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CITY.

Republican State Convention.
In accordance with a resolution of the State Executive Committee of the Union Republican party of North Carolina, adopted by said Committee, a State Convention of the Republican party of this State, is called to meet in the city of Raleigh, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April next.

According to the plan of organization of the party, each county will be entitled to as many votes in the Convention as it has members in the House of Representatives of the General Assembly.

S. P. PHILLIPS, Chairman.

J. C. L. HARRIS, Secretary.

A Request.

The undersigned requests that a list of the delegates appointed to the State Convention, be forwarded to him at the earliest possible moment. It will facilitate business very much. A list of the County Executive Committees appointed by the County Conventions should be forwarded also. Republicans will please take notice of our request and act accordingly.

Republican papers will please copy and keep this notice standing until the 17th day of April.

J. C. L. HARRIS,

Sec. R. p. State Ex. Com.

Raleigh, N. C., March 1, 1872.

Frank Marsden was arrested yesterday for disorderly conduct.

The State election in New Hampshire, takes place next Monday the 11th.

Expenses of the county of New Hanover, for the last five months, has only been \$16,005.46.

Jos. A. Bell has sold out his interest in the Gaston House at New-Berne, and has moved to Hillsboro.

LINCOLN'S INAUGURATION.—Last Monday, March 4, was the anniversary of Lincoln's inauguration in 1861.

Constable Williams was sent to jail by Justice Fitzaw for not working on the roads. We understand that the matter will be investigated.

We have a letter from a leading Republican in Beaufort, which gives us the cheering intelligence that Carteret will go largely Republican this fall.

TO FAIR PLAY.—We will publish the communication of "Fair Play," recommending J. W. Schenck, jr., for re-election as Sheriff in Sunday's issue.

COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.—At Clinton, Sampson county, the 9th inst., and Carteret Co. the 19th, to appoint delegates to the State and District Conventions.

MISSION TO PERU.—Our Washington exchanges state that this mission, vacant through the resignation of the Hon. Thos. Settle, has been tendered to Gov. Holden.

Joe Lane was arrested yesterday by Officer Hill for assault and battery, and carried before Justice McLaurin and fined \$10 and cost. He failed to pay and was sent to jail.

PERSONAL.—We return our thanks to M. W. Churchill, Esq., for the "Report of the Joint Select Committee, to inquire into the management of the Penitentiary." It is a rare document.

SOUTHERN WORKMAN.—We place, with much pleasure, on our exchange list, this new monthly paper, published at Hampton, Virginia. It is as its name denotes, devoted to the interests of the workingmen.

Stock redeemed at the Meehan's Building and Loan Association, March 6th: 28 shares at \$121; 63 at \$120; 2 at \$119; 1 at \$118; 10 at \$115; making 47 shares at an average \$119.55 per share.

MAINE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.—PORTLAND, MARCH 4th.—City elections were held in Maine today. Portland re-elected its Republican Mayor, Lewiston elected a Republican by 523 majority. The democratic candidate last year had 58 majority. The towns heard from show little change from last year.

James S. Topham & Co., No. 8 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C., are manufacturers of every description of Trunks, Traveling Bags, Saddlery and Harness. A large stock of second hand government team and ambulance harness, saddles, bridles, collars, halters, reins, &c., constantly on hand, at wholesale and retail, at low prices for cash.

Charles I. Gray, Esq., late of the Wilmington (N. C.) Post, is now connected with the National Republican of this city. Mr. Gray is a witty, clever writer and popular gentleman.—Washington Transcript.

The italics are ours. We have positive information that the above statement is entirely incorrect. The individual alluded to is not connected with the National Republican and has not been. He is simply a floating Bohemian, just what he was when Senator Abbott first picked him up.

Dr. VALCOURT & WELLS, General Corresponding and Advertising Agency, 1018 Main street, corner of Eleventh, Richmond, Va., are authorized agents of this paper.

