

# The Post

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WILMINGTON, N. C. SUNDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 5, 1871.

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## CITY.

**NATIONAL SAVINGS BANK, DOCK STREET.**  
Open Saturday nights, to receive deposits only, from 5 to 8 o'clock.

**V. D. MACUMBER,**  
Acting Cashier.  
The Christian Chapel are daily expecting a new bell.

There was no session of the city court yesterday.

Notice Mrs. Pickett's proposition to boarders.

The United States District Court adjourned Friday at 3 o'clock.

Col. Carrow, United States Marshal returned to Raleigh on Friday.

C. R. Mayer can't be beaten as a baker. Those pies and cakes are delicacies.

Advertisement from Mayor's office, in relation to city lamps, is important.

Henry Servoss came from the burg yesterday. He smole a smile as he passed our office.

The Board of County Commissioners did not meet on yesterday as was expected. They meet on Monday.

The Auditing Committee of the Board of County Commissioners, met on yesterday and approved a number of bills.

Mayor Martin has issued a proclamation, designating the 30th day of November to be observed as a day of thanksgiving and praise.

The largest and cheapest stock of Saddlery in the State for sale at J. S. Topham & Co., No. 8 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C.

T. W. Brown's beautiful selection of jewelry and watches. Go to No. 37 Market street and pug the time of day in your pocket.

Geo. Myers at his old established stand is offering a splendid line of groceries and provisions, at prices that will astonish the good people of this vicinity.

The new bell that was procured for the colored Baptist church has been placed in the belfry. It is said to be made of good metal and rings exceedingly clear.

Attention is called to the splendid stock of goods now for sale at Munson & Co. Bargains are offered in clothing, &c., that cannot escape the attention of the public.

The largest and best stock of hardware agricultural implements, &c., in the South, are offered at low rates, by Dawson, Teal & Henning. Every one knows where their store is located on Market square.

We notice that Saturday is the great poultry and provision day in our market. A large number of market carts and wagons were stationed along Market street all day yesterday.

Just look for A. D. Brown's new advertisement of fall and winter millinery goods. His handsome stock is just suited for the Wilmington market. Every article is of late and choice selection.

Buyers of dry goods, don't purchase until you have examined Sol. Bear & Bro's. column of new advertisement. You cannot but be satisfied if you give them a call. Their two large stores are situated on Market square.

Great Auction Sale of valuable goods at No. 11 South Front street, consisting of dry goods, crockery, china and glass ware. Toys, dolls and Yankee notions in great variety. Sales every day and night.

On our way up the country we stopped at Goldsboro with our old friend Morris, of the Commercial Hotel. Morris serves his guests with the best of the season, and looks closely to their comfort. We advise our friends to give him a call when passing through Goldsboro.

Our modern course of living begets a condition of the body that required occasional relief. The system becomes enfeebled, deranged, clogged and labors in its task. The mind sympathizes with it and both sink, or are depressed together. To restore the vital energies, purge the system—cleanse the blood—take Ayer's Pills. —Glasgow (Ky) Free Press.

"Of late years advertising has assumed a very important phase—in fact, has become a science in business, and no one has done more or as much, to make it so, as Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of New York. Their prompt and systematic mode of transacting their business has gained the confidence of all large advertisers, and has raised them in a few years from one of the smallest to the leading advertising house in the world."—Maple Leaves.

Col. Klein's idea of running the street cars until ten P. M., is a good one. It is a great accommodation to the public. Notice the newly arranged time table in another column.

Turner the Josiah, is still at his old business. He gets on the witness stand, looks fierce, swells at the head, puffs at the bosom and travels around the truth in his usual careless style.

Shreter Bros. keep constantly on hand the best of ready made clothing. They cannot be excelled in their custom made suits. Step around to their store on Market street, and examine for yourself.

James Guthrie was arrested on a peace warrant, committed to jail in default of \$100 bail. James had to go notwithstanding his promise to "retire to the shades of moral felicity."

That fishing pole of Flacks must have been a bouncer when it was all "thar." We were shown a piece of it yesterday. It measured nearly three inches in diameter. We were told that Flack used it to catch marsh ponies on the sound.

The Journal says it can't predict the result of the different State elections that will take place on next Tuesday. The fact is its prophecy was so unfounded and received so severe a shock in August last that it has not been able to waddle since.

We hear of complaints being made of boys going about our city using destructive little slings. They seem to take great delight in standing off and using their slings to hurl stones at the lamp post on different corners. Officer Wolcott succeeding in surprising some of them yesterday and gave them a severe reprimand. They will be looked out for hereafter.

A grand reception of the Steam Fire Engine No. 3 is to take place at the City Hall, on tomorrow evening. A supper is to be given by the Cape Fear Fire Company.

