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MASONIC DIRECTORY.

St. John's Lodge No. 1. Meets last Tuesday evening in each month. HORACE H. MUNSON, W. M. Wm. Poisson, Sec'y.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, District of Cape Fear, in the District of North Carolina.

WHEREAS a libel has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Cape Fear, on the seventh day of November, 1867, by George Harris, William Harris, and Andrew J. Howell, partners under the name and style of Harris & Howell, owners of the steamer Brandt, of Wilmington, and John F. Gilbert, Master of the said steamer, for themselves and all their children, against the schooner Eva Adele, her tackle, apparel, furniture and cargo—alleging in substance, that the said schooner Eva Adele, while endeavoring to get into the Port of Wilmington, went ashore, on the South side of New Inlet Bar, amid the South Bockley where she stuck fast, and was unable to relieve herself from the perilous condition in which she was then placed.

Government Wrecks.

HAVING BEEN NOTIFIED BY THE SECRETARY of the Treasury that a contract has been made by him with GEO. Z. FRENCH and ROBERT STEVENSON for saving property from wrecks of all vessels belonging to the Government, on and adjacent to this coast, and having been appointed by him as agent to superintend their operations, I hereby warn all persons from interfering with said wrecks or any other Government property on the coast.

REVIEW OF THE CONSTITUTION.

ADDRESS OF MESSRS. RODMAN AND GAHAGAN.

To the People of North Carolina: The Convention which met under the Reconstruction acts of Congress, to form a Constitution "Republican in form" for the State of North Carolina, preparatory to its readmission into the Union, have finished their labors, and now present the Constitution to the people of the State for their ratification.

THE BILL OF RIGHTS.

states clearly "the general and essential principle of Liberty and good government," and secures them by all the safeguards which experience can suggest. The great change indicated by this Bill of Rights is, that it removes every argument on which the doctrine of the right of secession has been advocated, and secures forever the integrity of the Union and the peace and prosperity of the United States.

THE DEBT OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The writer has noticed with not a little surprise several recent articles in the public press reflecting unjustly, as he conceives, upon the credit of the State of North Carolina. Prominent among these is a communication published in the Journal of Commerce a few days since, and signed "Constant Reader," in which the impression is given that the debt of the State amounts to the large sum of \$27,300,000.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Experiences will soon demonstrate that the charges made in this branch of the government taken altogether, are of great value. Some may doubt the propriety of clothing judges by the people, but the people select wisely, no harm can possibly result.

COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

The Republican principle of local self-government, which has been so fertile a source of good effects in the North-Eastern and North-Western States, has been applied to the administration of the local affairs of counties, and townships.

EDUCATION.

The Constitution framed by our ancestors in 1776, recognized the value of education. It provided for a University. This Constitution provides for a University and for free public schools for all the children of the State.

IMPRISONMENT FOR DEBT.

A liberal Homestead is reserved to the unfortunate debtor. The barbarous punishments of whipping, branding, and cropping will be hereafter unknown. Crime is as often the result of an ignorance of the means of getting an honest living, as of a criminal disposition.

So much for the ability.

As to the disposition, no better evidence can be furnished than the action of the late Convention. Indeed, it was after a complete canvass of the whole subject that they incorporated into the Constitution, by a vote almost unanimous, those financial provisions which are so justly entitled to command the confidence of the public.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

WALDRON IS NOW OFFERING Dry Goods CHEAPER Than any other House in the State.

GOODS,

and now offers for sale one of the MOST EXTENSIVE and BEST ASSORTED STOCKS OF DRY GOODS in the country, at Panic Prices of 1857.

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A full line at the very bottom of the market. Calicoes 64 cents and upwards. Bleached Shirtings 64 cents and upwards. Brown Goods, very low.

DRESS GOODS.

Merinoes, Poplins, Empress Cloths, Alpaca and other popular fabrics, in all desirable Style and Colors, all of which will be sold at popular prices.

Housekeeping Goods

A splendid stock, consisting in part of Quilts, Tickings, Sheetings, Table Cloths, Table Damasks, Napkins, Bedspreads, Towels, and Toweling, from the ordinary qualities to the world renowned Barnsey Goods! Fruit Cloths and Embossed Table Covers in wool and felt all colors and prices.

BUSINESS CARDS.

DANIEL A. SMITH, Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds of Parlor, Dining Room, Chamber and Office Furniture, Mattresses, Feathers, Window Shades, Wall Paper, &c., also Sash, Blinds and Doors.