T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia, have just completed their superb edition of Charles Dickens' Works, by issuing the "Sequel to the Mystery of Edwin Drood," his last and most peculiar work of fiction. It is entitled "John Jasper's Secret," and has been written by two of his intimate friends, who have carried out the plot from remarks and memoranda signifying how he intended to work out his design. The only change which the authors have made (according to a letter we have seen from his son) from Dickens' original plan, is that they have brought Edwin Drood to life again, which we consider a great improvement on the original plot; for surely a novel must lose much of its interest with the death of its chief character. For sale at Heinberger's Live Book Store.

Baldwin's Monthly (edited and published by Baldwin the Clothier) is one of the prompt and welcome visitors to our sanctuary.

The March number comes to us with interesting original contributions from several authors of note. The editorial columns bristle with sharp, pointed paragraphs relating to trade, which are in marked contrast to the hackneyed style of introducing a business to the public.

The article which appears in the first place among the original contributions, is by Laura O. Holloway, and is written in the author's best vein, entitled "Memories of Actors and Actresses."

The selections from other journals evince a painstaking seldom seen in the Monthlies of the present day. Baldwin's is the largest ready-made clothing business in the United States. His sales, at retail, amount to over twelve hundred thousand dollars annually.

We are authorized to say that Baldwin the Clothier, corner Canal and Broadway, New York, will place any name on his list and send the Monthly free, if the address is sent to him. Each number will be embellished with an original engraving.

Mayor's Report.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.,
January, 11th, 1872.

INTEREST.—The amount paid during the year, chargeable to this account is \$45,011.86. It is remarkable that the coupons for interest are very irregularly presented. Sometimes persons owning bonds present them after the lapse of years. In more than one instance the coupons for five to ten years have been presented for collection, while nearly one-third of the interest is collected within three months of the time stipulated for the payment.

The interest on the city debt has been met, when due, with promptness; generally several days in advance.

THE DEBT OF THE CITY IS NOW AS FOLLOWS, VIZ:

	AMOUNT
Bonds past due, not presented	\$ 8,000 00
City Hall Bonds, due January 1st, 1872	44,760 00
Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Road Bonds, February 1st, 1872	40,000 00
Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Road Bonds, February 1st, 1872	45,000 00
In payment of debts, Jan. 1st, 1870	14,000 00
Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Road Bonds, Feb. 1st, 1880	50,000 00
Funding Bonds, 8 per cent., due July 1, 1882	60,000 00
July 1, 1883	4,000 00
July 1, 1884	140,000 00
July 1, 1885	28,000 00
July 1, 1886	500 00
Total Bonded Debt	\$482,960 00
Borrowed of individuals	54,682 10
Due Banks	48,000 00
Total Debt	\$585,642 10

By a recent Act or General Assembly the City is authorized to issue new Bonds to the amount of \$200,000, for the purpose of paying off the present floating debt, and also to exchange a similar six per cent. gold interest bearing bond for those issued in 1869 and 1870. It is expected that by the sale of about \$100,000 of bonds the whole of the present annoying unfunded debt may be cared for, and the present high rate of interest thereon avoided.

It is of almost importance to the city credit that the law be complied with, and a tax levied to provide a sinking fund for the prompt payment of the debt as it becomes due. In the tax levy of 1872 it should be commensed and continued year after year until every dollar of the city debt is extinguished.

In July last I concluded a settlement of the matter at issue with the Wilmington Library Association, regarding the possession of the two north rooms in the City Hall, which they had held for several years. In the settlement of this matter I paid to the Library Association, fifteen hundred dollars in six per cent. gold interest bearing bonds of the city. The rooms are now in possession of the city; the front north room is occupied by the City Marshal, and the rear room is used by the Library Association, without rent. While I think the possession could have been obtained after a long and expensive law suit, I deemed it better to settle the matter by the payment of the interest of the city to end the matter without recourse to law.

