

CITY AFFAIRS.

Meetings This Day. Phenix Fire Company, at half-past 7 P. M. Palmetto Lodge, K. of P., at half-past 7 P. M. Auction Sales This Day. William McKay will sell at 10 o'clock, at his store, woolen goods and sundries. Miles Drake will sell at 10 o'clock, at his store, clothing, hats and notions.

THE HEALTH OF THE CITY.

The weather was sultry yesterday, but in the afternoon there were indications of a speedy change for the better or the worse. The city registrar reports the receipt of two certificates of death from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours; both deaths taking place on the 16th instant.

THE OAKLEY MURDER.

The Oakley murder. The new developments in this case are full of horrors, and it is now believed that the inhuman murder was effected by a gang of five negroes. The examination, which is being conducted before Trial Justice T. Mackey, was suspended yesterday in consequence of certain disclosures made by Ran Bolden.

SHOOTING AFFRAY IN HAMBURG.

Shooting affray in Hamburg. The Augusta Chronicle says: "A difficulty occurred in the neighboring town of Hamburg, South Carolina, on last Sunday, which resulted in one of the parties being killed and another mortally wounded. The parties concerned in the affray were Messrs. William Flint and Pleasant Sharp, both well known citizens of the town in which they live."

THE JAWBREAKER ENCOUNTER.

The jawbreaker encounter. James Johnson, the freedman who split open the cheek and Adam Williams on Sunday last, in a quarrel at Mr. Simmons's place on St. Andrews, was arrested and brought to the city yesterday morning. A preliminary examination was held before Trial Justice Magrath, who issued the warrant in the case, and Johnson was remanded to jail for examination on Saturday morning.

THE ATTACK FESTIVITIES.

The attack festivities. The Attack Light Infantry concluded their festival at the Military Hall on Monday night with a promenade and ball, which lasted until 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The principal feature of the entertainment was the balling for the sword, epaulettes and sash, prizes to be contested for by the various companies of the First Regiment N. G. S. C.

CONFIDING FAITH.

Confiding faith. The old man from the county whose board of money Thomas Bryant, alias Philadelphia, had got possession of, came down to the city yesterday, and to the surprise of the officials, revealed the real Philadelphia. The old fellow testified that Philadelphia was an honest man, and only wanted an opportunity to keep to his word and double the money.

LOSS OF THE SCHOONER ROBERT CALDWELL.

Loss of the schooner Robert Caldwell. The schooner Robert Caldwell, at this port yesterday from New York, reports passing and boarding on the 16th instant, in seven fathoms of water, the schooner Robert Caldwell, waterlogged and abandoned. She was visited by the Charleston and her port quarter was found to be badly holed in, and had apparently been examined previously, as her running rigging and other movables had been taken. The Caldwell was, we learn, from Savannah for New Haven, Connecticut, and had a cargo of lumber. She was an excellent vessel of about four hundred and fifty tons, and was built originally about thirteen years ago.

NO QUORUM.

No quorum. The City Hall was duly illuminated last evening in anticipation of a meeting of Council, and at 7 o'clock the city step fathers began to drop in. They came but slowly, however, and although the meeting was called for 7 o'clock, a half-past 7 Aldermen E. P. Wall, McKinley, Cunningham and others, one or two more formed a little caucus in the rooms of the great calamity, and it was whether there was any prospect of a quorum a chorus of negatives was the reply, and the little band of disinterested patriots, gaining no accession to their numbers as time wore on, soon departed for their respective homes.

REPORT FOR THE WEEK.

Table with columns for Whites and Blacks or Colored, and sub-columns for Males and Females. Rows include Apoplexy, Cholera, Infantile, etc.

RECAPITULATION.

Table with columns for Whites and Blacks or Colored, and sub-columns for Males and Females. Rows include Under 1 year of age, Between 1 and 5 years, etc.

THE ADGER LINE OF STEAMSHIPS.

This favorite and long known line of steamers, which are at all times kept in condition to give the public the most ample and satisfactory accommodations for freight and passengers, are now in splendid order.

HOTEL ARRIVALS-OCTOBER 17.

Table listing hotel arrivals for October 17, including names of hotels and guests.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

GENERAL AGENCY UNION INSURANCE COMPANY, of San Francisco, Cal., No. 114 Broadway, New York City, October 13th, 1871. To W. B. Heriot & Co., Agents, Charleston.

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Liverpool and London Globe Insurance Company, as advertised by Messrs. Butler, Chishwick, Gary & Co., Mr. Eben Cook, sub-agent for this splendid and attractive scheme, is now prepared to sell tickets for the same.

THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC GRAND GIFT.

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TAILORING.

John Rugeimer, No. 141 KING STREET. WEST SIDE, A FEW DOORS NORTH OF QUEEN STREET. Would respectfully inform his friends that he has just returned from New York with a large and well-selected stock of the latest styles of FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING.

Neat! Quick! Cheap! THE CHARLESTON NEWS JOB PRINTING OFFICE. No. 149 EAST BAY.

WALTMATH WATCHES.

Waltham Watches. These are the best watches made in this country, and are made with and without Stem Wind-up Attachment. They are finished in the best manner and run with the greatest accuracy, and cannot be excelled anywhere, at their respective prices.

THE CHARLESTON NEWS.

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JEWELRY, WATCHES AND SILVERWARE.

Jewelry, Watches and Silverware. All the newest and most exquisite designs in JEWELRY, comprising SETS OF PEARL, GARNET, ALL GOLD, CORAL AND STONE. Leontine, Opera, Neck and Vest; CHAINS; Seal Rings, Diamond Rings; Gent's Pins, Pearl and Diamond; Plain Gold and Wedding Rings always on hand or made to order.

NEW GOODS!

New Goods! The latest styles of SCARFS, TIES AND BOWS. IMPORTED ALL-WOOL MERINO (SCOTCH) AND SHAKER FLANNEL UNDERWEAR. Together with a unique supply of the CELEBRATED STAR SHIRTS AND COLLARS.

NEW SILKS.

New Silks. Read to Health. A contented mind, a quiet conscience, a healthy stomach, a braced and pliant temper, being satisfied with what you have, paying all you owe, especially the grocer, and buying your groceries from Wills, 27, No. 306 King Street. Have you any money left at sea? oct18-mw

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HUMAN FLESH.

Human Flesh. Ever known. It gives universal satisfaction, and we can testify to its efficacy from our own experience. Extract of a letter from Bethel Farley, dated Marlow, N. H., August 1, 1866.

VALUABLE RICE PLANTATION.

Valuable Rice Plantation. Will be rented for one or two terms of years, NORTH CHACHAN, well known as a desirable place and residence, situated on the western branch of Cooper River. On it are a fine brick mansion, on buildings and a gro. house.

THE SHIPMAN.

The Shipman. This popular vessel, which on several occasions has made unusual fast passages from New York to this city, performs her trips with great punctuality. Her appearance on the water is exceedingly favorable, the beauty of her lines and the rise of her bow being particularly noticeable.

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