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WILMINGTON, N. C., DECEMBER 27.

MR. RAYMOND'S REMARKS.

We surrender a large amount of space to-day in printing the remarks of the Hon. Henry J. Raymond, of New York, in reply to the strictures of Sumner and Stevens on the president's late message to congress. And we are convinced that we could in no more satisfactory way to our readers appropriate this space.

The utterances of a leader of such an influential political organization are more than interesting—they are important, they become, in a great measure, the foreshadowings of the policy of the government, so long as the government shall continue to be influenced and guided as it is now influenced and guided.

But beyond this important character of this speech, or these remarks. They will be eagerly perused in the south because of the antagonism they develop between the party of the administration and the radicals. Messrs. Sumner, Stevens, Wilson, Chandler and others of that stripe, are very noisy in congress, but as they possess but little of the brains that enter into the composition of the bodies to which they belong, they can be counted as having little influence.

A CONFLICT OF AUTHORITIES. At the last term of the New Hanover county court two negroes, convicted of larceny, were sentenced to be sold into servitude for a term of five years, in accordance with the provisions of an old statute of this state, in force long before the war.

THE PROSPERITY OF THE SOUTH.—It is reported that General Grant remarked during his recent visit to Raleigh, that in ten years the south would be richer than before the war. The prosperous appearance and advertising columns of the southern journals, says an exchange, indicate that the commerce of the southern cities is rapidly increasing, and that their business prospects are decidedly encouraging.

ALBANY ALE, IN Bbls. and Hf. Bbls., Hops, Malt, Cox's Sparkling Gelatin, Lemon, Vanilla and other Extracts, Fresh Peaches, Tomatoes, Preserves, &c., &c., at GEO. D. FRENCH & CO'S, 10 South Front St.

THE NEW STYLES HATS. WE ARE offering many new styles DRESS AND SOFT HATS, HATS OF EVERY KIND, HATS OF EVERY QUALITY, HATS AT EVERY PRICE.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS.—The ancient and honorable Tammany society, of New York, are making extensive arrangements for the semi-centennial celebration of the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans.

idea of old Tammany, and creditable to the wisdom and patriotism that animates that venerable association, that seeks opportunities of bringing together once more the people of all parts of the country, and aims to cement the friendship that should ever mark the intercourse between citizens of a common country.

MARRIED, In this town, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. B. Grant, Mr. GEORGE FRANK to Miss JULIA ANN MOTT.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Window Glass, all Sizes. DRY and Mixed Paints, Oil, Putty, Powder, Shot and Caps, Coach Hardware and Materials, Builders' Hardware, House Hardware, Coopers', Blacksmiths', Tanners', Carpenters', Shoemakers', and Coachmakers' Tools, Window Shades, Blinds, Mouldings, Hollowware, Earthenware, Tin ware, Willowware, Saddlery Goods, &c., &c., at JAMES WILSON'S Hardware and Harness Establishment, Market street, near the Wharf, 333-11.

Coal, Coal, Coal. WE are daily expecting 150 tons best Lehigh Coal, the very best quality for family use, which we will sell in quantities to suit customers, for cash.

New Music, New Music. A LARGE lot and pretty assortment by express this morning at WHITAKER'S Book Store, 253-s.

Harper for January 1866, BY express this morning at WHITAKER'S Book Store, 253-s.

Draft Books, BEAUTIFULLY gotten up, at WHITAKER'S Book Store, 253-s.

Cock Fight. THERE will be a grand Cock Fight at the Railroad Hotel Saloon to-day, Wednesday, Dec. 27th, 1866, commencing at 11 o'clock, A. M.

The Germans. ARE respectfully invited to call and see our assortment of GERMAN MUSIC, at WHITAKER'S Book Store, 253-s.

MASONIC CELEBRATIONS. ST. JOHN'S DAY, DEC. 27, 1866. CONCORD Chapter No. 1 meet at St. John's Hall at 9 o'clock A. M.

For Baltimore. The schooner "FRANCISCO," HOPKINS & JENNINGS' LINE, will sail as above, with despatch. For freight, apply to E. A. KEITH, 253-5d1s.

For New York. The schooner FRANCES SATTERLEE, JONAS SMITH'S LINE, will sail as above, with despatch. For freight, apply to E. A. KEITH, 253-5d1s.

French Spring Tps. A VERY HANDSOME and ingenious Toy. A few dozen at Geo. Myers', 11 and 13 Front street.

All the Trimmings. FOR A CHRISTMAS DINNER can be found at 11 and 13 Front street.