City Government. In order that this may be done understandingly I submit the following estimate of the amount required, viz:

Ordinary Expenses	\$84,000
Extraordinary Expenses	16,000
Interest	45,000
Total	\$145,000

Expenses

Sinking Fund

Total required

This amount may be realized by a tax of 14 cents upon the dollar of valuation of real and personal property, and an increase of from 50 to 100 per centum on the License tax. By a new valuation of city and real estate, we may expect considerable addition to the present amount which reaches about \$3,510,000. I am quite sure the total value of real and personal property will not fall much short of \$5,000,000.

The property belonging to the city corporation, is as follows:

City Hall and Theatre, value	\$ 75,000
Lot N. W. corner Fourth and Dock streets, with Engine House and Hook	9,000
Lot S. W. corner Princess and Fourth streets, with Engine House	7,000
Lot and Engine House on Ann street, East of Front street	1,500
Engine, Horses, Hose, and other material	5,000
11 Clesters	2,000
8 Mules and Carts	1,500
Horse and Buggy	300
Paper Cemetery	400
Total	\$101,600

During the year just passed there has been erected within the corporate limits one hundred and ninety-eight buildings of different descriptions, which are enumerated as follows: Dwellings 170, Stores 9, Ware-houses 4, Kitchens 15. The number repaired amounts to 33. Total value, \$370,000.

All the improvements show that our city is progressing—that prosperity has again begun to flow towards us. Our merchants and traders have been peculiarly benefited by the increased demand, and large prices paid for our special product, naval stores. We have the well deserved name of the great naval store market, a specialty which gives us at all times a large trade with the whole world. That, with the increasing demand, our trade will still more increase, there can be no doubt.

I beg to call the particular attention of all our citizens to the great importance of the improvement of the mouth of the Cape Fear River, and the river itself, now being worked upon by the Government of the United States, and for which two appropriations have been made. So far the work has been eminently successful. I feel that much, if not everything, connected with the future prosperity of our city depends upon the successful completion of the work. I have lost no opportunity to speak and write, and by every other means urge forward and cheer on the able officers in charge. I cannot forbear in this place to accord great credit to the Chamber of Commerce of our city for their efforts, and most particularly do I desire to express the thanks of the city officials to Henry Nutt, Esq., the able Chairman of the Special Committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce, for his valuable services, and the earnest and unflinching zeal with which he has worked in behalf of the welfare of the city in this matter.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

TO THE EDITOR POST:

I see that there has been a great many men recommended to the Republican Convention that convenes in Raleigh in April next for Governor and State officers. I wish, through your very valuable paper, to place the name of Hon. G. W. Price, Jr., before the convention for the nomination as Lt. Governor of North Carolina. Mr. Price has represented New Hanover the last four years, (two in the House and two in the Senate) with honor and dignity.

CONSISTENCY.

River and Bar Improvements.
WILMINGTON, N. C., March 1, 1872.

To the President and Members of the Chamber of Commerce:

GENTS:—The Committee appointed by your Chamber to visit Washington City, in the interest of Cape Fear River and Harbor Improvements, consisting of Wm. L. DeRoset, President, and Henry Nutt, member of of the Chamber, with the Hon. Silas N. Martin, Mayor of the city, and George Z. Enoch, Esq., left Wilmington on Wednesday, teaching Washington on Thursday the 22d of February last. We were met and welcomed by our Representative, A. M. Waddell, Esq., and also, by ex-Senator J. C. Abbott, Messrs. D. Rumley, E. R. Brink, J. W. Schenck, and others.

We found the general appropriation bill in the hands of the Committee on Commerce, who had referred it to a sub-committee of its own body, of which Philigus Sawyer, Esq., of Wisconsin, was the chairman.

On Friday, the 22d, we were introduced to the committee, then in session, by Mr. Waddell, with some appropriate remarks touching the importance of the work, and the necessity for an appropriation, sufficient to complete the break water at least, according to the estimates of the Engineer in charge. To which the committee replied, that retrenchment was desired by Congress, who had determined, if possible, upon reducing the amount of general appropriation, and upon which there was an increased demand for similar works in other sections of the country; under these circumstances they did not feel justified in allowing to the Cape Fear a sum greater than \$30,000. Whereupon a general discussion was had, explanatory of the works, its character, importance, and the necessity for appropriating the full amount, at least, of the Engineer's estimates, which are for \$150,000.

