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SPECIAL NOTICE.

BROWN & RODDICK,
 45 Market Street.

Great Bargains

- LOT 1.
 PRINTED LAWNS, Linen Finish, 6c,
 worth 12c.
- LOT 2.
 MATTINGS, 11c, worth 20c.
- LOT 3.
 LADIES' and MISSES' WHITE LISLE
 THREAD GLOVES, 5c, worth 25c.
- LOT 4.
 LADIES' LINEN COLLARS, 5c, worth
 10 cents.
- LOT 5.
 LADIES' LINEN CUFFS, 15c, worth 25c.
- LOT 6.
 LADIES' RUFFS, 1c, 2c and 5c each.
- LOT 7.
 STRIPED GRENADINES, 5c per yard,
 worth 25c.
- LOT 8.
 STRIPED PIQUE, 8c, worth 10c.

A NEW LOT OF PARASOLS and SUN
 UMBRELLAS, just received,
 from 10 cents up.

KEEP COOL!

FANS!
 FANS!!
 FANS!!!

Respectfully
Brown & Roddick,
 45 Market Street.
 June 3

Only 5 Cents per Glass
 for Soda Water

WITH THE CHOICEST
 FRUIT SYRUPS.
 For sale by
JAMES C. MUNDS, Druggist,
 may 13 Third street, Opp. City Hall.

Monday, June 2.
 ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 2d,
 we will sell at an

Immense Sacrifice

Our stock of Gents' and Youths' Clothing
 and Furnishing Goods. This is necessary in
 order to cut down stock preparatory to the
 heavy invoices of Fall Goods we are to re-
 ceive.

But the Diamond Shirt, the best in the
 city, still sells for 75 cents and \$1.
SHRIER'S TWO STORES,
 may 31 Market st.

Lime---Lime.

WE ARE SELLING LIME of Superior
 Quality at a very low price. Persons in the
 country or towns in this State using Lime, or
 dealers in Lime, would do well to correspond
 with us.
 may 27 **ROBINSON & KING.**

Notice.

THE PARTY WHO FOUND a breech-
 loading Rifle at or near the corner of 5th
 and Mulberry Streets, on last Thursday
 night or Friday morning, will be liberally
 rewarded by leaving the same at this
 Office. June 9

Mint Julep!

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON!
 At
 June 2 **JNO. CARROLL'S**

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
 P. HENNINGSEN—A School History.
 SWANSON—Immense Sacrifice.
 J. C. MUNDS, Druggist—Soda Water.

No City Court to-day.
 Young swells now carry canes topped
 with a little gold ball.

We regret to learn that Mr. J. N.
 Hinton is no better to-day.

The boys have commenced to place
 their bets on the next yacht race.

A chicken dispute is to take place in
 this city in a few days, so we are told.

The Rev. Dr. J. C. Hitten left here
 last night for his home in Greenville, S. C.

Give us a rest on the telephone question!
 And Lee Angel says he will give us the rest
 to-morrow.

The soul that is in earnest will not
 stop to count the cost. It is the same
 way with a man.

The crops look well and the grass is
 flourishing is the universal report we have
 from the country.

A frame for the telephone exchange
 wire is being erected on the roof of the
 National Bank building.

Several new bath houses are being built
 at Smithville. The storms of last winter
 carried away the old ones.

The Wilmington Light Infantry will
 meet for drill to-night at their old armory
 in the basement of the City Hall.

There are several ways to be happy,
 but the surest is not to try to be, but to
 take things as they come, without fear or
 favor.

What is the difference between the
 weather and the baby? One never rains
 but it pours, the other never pains but it
 roars.

The grocery clerks are using their en-
 deavors to get proprietors of grocery
 stores to close their establishments at 7
 o'clock every afternoon.

No use to chain up your dog unless
 you have a badge for him. The police
 will soon commence to hunt around in
 back yards for badgeless canines.

The Cornet Concert Club have kindly
 consented to render several of their
 choicest selections for the Thalian Amate-
 urs at the Tileston Upper Rooms to-
 morrow evening.

The last of the lumber for the pagoda
 at Caswell was carried down the river this
 morning on the steam yacht *Passport*.
 The floor will be laid to-day and be ready
 for use to-morrow.

The State Treasurer, in response to an
 enquiry from Mr. M. Croly, Assessor of
 Wilmington Township, states that the de-
 cision has been rendered that wearing ap-
 parel is exempt from taxation.

An exchange says that the only jokes
 women like to read are those which re-
 flect ridicule on men, and asserts in proof
 that on taking up a paper a woman in-
 variably turns to the marriage column.

We hope for a good house to-morrow
 evening, for the Thalian Amateurs, in
 the play they are to present then, "Among
 the Breakers." It is a good piece and will
 be presented in a very attractive manner.