We understand every effort has been brought to bear by the committee of arrangements to make the evening a pleasant one. We have no doubt but that their efforts will meet with success.

Pigs have some excellent traits of character. If one chances to wallow a little deeper in some mire hole than his fellows, and so carries off and comes into possession of more of filth than his brethren, he never assumes an extra importance on that account. This does not hold good with all hogs, however, for it seems the deeper Joe Turner gets into the mire and filth, the more aristocratic airs he assumes, which certainly entitle him to be a first class hog.

A disturbance took place on Water street yesterday. It appears that William Mitchell had been boarding at the house of Mary Keman, on Water street, and had concluded to change his boarding house. On making known his purpose, he was told that his baggage would be retained as collateral for the amount of board he owed. This caused considerable of a discussion between himself and Mr. Marsden, who is connected with the house.

One word brought on another and resulted in a pugilistic effort between the two. Marsden being the strongest, bruised Mitchell considerably. We understood that complaint had been made of the disturbance.

That organization; have you joined it? 'Tis the Glen Valley Conclave. We made application for membership and were, luckily, admitted. This new order was first introduced into our city on last Wednesday evening, and it has met with great success. The opening hour was announced when the chorus began, and the Glen Valley hymn, was heard to echo through the long aisles dim. Then how solemn all became, not a sound to be heard save the tramp of the procession that led forward the newly ushered applicant. Then was heard the loud and long thunder tones from the toms (Thomas) below, which Charles the 240, met with iron will and all was right (Wright) mid the merry peals of the camp bell (Campbell).

## STATE ITEMS.

Mr. J. B. Neathery, the Governor's private secretary, has recovered.

The town of Hickory is said to be improving fast.

Some of the North Carolinians who went to Indiana two years ago are returning.

The Tremaine Bros. were in Hillsborough last Friday night.

A heavy lawsuit, involving the entire University property at Chapel Hill, real and personal, is now pending.

A colored man at Argyle had his arm taken off by being run over by a train, on the W. O. & R. R. R.

The Charlotte Fair appears to have met with great success. Numbers of visitors were present from other States.

The school fund of our State, which had accumulated to \$150,000, is now being drawn out for disbursement.

Upwards of eighty ku klux have been arrested in Lincoln county by the U. S. officers. Still Joe Turner, lies and says the K. K. does not exist.

It is said that Strudwick a Democratic member of the Legislature, has been charged with the ku klux murder of Outlaw in Alabama. If he be guilty let the law have its course.

The Ninth Annual Fair, of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society, will be held at Fayetteville, on the 23d, 24d and 25th inst. The annual address will be delivered on Thursday.

The authorities have been after Mr. Ham. C. Jones, the red hot democratic Senator from Mecklenburg. He is charged with ku kluxing. Should not be surprised to hear of his resignation soon.

Gen. D. H. Hill has violently assailed the letter of John C. Gorman, Esq., in relation to his campaign against the outlaws. Would like to see Hill try his generalship on Lowery; he would then see how it is himself.

Ex-Governor Vance, the would-be United States Senator, will not take his seat until the cows come home. He stands about as much chance for being admitted as he did for executing his treasonable epithet "of filling hell so full of Yankees that their feet would stick out of the windows."

GOOD NEWS FROM THE WEST.—The news from Western North Carolina is cheering. Good yield from crops, unexampled mast, and more fat beef cattle, and finer, than were ever known before. Beef is only worth in market four and five cents.—Carolinian.

NORTH CAROLINA HONORED.—Justus Brutus Wheeler, half brother to Col. J. H. Wheeler, the historian, has been appointed to the position of Professor of Mathematics in the Military Academy at West Point, in place of Professor Mahan, who destroyed himself a short time since.—Journal of Commerce.

We clip the following from a New York paper: "Miss Bell, who has for several years sustained a school in North Carolina, for the education of the poorer class of whites, met a party of ladies at West Thirty fourth street yesterday afternoon, and gave so interesting an account of her experience South, that it was determined to hold another meeting on Monday."

EXECUTION OF WM. PARKER.—William Parker, convicted at a late term of Guilford superior court with a colored man named Alfred, who has been respited by Gov. Caldwell till December, of the murder of an old colored man, Tom Price, last December, was executed at Greensboro on Friday last. He denied the killing to the last and insisted that Price was torn to death by dogs.

OLDEST MAN IN THE STATE.—John Barnes, Esq., of Caldwell county, is supposed to be the oldest man in North Carolina. He is one hundred and ten years old, and mind and memory, vigorous, in good health and attends to his own business.

Not long since some of his interested heirs induced the court to appoint a guardian for the old man, but when he heard of it he put off to the county seat and had the whole matter set aside. He insists upon attending to his own affairs, and "if they will pick the old gander they must wait for him to die."—Carolinian.