DOLLNER, POTTER & CO, Commission Merchants, New York.

HATCH, ESTES & CO., GENERAL Commission Merchants, NO. 132 FRONT STREET, CORNER OF PINE NEW YORK.

GEO. Z. FRENCH, No. 10, South Front Street, WILMINGTON, N. C., WHOLESALE DEALER IN Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, Cigars.

WOOD, WILLOW, and Common Crockery Ware. Cotton and Naval Stores Bought or Received on Consignment.

J. C. MANN, MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN STAVES, SHINGLES, LAST BLOCKS, &c.

JOSEPH H. NEFF, SHIP CHANDLER, AND DEALER IN SHIP STORES, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, Paints, Oils, Boats, Oars, &c.

PETTEWAY & MOORE, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NORTH WATER STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C.

SOLE AGENTS for the Manufacturers are prepared to fill, on the most reasonable terms, orders for GEO. KIDD'S CELEBRATED COTTON GINS, SUPER-PHOSPHATE, BROWN'S COUNTER, PLATFORM and RAILROAD SCALES.

WALDRON'S, THE CHEAP STORE, THE CHEAP STORE, 4 SOUTH FRONT STREET. SPECIAL NOTICE.

As a particular favor, WALDRON requests that his Friends and Customers come prepared with "Greenbacks." The times are such that hereafter he cannot take Gold in payment for Goods.

RAIL ROADS.

WILMINGTON AND WELDON R. R. COMPANY. Notice to Passengers.

ON AND AFTER THE 10th INSTANT, THE passenger trains will leave Wilmington at 5 o'clock, A. M., and 5 o'clock, P. M., and arrive in Wilmington at 7:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., until further notice.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, WIL & MANCHESTER R. R. CO.

ON AND AFTER MARCH 30th, PASSENGER Trains of this Road will run on the following Schedule: EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington..... 8:00 P. M. Arrive Florence..... 3:15 A. M. Arrive at Kingsville..... 7:30 A. M. Leave Kingsville..... 2:30 A. M. Arrive at Wilmington..... 3:35 P. M.

ON AND AFTER FRIDAY THE 10th INSTANT, the ACCOMMODATION TRAIN on this Road will leave Wilmington on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 8:30 A. M.; arrive at Florence at 6:50 P. M.; Kingsville 3:00 A. M. Leave Kingsville Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, at 8:30 P. M.; arrive at Florence at 3:15 A. M., and Wilmington at 4:10 P. M.

WILMINGTON CHARLOTTE AND RUTHERFORD R. R. COMPANY.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Wilmington, N. C., Aug 9, 1867.

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY NEXT, AUG 18th, the Passenger train on this Road will leave Wilmington on Mondays, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, A. M.

ANNAMESSIC LINE? THE GREAT THROUGH SHORT ROUTE TO THE NORTH BY RAIL.

THE most direct and comfortable route to PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, AND ALL POINTS NORTH AND EAST.

Through Tickets sold and Baggage Checked from all principal cities in the Southern Atlantic and Gulf States.

SLEEPING CARS ON NIGHT TRAINS. No Omnibus transfers on this route.

Freights forwarded with despatch, and at reasonable rates. THROUGH RECEIPTS given to and from PHILADELPHIA AND PRINCIPAL POINTS SOUTH.

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H. V. TOMPKINS, General Agent, Norfolk, Va.

PURCELL HOUSE, WILMINGTON, N. C. PROPRIETOR: J. R. DAVIS, of Mills House, Charleston, S. C.

Coach, Carriage and Baggage Wagons always ready to convey Passengers to and from the Railroads. J. L. RHOADES, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, WILMINGTON, N. C.

Office, 71 Market Street, over Office Post. Particular attention paid to prosecuting claims in the U. S. District and Circuit Courts, and Court of Claims at Washington, D. C. The patronage of non-residents of the State is respectfully solicited.

NOTICE. THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE in large or small quantities, GYPRESS and JUNIPER Shingles, Sawn in a Workmanlike Manner. These SHINGLES are admitted by all who have used them to be BETTER and CHEAPER than any in the market. It takes LESS NAILS, and LESS TIME to lay them. They make a BETTER ROOF, and require LESS PER SQUARE than any hand made shingles. Call, examine and judge for yourselves, at Mill foot of Castle street.

J. C. MANN, Proprietor.