Scotch Irish AND BAKER WHISKEY, Pure Wines and Liquors, imported Champagne, at Geo. Myers', 11 and 13 Front street.

Many Styles. PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, handsome assortment, beautiful and appropriate present, at 11 and 13 Front street.

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S FINE Dress, Walking and Common Shoes, very large assortment, very low prices, at Geo. Myers', 11 and 13 Front street.

WE HAVE QUITE A VARIETY OF HANDSOME AND SUITABLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS, at 11 and 13 Front street.

No. 1 Peruvian Guano! 100 TONS TO ARRIVE per schr. John. For sale by MURRAY & MURCHISON, 251-6t.

LIQUORS, &C. RUSS' ST. DOMINGO PREPARATIONS.

RUSS' ST. DOMINGO BITTERS. An infallible remedy for Diarrhea, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, General Debility, &c.

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.

LARGE SALE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY, Fayetteville, N. C., COMMENCING THURSDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1866.

Consisting of the following articles, viz: 3,500,000 Bricks, 2 Fire Engines, with Hose, 1 Boiler, 30 feet long, 3 ft. dia., 4 " 42 " " 44 " " 2 " 12 to 15 ft. long, 500 ft. of Iron Pailing, 8 ft. high 1 inch dia., bar and 6 inches between bars, 20 Tons of Old Iron, consisting broken machinery, 2 eight inch Howitzers, 9 " Columbiads, 1 thirty-two Pounder, 5 six Pounders, 100 lb. Grindstones, 1 " solid Ship, 1 " Gas Pipe, 9 Iron Lamp Posts for Gas.

TO TURPENTINE MAKERS. 13,000 ACRES OF VIRGIN TURPENTINE LANDS FOR SALE OR RENT, IN RICHMOND COUNTY, N. C.

FOR SALE. 50 BBLs. BALTIMORE Super. and Family Flour, 30 boxes State Cheese, 30 kegs Nails, 100 cases "Old Bourbon" Whiskey, 50 boxes Adamantine Candles, 100 boxes Salt, 12 doz. painted Buckets, 150 lbs. Butter, Soda and Sugar Crackers, 10 boxes Soap, 10 boxes Glass.

Kent, Tucker & Cartet, 144 WATER STREET NEW YORK, MANUFACTURERS OF CORDAGE Bagging, Bale Rope, Twines, Packing Yarn, Oakum, &c., &c.

B. R. MOORE, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW OFFICE in Journal Building, Wilmington, N. C.

Coal. 150 TONS ORCHARD Vine, Red Ash, Grate and Stove Coal, daily expected by Brig "Abby Watson." For sale by WM. L. DEBOSETT, 249-2w.

SMITH & CURLETT, MANUFACTURERS OF SOAPS AND TALLOW CANDLES, Corner of Holliday and Pleasant streets, Baltimore.

Just Received, COMPLETE assortment of KEROSENE LAMPS AND OIL, D. A. SMITH, 231-1-s.

For Sale in Newbern, FIVE TURPENTINE STILLs, in complete order. Will be sold low to close a concern. Apply to POALK & ALLEN, 234-1e.

Coal—Coal. SEND in your orders for Coal to the COAL and WOOD YARD, foot of 8th street. Best kinds of COAL and WOOD always on hand.

THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE. 1866. OUR MOST MOMENTOUS, arduous struggle having resulted in the triumph of American nationality, the utter discourtesy and overthrow of secession and slavery, THE TRIBUNE, profoundly rejoicing in the result, will labor to conserve the legitimate fruits of this grand, benignant victory by rendering liberty and opportunity the common heritage of the whole American people now and evermore.

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THE GREAT FAMILY NEWS-PAPER. NOW IS THE TIME TO SUBSCRIBE. THE NEW YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE.

is printed on a large double-medium sheet, making eight pages of six columns each. It contains all the important Editorials published in THE DAILY TRIBUNE, except those of merely local interest.

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Drafts on New York, or Post Office orders, payable to the order of THE TRIBUNE, being safer, are preferable to any other mode of remittance. Address THE TRIBUNE, Tribune Buildings, New York.

TO LET AND FOR SALE. Hilton Plantation DWELLING HOUSE.

UPLAND AND LOWLAND ATTACHED. WILL be rented until October. For terms &c., apply to CRONLY & MORRIS, Real Estate Brokers and Auctioneers, sept. 25th.

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 superintendants and employees.

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 for the production of corn, cotton, wheat, potatoes, &c., and a part is excellent ground-pea land.