TRAVEL TO NORTH CAROLINA.—We clip the following from the Indianapolis, Ind., Evening News, from which we judge considerable travel is taking place from the West, to this State.

"Excursions to Greensboro, North Carolina, seems to be the rage. Two left yesterday, via the Baltimore and Ohio road, with 130 passengers, and one on the Pan Handle with eighty, and another leaves this evening, via the Jeff road, with a fair prospect of a goodly number."

Why cannot inducements be offered these excursionists to visit our section. It might be productive of good.—New Bern Times.

Capt. Robert Hancock was tried before Judge Tourgee, in Orange County, on the 31st inst., for arresting Josiah Turner, Jr., on the 5th of August, 1870. The jury found him guilty.

The Judge then summed up the evidence, and said these were soldiers acting under order and that case was similar to that of a civil officer making a false arrest. There was, said the Judge, no malice exhibited on the part of the defendants. Let them pay a penny and costs.

Hancock paid the costs. Whereat Turner curses long, loudly, and deep. He thinks Hancock ought to be hung. Which would no doubt have been bid for Capt. Bob, if Turner had been Judge.—Times.

PACKED JURIES.—We regret to notice in the Era a defence of the juries who recently convicted the ku klux at Raleigh, in view of the fact that did angels constitute the jury, and find some members of the Democracy guilty of ku kluxing, the democratic press would howl about it, and declare the juries a perjured, packed set.

For republicans, the consciousness, the knowledge, that the United States officials are governed by the best of motives, desirous of bringing to justice violators of the law, and punishing them by fair and honest means, should be sufficient.—New-Bern Times.

GRAVEN COUNTY TOBACCO.—A few days since we alluded to a gentleman resident of this county, who had successfully raised a fine crop of tobacco on a little farm in the Bay River section. We have since seen this gentleman, whose name is Jacob Bierbower, and who states substantially, that on about nine or ten acres of land, he has raised during the past year 10,000 pounds of Connecticut seed tobacco, from which he will in all probability, realize net some \$2,000. He exhibited to us, and we have examined a sample of the tobacco, and pronounce it as fine as we have ever seen, for cigar wrappers, &c. Some leaves are forty-two inches long and from thirty to thirty-two inches wide. Mr. Bierbower is much pleased with his success, and is using his influence to induce other Northern gentlemen to emigrate to this section, and was yesterday engaged in the negotiation of a farm in this vicinity, for a gentleman at the North, who, on his recommendation, proposes to come here. Mr. Bierbower is of the opinion that this section of the State is admirably adapted, both by soil and climate, to the successful growth and cultivation of tobacco, and proposes to engage in it very extensively hereafter; in all of which we wish him success, for if successful, this new branch of agriculture will add materially to the prosperity of this section.—New-Bern Times.

In Richmond, Virginia, a firm of colored persons has for two years manufactured sassafras oil on a large scale. The root is purchased at the factory, at the rate of 80 cents per hundred pounds, and 40,000 pounds are used per week, producing two per cent., or 8,000 pounds unrefined oil. Since this establishment commenced operations, other factories of like description have been started in Virginia. Sassafras oil is used for scenting toilet soaps, flavoring tobacco, &c.—Fayetteville Eagle.

The tears of sympathy are sacred drops from the well of life. We can bear to hang by a thread if it be only Christ's spinning.

Read, Podner, and be Wise. Housekeepers should bear in mind that of all the different Baking Powders in market, none have stood the test of a strict chemical analysis like DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER. DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER contains no ingredients but such as healthful and chemically pure. This insures uniform success in the making of rolls, biscuits, &c., which inferior articles do not. Manufactured and sold at wholesale by DOOLEY & BROTHERS, 59 New St., New York, and at retail by grocers generally.

## SPECIAL.

**MAYOR'S OFFICE,**  
CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,  
November 1st, 1871.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Monday, 6th instant, at 12 o'clock, from responsible persons to light the City Lamps.

Proposals may be tendered by any person for all the Lamps, including repairs, or for one-half the number, with or without repairs.

Bond for performance of contract will be required and fines imposed for every neglect of duty.  
SILAS N. MARTIN, Mayor.  
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## PROCLAMATION.

**Mayor's Office,**  
NOVEMBER 3d, 1871.

WHEREAS, His Excellency the President of the United States, and His Excellency the Governor of the State of North Carolina, have each designated the 30th day of November, to be observed as a day of Thanksgiving and Praise to God for His many blessings, vouchsafed during the past year:

Now, therefore, in conformity with these proclamations and customs, I, Silas N. Martin, Mayor of the City of Wilmington, do call upon the citizens thereof, on that day, to suspend all business so far as practicable, and to take such measures as may seem meet and proper to render up their thanks to God.