The committee seemed to comprehend the true situation, and appeared really desirous of complying with our demand, while they argued the powerful restraint under which they labored, forbidding, as it were, the al-

lowance of a greater sum than was first determined upon.

They pledged the assurance, however, of doing the best they could for us, and to increase the amount if possible.

We here take occasion to acknowledge the active interest taken in this matter by our representative, Mr. Waddell, as also by our former Senator, Gen. Abbott, and other gentlemen from Wilmington, who happened to be in Washington.

The entire North Carolina delegation in Congress, expressed, and seemed to feel a deep interest in the success of our work, as also did the members of other States, whose acquaintance we made.

Nothing but encouraging greetings, and kindly expressions met us from members of every section of the country. We therefore feel greatly encouraged that our visit was not in vain, and that the very best will be done for us, that the circumstances of the case will permit.

Respectfully,
H. NUTT, Chairman.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

MONDAY, March 4.

COTTON.—No sales.

ROBIN.—Sales of 50 bbls at \$6.00 for Low Pale.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—No transactions reported.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Sales of 150 bbls at \$2.25 for Hard and \$2.25 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

TAX.—Sales of 205 bbls at \$2.65 per bbl and 400 bbls at \$2.80 in order.

TUESDAY, March 5.

COTTON.—No sales.

ROBIN.—Sales of 500 bbls Strained P. N. Y.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—No transactions reported.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—No transactions reported.

TAX.—Sales of 343 bbls at \$2.65 per bbl.

WEDNESDAY, March 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—No sales reported.

ROBIN.—Sales of 520 bbls at \$4.00 for Strained and \$7.00 for Pale. Market quiet and has declined 20 cents for Strained.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Sales of 50 bbls at \$4.00 for Hard and \$6.00 for Yellow Dip and Virgin. Market quiet and has declined 35 cents.

TAX.—Sales of 124 bbls at \$2.65 per bbl.

COTTON.—No sales reported.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Pioneer, Wakeley Philadelphia, Worth & Worth.
Steamship Bolivar, Evans, Baltimore, A. D. Casan.
Schr W Wiles, May, New York, Williams & Murchison.
Schr Ben, Davis, New York, Williams & Murchison.
Brig. Alterra, Conans, St. John's, Porto Rico, E. Kipper & Son.
Schr Chas Sawyer, McFarland, New York, master.
Schr Gus R. Elyer, Proctor, Aquien, Hayti, master, with loadwood.
Schr Agie, Roberts, New-Berne, Northrop & Cumming.
Schr J. T. McFarland, Waker, New York, master.
Schr A. P. Hurt, Skinner, Fayetteville, Worth & Worth.
Schr Cumberland, Phillips, Fayetteville, L. H. DeRoset.
Schr Juniper, Thornton, Fayetteville, Worth & Worth.
Schr J. B. Wheeler, Corson, Wilmington, Del., Vick & Mobsan.
Schr Samuel, Jones, Swansboro, Edwards & Hall, with 383 bushels peanuts, 3 bales cotton.
Steamship Regulator, Freeman, New York, Barry Bros.
Schr North State, Green, Fayetteville, L. H. DeRoset.
Schr Marquette, Garrison, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.
Schr Adiel, Moore, New River, Edwards & Hall, with 31 bales cotton, 65 bbls spg, 50 do 400 bushels peanuts.
Schr S. C. Eboon, Moore, New River, Edwards & Hall, with 160 bushels rosin, 60 bushels peanuts.
Schr Martha Davis, Hill, New River, Edwards & Hall, with 125 bushels rosin, 1 bale cotton, 400 bushels peanuts.