SLEEPY HOLLOW PLANTATION. CIRCUMSTANCES over which I have no control, forces the necessity of offering this desirable plantation and residence FOR SALE.

The Dwelling is surrounded by a beautiful 10 acre grove of oaks, hickory and elm trees, a well improved garden, 20 acres devoted to apple and peach orchards and grape vines in fine bearing condition, and 20 acres are devoted to Mulberry trees, containing 8 varieties, which are in full bearing from May until August, and is invaluable for hog and poultry raising; fire wood and timber are abundant and convenient.

SCHOOLS. The Bingham School, MEBANEVILLE, 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 Chesnut streets. G. W. JEWETT, Principal. 185-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.

STEAM SAW MILLS. POOLE & HUNT, Baltimore, Maryland, MANUFACTURE PORTABLE and Stationary Steam Engines and Boilers, Steam Fire Engines, Portable Saw Mills, Gang and Single Saw Mills, Mining Machinery, Flour Mill Machinery.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY. NEW STORE. THE UNDERSIGNED, has taken the store on 11 Market street, next door to Messrs. Kahm-weller and Brother, and will in a few days receive a stock of Books and Stationery, to which he would invite public attention.

THOMAS LYNCH, WHOLESALE Grocer and Commission Merchant, No. 11 and 12 Water street, Corner Princess, Wilmington, N. C. Cotton and Naval Stores, purchased and received on consignment. Liberal cash advances made.

MISCELLANEOUS. Chas. D. Myers, Agent, 11 AND 13 FRONT STREET.

WE offer for the approaching HOLIDAYS the handsomest and largest stock of FANCY GOODS in town. Everything to suit the taste and please the eye. PRUNES, FIGS, CANDIES, PRESERVES, SAUCE, JELLIES, RAISONS, CITRONS, CURRENTS, FRESH FRUITS, ORANGES, APPLES, SARDINES, FRENCH MUSTARD, TABLE OIL, PRESERVED GINGER, ALMONDS, FILBERTS, HAZEL NUTS, ALMOND, MACARONI, PINE APPLE CHEESE, PURE WINES, SPICES & FRESH SALMON, GREEN CORN, TOMATOES, GELATINE VERMICELLI, COCHRAN & RUSSELL, COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Wrapping Paper. OLD NEWSPAPERS, in good order, suitable for wrapping paper, for sale by the hundred at THE HERALD OFFICE, Oct. 25.

COCHRAN & RUSSELL, COMMISSION MERCHANTS. DEALERS in Cotton, Naval Stores and Southern Produce. Liberal cash advances made on consignments. 22 North Front street, Philadelphia. sept. 2d 157-6m

FOR CHRISTMAS! A HANDSOME GIFT, in a pair of those Polish boots. All kinds for children, misses and ladies. A handsome shoe, the best ornament to dress. Don't fail to call at No. 11 Market street and get a pair of these beautiful shoes. They are unusually decorated and this is the only place in the city where they can be obtained. GEO. R. FRENCH & SON, 245-2w.

SUNDRIES. 50 barrels Mess and Prime Pork. 10 hds. Bacon sides and shoulders. 150 barrels Apples, Onions and Potatoes. 500 second hand Spt. Barrels. 200 new N. Y. made Spt. Barrels.

Co-partnership Notice. MR. CHAS. H. FRENCH, is this day admitted a partner in our firm. GEO. Z. FRENCH & CO. 243-1m.

SADDLERY, HARNESS, AND Trunks. JAMES S. TOPHAM & CO., Manufacturers Wholesale and Retail DEALERS IN HARNESS, TRUNKS, Foreign and Domestic Saddlery, HARDWARE, &c., &c., &c. A LARGE assortment of the following goods on hand and constantly being received.

Sundries. GENUINE PERUVIAN GUANO, FORD'S FERTILIZER, PHOSPHAT OF LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, HAIR, ROUGH RICE, BACON, SHOULDERS, HOWE'S SCALES assorted sizes.

WORTH & DANIEL, Brown's Wharves, South Water St Oct. 13. 129 s

Taylor, Brown, Eagle, Southern, Emory & Craven McCharty and Excelsior COTTON GINS, WITH Engines, Horse Powers, and everything complete for running, in store, and ready for immediate shipment, at the lowest rates, by JOHN B. FULLER, No. 8 Day street. New York 205-1y

BLANKS. CHARTER PARTY, DRAY TICKETS, RECEIPTS ON ALL RAILROADS, MANIFESTS FOR SHIPS AND STEAMERS, BILLS OF LADING, For sale at THE HERALD OFFICE 207-s.