To those who have been more than usually blessed, I suggest that they open their hearts and assist by substantial gifts to those less favored, so that all may have reason to rejoice on that

SILAS N. MARTIN,  
Mayor.  
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## MARSHAL'S OFFICE.

**CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,**  
NOVEMBER, 25th, 1871.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE THE ORDINANCE concerning Cows will be strictly enforced. By order of the Mayor.

W. P. CANADAY,  
City Marshal.

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## MAYOR'S OFFICE,

**CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,**  
October 18th, 1871.

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR THE SETTING out of a double row of Trees (Water Oak and Elm) on Third street, between Castle and Campbell streets.

Trees must be at intervals of thirty feet, exclusive of crossings.

Trees must average fifteen feet in height from root and be guaranteed for two years.

Payment will be made for each hundred as delivered and accepted.

Bonds, with acceptable security, required for proper performance of contract.

R. P. BARRY,  
Chairman Com. on Streets and Wharves.  
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## MAYOR'S OFFICE,

**WILMINGTON, N. C.,**  
OCTOBER 18th, 1871.

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR THE LAYING of a hard roadway of ballast, clay, marl, shell or other suitable material, on each side of Third street, between Campbell and Castle streets.

The roadway must be fourteen feet wide each side of the street, measuring from the gutters, with a uniform thickness of six inches of material—the same must be levelled to drain into the gutters. The road-bed must be well packed.

Payment will be made for each block as completed, delivered and accepted.

Bonds, with suitable security for proper performance of contract, will be required.

R. P. BARRY,  
Chairman Com. on Streets and Wharves.  
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## MAYOR'S OFFICE,

**CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,**  
October 18th, 1871.

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR THE GRADING of Third street, between Castle and Campbell streets.

The street must be levelled from East to West, sloping each side to gutters, which must drain at Campbell, Mulberry, Princess, Market, Dock, Ann and Castle streets.

For further particulars, apply to James & Brown.

R. P. BARRY,  
Chairman Com. on Streets and Wharves.  
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## MAYOR'S OFFICE,

**CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,**  
October 18th, 1871.

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR THE LAYING of a pavement on the East side of Seventh street, between Market and Campbell streets.

Sidewalk must be of concrete or brick, twelve feet wide, curb of heart yellow pine or stone, 3 inches wide and of requisite depth (8 to 12 inches).

Payment will be made on completion, delivery and acceptance of every two squares.

Bonds, with acceptable security for proper performance of contract, will be required.

R. P. BARRY,  
Chairman Com. on Streets and Wharves  
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## New Advertisements.

**A. L. PRICE,**  
AT THE LIVE BOOT & SHOE STORE,  
Front and Market Street,

HAS IN STORE A NICE ASSORTMENT of Boots and Shoes, suitable for all classes, to which he invites the attention of his old friends and patrons—for sale cheap.  
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## LOOK HERE!

**WM. BROOKS, AT MARKET STALL No. 15,** keeps on hand constantly,

BEEF, SAUSAGES, and good meats of all kinds.  
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## WANTED,

SIXTY TO SEVENTY-FIVE FULL-GROWN Pigeons, to be delivered during the Fair in good order. Apply to

**JOB. A. ENGELHARD,**  
General Secretary.  
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## SOL. BEAR & BROS. COLUMN.

**GO TO HEADQUARTERS**

**FOR**

**DRY GOODS.**

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**Four Reasons Why You Should Buy of**

**SOL. BEAR & BROS.**

1ST.—BECAUSE our Goods are all new and desirable.

2ND.—BECAUSE we never advertise. Goods we do not have.

3RD.—BECAUSE You can save at least 10 per cent. by purchasing of us.

4TH.—BECAUSE we are determined to sell Goods cheap, always willing to show them and will spare no pains to please our customers.

**DRESS GOODS**

AT REDUCED RATES:

**HATS AND CAPS,**

That cannot be excelled.

**READY MADE CLOTHING,**

A superior assortment for the coming season.

**GENTS FURNISHING**

We have a large variety of

**GLOVES,**

**SUSPENDERS,**

**UNDERWEAR,**

**HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., &c.**

**OUR BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT**

Is well filled, particular attention is given to this line of goods. Fully prepared for

**Fall and Winter Trade.**

THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK OF

**CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS**

AND

**FURNISHING GOODS,**

**STAPLE AND FANCY DRESS GOODS.**

**AT REDUCED RATES.**

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

**BOOTS & SHOES**

EVER OFFERED IN THIS CITY, AT

**GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,**

LARGE STOCK OF

**BLANKETS, CARPETING, &c.,**

We only ask a visit to convince all of our capacity to satisfy.

We respectfully invite the attention of our old patrons, and the public in general, to our large and well selected assortment of

**NEW GOODS.**

Remember that we still occupy the old stand, No. 18 and 20 Market Square.

**SOL. BEAR & BROS.,**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS,

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