Nothing exceeds that beautiful calm
 which steals over a young man as he
 sits in the shade and watches his mother
 man a carpet on the clothes line. He
 pities her, but he didn't invent carpets.

A sewing machine with a fan attach-
 ment, so that the motion which keeps the
 machine running will also create gentle
 zephyrs to fan the cheeks and brow of
 the fair seamstress, is the latest novelty.

We have had a pretty dry June, thus
 far, and this morning's rain was very wel-
 come and very refreshing. It is the sec-
 ond rain we have had this month, the first
 having fallen on the morning of the 2nd
 inst.

If you select good and healthy food for
 your family, you should also look to the
 welfare of your baby. For all troubles of
 early childhood nothing is better than Dr.
 Bull's Baby Syrup. 25 cents a bottle.

Racks for the telephone wires of the
 Telephone Exchange are being placed on
 the sheds of quite a number of the build-
 ings on Water and Front streets. Mr.
 Angel is making preparations to put up
 one hundred instruments in different por-
 tions of the city.

Don't forget the family excursion to be
 given to-morrow on the steamer *Passport*
 under the management of Prof. Agostini.
 It will be the third of the series, and as the
 others were so enjoyable there will proba-
 bly be a large crowd on this occasion.

The Aquatic Monthly.

We have received the June number of
 "Brentno's Aquatic Monthly and Sporting
 Gazetteer," and like its contents and
 make-up very much. This number is
 embellished by a full-length portrait of
 Edward Hanlan, the champion oarsman
 of the world. It treats understandingly
 of yachting, boating, fishing, walking, the
 rifle and other kindred sports and out-
 door exercises which are now so popular
 among the youth of the land. It is a
 work which could be profitably in the
 hands of all lovers of these sports, as it
 contains many hints, suggestions and much
 instruction relative to them. It is cited
 by Charles A. Pevelevy and is published
 at Brentano's Literary Emporium, 39
 Union Square, New York, at a subscrip-
 tion price of \$4 per annum.

Charitable Objects.

W. H. Bowden and E. Pearsall, two
 blind colored young men from the Deaf
 and Dumb and Blind Institute for colored
 people at Raleigh, are in the city mak-
 ing arrangements for an exhibition to be
 given at the City Hall, on the 23d and
 24th of this month, by "The Grand
 American Union Club," as they style
 themselves, for the benefit of the above
 named institution. The parties named
 are the advance agents, they say, of the
 organization referred to. The entertain-
 ment, we are told, will consist of vocal
 and instrumental music, declamation and
 so forth, and will give those who witness
 the performance some idea of the benefits
 the institution for the blind confers upon
 this unfortunate class of people.

The Sun and the Stars

During the present month Mercury
 will be too near the sun to be visible.
 Venus will continue to be the evening
 star, but will gradually lessen the ap-
 parent distance from its course of light
 and beauty. Mars will be near to the
 new moon on the 23rd, and on the 30th
 this planet and Saturn can be seen close
 to each other. Jupiter will rise a little
 after midnight on the 10th, and about
 eleven o'clock p. m. the latter days of the
 month. Uranus will be near to the
 rising moon on the afternoon of the 24th.
 Neptune will come into view about an
 hour after Saturn on the 29th and 30th.

The summer solstice will occur at half-
 past 2 p. m. on the 21st, when the sun
 will reach a higher apparent elevation at
 noon than on any other day in the year.
 This is owing to the earth being inclined
 to the plane of its orbit, like a top in mo-
 tion leaning towards the floor or level sur-
 face on which it stands while revolving.
 This causes a greater amount of heat to
 be distributed over the earth, and in ad-
 dition to the varying length of the day
 gives rise to the changes of the seasons.

In planets like Jupiter and the moon,
 which rotate with their axis nearly up-
 right or at right angle to the plane of
 their orbit, the torrid zone is but a nar-
 row band. They have not the benefit
 consequently of the diffusion of heat, which
 is produced on the earth by the rays of
 the sun falling perpendicularly in the
 course of a year over more than one third
 of the surface of the planet which his
 Creator has assigned for the abode of
 man.

We have been trying hard, awful
 hard, to get up a new conundrum appro-
 priate to the season, but we have de-
 spaired of doing anything better than ask-
 ing what the sea wave-od, what the sea
 beat, what the sea shell-ed, why the sea
 side, what the ocean tide or why old ocean
 roared?

A little son of Captain Walter Coney
 found a dog badge No. 53, with the col-
 lar attached this morning, and left it at
 the Treasurer's office in the City Hall,
 where the owner can find and get the
 same by proving property.

Pushing Advertising too Far.