CLEARED.

Brig Carle E Pickering, Torry, Hinnaco, E. Kipper & Co.
Schr Donna Anna, Havana, Worth & Worth.
Schr A. P. Hurt, Skinner, Fayetteville, Worth & Worth.
Schr Cumberland, Phillips, Fayetteville, L. H. DeRoset.
Schr Juniper, Smith, Fayetteville, Worth & Worth.
Schr F. S. Clair Edwards, Ireland, Philadelphia, Harris & Howell.
Schr Thos G Smith, Bacon, New York, Harris & Howell.
Schr North State, Green, Fayetteville, L. H. DeRoset.
Schr Marquette, Garrison, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.
Schr Palma, Rankin, New York, Barry Bros.
Schr Emma, D Endicott, Endicott, Havana, G. S. Barker & Co.

RECEIPTS.

PER RIVER STEAMERS.
Schr Hart—1 bale sheeting, 3 do cotton, 30 bbls turp, 124 do rosin, 32 do tar, Worth & Worth.
Schr H. C. Baker & Love, H. B. Eilers, A. Alderman.
Schr Juniper—17 bbls turp, 1 do 414 do rosin, Worth & Worth, Blocker & Love, 3 do sheeting, A. Alderman, S. H. Manning.
Schr Cumberland—227 bbls rosin, 11 do tar, 15,000 shingles, W. K. Kerchner, Blocker & Love.
Schr North State—523 bbls rosin, 7 do spg, 92 do tar, Willard Bros.—F. W. Kerchner, Blocker & Love, A. Alderman, J. E. Bunting, Chas. Southland.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.
Philadelphia—Schr F. S. Clair Edwards, 315,450 shingles.
New York—Schr Thos G. Smith, 7,100 lumber, 3,400 bbls rosin.
Schr Lucia Murchison, cleared March 2, 2,515 bbls rosin, 449 bales cotton.
New York—Schr Palma, 1,208 bbls tar, 1,000 do rosin.
FOREIGN.
Havana—Schr Donna Anna—101,956 feet lumber, 30 bbls tar, 10 do pitch.
Hinnaco—Brig Carle E. Pickering, 165,607 feet lumber, 17,000 shingles.
Havana—Schr Emma D. Endicott—1,461 bales rice, 8,157 bushels number.

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SPECIAL.

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Ass't Assessor's Office, 2d Dv., 3d Dist., Wilmington, N. C., March 5th, 1872.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in the counties of New Hanover, Brunswick, Bladen, Columbus and Jones, subject to Income Tax under the Revenue laws of the United States, and to all persons desiring to carry on any business or occupation after May 1, 1872, for the doing or carrying on of which the United States have imposed a Special Tax, that the time for making applications for license, or return of income, has arrived, and that all parties who are liable to the tax, and who are required by law to do so, before May 1, 1872, will be presented. Applications or returns to be made either in writing or personally to me.

T. FOS. M. SMITH,
Office No. 10 B. Front street.
Mar 7 1872

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FROM THE CAGE, ON WEDNESDAY, 6th inst., a male Canary Bird; has crown on head. A liberal reward will be paid for the delivery of the bird at "Journal Office," or to E. J. TORP.

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MAYOR'S OFFICE.

CITY OF WILMINGTON,
March 6th, 1872.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH A RESOLUTION of the Board of Aldermen at their regular monthly meeting in February last, I have appointed on the part of the City, Joseph E. Sampson and Joseph L. Barlow to list the taxes for the City of Wilmington, for the year 1872. They will attend at the City Hall for the purpose of receiving tax lists every working day from Monday, April 1st, until Tuesday, the 30th day of said month inclusive, between the hours of 8:30 A. M., and 4:30 P. M., and at least two evenings in each week, to be fixed hereafter, between the hours of 7:30 and 9 o'clock P. M. All persons failing to list within the dates mentioned, will be liable to NORMAL TAX.

SILAS N. MARTIN,
Mayor.
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