

THE COMMERCIAL... WILMINGTON, N. C. THURSDAY MAY 6, 1852

OUR LAST PAGE... On our last page will be found...

CHOWAN FEMALE INSTITUTE... We have received the Catalogue of the Chowan Female Collegiate Institute at Murfreesboro, N. C.

DROWNED... CHARLES JORDAN, a sailor belonging to Schooner West Wind, Capt. Burnett, while sculling a boat from Market Dock towards his vessel in the stream, accidentally fell over and was drowned, on yesterday morning.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING... We learn from a Democrat who was present at the meeting on Tuesday night, that it constituted a most delectable family quarrel.

BANK OF CAPE FEAR... The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the above institution took place at the Banking House in this town on Monday, 24 inst.

CUSTOM HOUSE APPOINTMENTS... F. N. Waddell, Permanent Inspector and Deputy Collector, in place of C. W. Bradley, resigned.

CAPE FEAR & D. R. N. CO... J. J. JACKSON, Esq. has resigned his office as Secretary and Treasurer of the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Co.

ARRIVAL OF MRS. STOWE.

LIVERPOOL, April 15, 1852. DEAR COMMERCIAL: We left the parties at the bottom of Sparling Street, white Sarah having promised the little matters to the Negro Society for the use of the babies.

FROM MEXICO... Dates from Vera Cruz to the 21st and 22nd of last month have been received in New Orleans.

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NORTH CAROLINA DIAMONDS... Prof. Shepard, while in Charlotte, N. C., the other day, was presented with a diamond, by Dr. Leavenworth.

COUNTY COURT CLERK... We are authorized again to announce Dr. J. P. SIMPSON, as a Candidate for Clerk of the County Court of New Hanover, at the election on the 2d of August next.

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MARINE NEWS... PORT OF WILMINGTON, MAY 5. ARRIVED. 2. Schr. Ariel, from New York, to J. R. Blossom.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The regular meeting of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Commissionery's office, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT... BACON per 100 lbs. 12 1/2. Pork, 12 1/2. Sugar, 12 1/2.

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REMARKS ON MARKET.

TURPENTINE.—164 bbls. Turpentine were sold at \$4 per bbl. for Virgin Dip. \$3.50 per bbl. for Yellow Dip, and \$1.80 per bbl. for Hard, very little arriving.

REMARKS ON MARKET... SUGAR.—A good supply in store at present.

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REMARKS ON MARKET... COTTON.—The market is steady and firm. The week's sales reach about 150,000 bales, mostly within the range of 9 1/2 to 12 for Uplands, and 10 to 12 1/2 for Mobile and New Orleans cash and time.

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PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

May 2. Transactions generally are on a limited scale for the season. Cotton closes more firm but quiet under the late foreign news.