"Bless my soul!" said Col. Crawford,
 last Sunday morning. "This is too bad!
 Here's Bull's Cough Syrup in the Bible!
 The Colonel took off his specs, rubbed
 them carefully and looked again. 'Yes!
 here in the 23d chapter of Isaiah, 15th
 verse.—Over 600,000 bottles of Dr. Bull's
 Cough Syrup, &c.' Well, I thought
 that Bull got everywhere else except in
 the Bible. Now I'll give it up; it must
 be a good thing.' Mrs. C came in and
 explained that she had cut the slip out of
 a newspaper and put it in her Bible for
 safe keeping and it had stuck to the leaf.
 So the Colonel was satisfied.—(Spartan,
 Va., Indicator.)

Floating Bath House.

There is a general desire on the part of
 the citizens of this place for a bath house
 in some suitable and convenient location.
 An enterprise of the kind would pay
 handsomely if properly conducted. A
 floating bath house was erected some three
 or four years ago but proved to be a bad
 investment to its owner because of the
 fabulous price charged for a bath.

Take it Up.

As it seems to be the intention of the
 proprietor of the W. & S. S. R. to tear
 up the track on Fourth, north of Red
 Cross street, would it not be well for him
 to take up the track over the bridge on
 Fourth street. A great many complaints
 are made about it and as it is never used
 and endangers the safety of vehicles it
 might as well be taken up.

How to go to Sleep.

A medical authority recommends the
 following to those who suffer from sleep-
 lessness: When ready for bed sit down
 in an easy position, relaxing all the
 muscles of the body and let the head drop
 forward on the breast as low as it will fall
 without forcing it. Sit quietly in this
 way for a few minutes, and a drowsy
 feeling will ensue, which will, if not dis-
 turbed, lead to a refreshing sleep. If the
 sleepless fit comes on in the night, sit up
 in the position described.

Disastrous Fire at Whitakers—A Large Portion of the Town De- stroyed.

Our correspondent, C., at Whitakers,
 gives us the particulars of a very disastrous
 fire which occurred in that thriving little
 town on Sunday night last, by which a
 large portion of the place was destroyed.
 The alarm was first given at 9 o'clock, and
 the fire raged until 12, at which hour a
 large amount of valuable property was in
 ruins. It was first discovered in a ten-pin
 alley, which had been unoccupied for a year
 or more, and rapidly spread thence to a
 store owned by J. H. Deal, and occupied
 by Julius Meyer, thence, in succession to
 store owned by C. K. King, and occupied
 by Simon Meyer; store owned by B. T.
 Hyman & Co., and occupied by C. B. Braswell
& Co.; store owned by D. W. Brodie and
 occupied as a saloon by Richard Tyler;
 store owned by J. M. Mayo and occu-
 pied by Mr. W. Edmonds as a saloon
 and grocery store, B. F. Coppage occu-
 pying one room as a shoe shop;
 and store owned and occupied by
 J. H. Cichra. These buildings,
 which were all entirely destroyed, com-
 posed one entire block of buildings in the
 central business portion of the town.
 Most of the goods were removed but in
 the hurry and confusion of the hour many
 articles were damaged or destroyed and
 some, perhaps, were stolen. The mer-
 chants have obtained other buildings for
 temporary use in which they have stored
 the goods they saved and have resumed
 business in a crippled way.

Our correspondent writes: "J. H. Deal
 and J. H. Cutchin are partially insured
 on their buildings and J. H. Cutchin and
 Julius Meyer have some insurance on
 stock, but this is all. The other merchants
 had no insurance whatever. The loss on
 buildings is about \$8,000 and the insur-
 ance only \$3,000. A number of insurance
 agents are here already.

Most of the merchants were young
 men just beginning business this year in
 rented houses, without insurance on their
 stock, and the loss falls heavily on them.
 Many of them will not be able to carry
 on business unless aided by indulgence or
 capital. The buildings on the opposite
 side of the street were damaged by heat
 and water which loss is covered by
 insurance.

Calm weather, the energy and persever-
 ence of the citizens of the town and com-
 munity, prevented the further spread of
 the flames.

Too much praise cannot be bestowed
 upon the citizens of the town and the
 country for the readiness with which they
 labored to protect property; and after the
 fire all that had houses, invited the others
 to food and shelter, and none were left
 homeless. Evidence is conclusive that at
 least in around Whitaker's much brotherly
 love and charity exist in the old land
 yet." C.

Indications.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
 Office of the Chief Signal Officer,
 Washington, D. C., June 12, 1879.
 For the South Atlantic and East Gulf
 States nearly stationary pressure and tem-
 perature partly cloudy weather and local
 rains are probable, with Sou'west
 Southeast winds for former district &c.

