

WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON N. C. FEBRUARY 13, 1888.

POST OFFICE DIRECTORY.

MAILS CLOSE. Northern through mail... 7:30 P. M. Daily... Sunday excepted... 8:00... Monday, Wednesday and Friday... Fayetteville via Warsaw... Monday, Wednesday and Friday... Smithville via Steam... three times a week... MAILS ARRIVE AT OFFICE. Northern mail 9:00 P. M., daily except Sun day... Fayetteville mail 9:00 P. M. - Three times a week... Smithville mail 1:30 P. M. - Three times a week... Office open from 7:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Sunday 8:30 to 8:30 A. M. ED. R. BRINK, P. M. Post Office, Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 17, 1867

Cousin Bernard.

Cousin Bernard of the "Wilmington Star" Although he twinkles and winks afar, Once left his home and went to the war, And "kivered" his heels with "rosam and tar," He knew when the fight was hottest and thick, Unless they were tarred, his feet would not stick - So like a brave man with his musket and tar Cousin Bernard went off to the war.

Cousin John.

Now after a while his tar was all gone And Cousin Bernard came up to see John McDonald of Chatham. It was very short metre With Cousin Bernard - so he made salt-petre And Potash, and stayed from the heat of the war, For Cou in Bernard of the "Wilmington Star" Which twinkles and winks and glimmers afar, Had lost his musket and used up his tar. The war was all over - farewell to salt-petre, And Cousin Bernard's a mo-t happy creature, But should it begin, in a month or a day, I learn he has found him a place where to stay; In the Insane Asylum, sweet Cousin Bernard All happy and crazy and feathered and tarred Will take his abode and keep out of the war, Nor use any more salt-petre and tar.

Bob O. Link.

Bob O. Link, to Rice Bird, Esq. Once more I send you a morsel which I have chanced to spy with my little eye - so I hid it under my wing till it could be Post ed. Who is Cousin Bernard? Did you know before that he is a regular tar heel? Do soldiers put tar on their heels to make them stick - when the battle is hot and thick? Would soldiers run away if they didn't stick themselves down with tar? Did this Cousin Bernard sneak out of the war, by pleading that he was a salt-petre manufacturer away up in Chatham County? Who is he any way? Is he the "Devil" of the "Carolinian"? If so, how I do pity him - to be obliged to be the "Devil," of such an arbitrary man of meanness as that "Carolinian." But do tell - I know nothing. Your brother, BOB O. LINK.

Custom House, Wilmington, N. C.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, Feb. 3, 1888. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL sell at Public Auction, in the Public Warehouse at this place, on Wednesday the 12th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following described merchandise, imported in the Am. Brig "Ann," Johnson, Master, by Shackelford, Hass & Co., Feb. 12, 1888, from Nassau, the same having been surrendered for the duties, to wit: 22 cases Whisky, 19 cases Brandy, (Cognac), 2 kegs Brandy, 1 bbl. Gin, 1 box Mustard, and 1 one-eighth cask Brandy. D. RUMLEY, Collector.

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A German Silver Frame or Plate, on which any one can form a Scarf or Tie in any number of styles, with a small piece of silk or other material. No sewing required. ONLY FIFTY CENTS EACH! They are light and pleasant; they are durable they do not break the collar in adjusting; they do not come loose; with one every man can make his own Scarf, and being of German Silver they will not corrode. Agents wanted everywhere. A liberal discount of the price. JAS. C. MERRITT, Sole Proprietor, Office and Manufactory, 507 West Fourth Street, N. Y. Jan 21

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WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including flour, sugar, coffee, and other goods. Columns include item names and prices per unit.

TO SOUTHERN PLANTERS.

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Treasury of the United States.

DIVISION OF THE NATIONAL BANKS WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 20, 1867.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED THAT THE First National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., a Banking Association organized under the Act "to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States Bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 24, 1864, having complied with the requirements of section 45 of said Act, and with the regulations of this Department made in pursuance thereof, has this day been designated as a Depository of Public Moneys, except receipts from Customs, and by virtue of such designation will also be employed as a Financial Agent of the Government. (Signed) F. E. SPINNER, Treasurer, U. S. 1-1f

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