a winter vacation.

Wilmington MALE AND FEMALE SEMINARY.

CORNER of Second and Chestnut streets. G. W. JEWETT, Principal. Oct. 14 198-s

HOTELS.

BAILEY'S STAR HOTEL, FRONT STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C. JAMES H. BAILEY, Proprietor. HOUSE open for the reception of guests at all hours of the day and night.

STILLS! STILLS!!

WHISKY STILLS COMPLETE. For sale by HART & BAILY. sept. 5. 159-4t.

HOWE'S SCALES.

AN ASSORTMENT OF SIZES JUST RECEIVED including Counter Scales. WORTH & DANIEL, Sale Agents. Nov. 12. 218-s

Farina, BROWN CORN STARCH, CHOCOLATE.

At 11 & 13 Front street. CHAS. D. MYERS, Agent. Nov 23 229