A special meeting of Carolina Lodge No.
 434, K. of H., is called to-night.

No Trace of Littleton.

George Littleton, the man who murder-
 ed the young Georgian, Randle, last Sun-
 day, and who escaped from jail at Col-
 umbus county some weeks ago, has not
 been heard from, notwithstanding the
 reward offered for his capture. There have
 been many speculations afloat with regard
 to his escape, some of which were to the
 effect that he was aided by several stran-
 gers who had been seen near Whiteville
 just previous and who, though in disguise,
 were really friends of the murdered man,
 bent on a swifter and a more sure ven-
 geance than is generally to be obtained at
 the hands of the law and who, it is
 said, without revealing themselves to
 Littleton aided him to escape through
 their aid, and that he did so escape and
 actually fell into their hands, a fact which
 if true would readily account for his not
 having been seen or heard of since.

But, while this theory is very romantic,
 it will not hold water in the face of the
 little that is known relative to Littleton.
 It is said that Littleton was a doomed man
 by disease and that he was so far gone in
 consumption that he could not have had
 the strength to escape unaided; but then
 it is well known that another prisoner
 escaped at the same time. Littleton was
 seen but once in the neighborhood after
 his escape and that was by a little
 school girl who knew him well, who
 declares that she saw him one morning
 leaning against a pine tree reading a no-
 tice stuck thereon relative to his escape
 and the reward offered for his capture.

Superior Court.

The Civil Docket was exhausted this
 forenoon when the Court adjourned until
 half past 3 o'clock this afternoon, at
 which time the State Docket was taken up.
 The first case called being the celebrated
 one of Lycurgus Waddell, from Harnett
 township. The defendant, a venerable
 gray-haired, toothless old darkey of the
 old plantation style, was put upon the
 stand, and his evidence, which, for pru-
 dential reasons, we cannot reproduce here,
 was such that it made it impossible for
 Judge and Jury, members of the Bar and
 others who were present to repress smiling,
 which at times generated into outright
 laughter, when His Honor, who had caught
 the contagion himself, would try and
 maintain the dignity of the Court
 by bringing down his gavel. The exami-
 nation of the witness consumed some
 fifteen minutes, at the end of which time
 the Solicitor let the case of the State rest
 there and His Honor delivered a five
 minutes charge, when the jury took the case
 and retired, returning in about the same
 length of time with a verdict of not
 guilty.

Condemned.

The steamer *Arrow*, which stopped in
 this port for several days, about three
 months ago, while en route to Florida, was
 examined by the inspectors at Jackson-
 ville and condemned. While being tow-
 ed across the flats she sprung a leak and
 sunk, so we have been informed.

Grand Lodge.

The Grand Lodge, Knights of Honor,
 will convene in Newbern on Tuesday
 next, the 17th inst. Dr. W. J. H. Bel-
 lamy Grand Dictator, Mr. R. G. Ross,
 Representative from Carolina Lodge, and
 Mr. N. Jacobi, Alternate, will leave this
 city on Monday, 16th inst.

There is to be a general exodus next
 week of those of our citizens who can
 afford to spend the summer out of town.
 Some will go to the Sounds, others to
 Smithville and still others to the moun-
 tains. We are going to wreak our
 vengeance on cheap excursions and "cheap
 hungry" fishing expeditions.

New hosiery for summer wear is made
 of fine Sea Island cotton in cream and
 mastic tints, embroidered on the insteps
 and up the sides with colored embroidery
 in jardiniere effects.

Curduroy purses to correspond with
 the color of your dress are new. We
 believe there is no change in the color of
 the money.

The Copeau or shaving fringe is now
 superseding grass fringe; it resembles a
 narrow tape crimped, and is sometimes
 curled at the edges like wood shavings.

Captain Swift Galloway, State Solicitor
 for this, the Third Judicial District, arrived
 in this city last night.

The question now is, are you going to
 have a telephone?

Dull as an old shoe in Magistrate's
 circles to-day.

PLEASE NOTICE.
 We will be glad to receive communication
 from our friends on any and all subjects of
 general interest but:
 The name of the writer must always be fur-
 nished to the Editor.
 Communications must be written on only
 one side of the paper.
 Personalities must be avoided.
 And it is especially and particularly under-
 stood that the Editor does not always endor-
 se the views of correspondents, unless so stated
 in the editorial columns.

Tax Payers and Independent Voters.

The tax listers are still slow in coming
 up. In this connection we will remind
 all those who are liable to poll tax, which
 is the case with every male person from
 twenty-one to fifty years (unless special-
 ly exempted by law) that the law makes
 it a misdemeanor punishable with fine
 and imprisonment for every man who
 neglects to give in his poll tax. Con-
 trasting the number of independent voters
 who walk up to the ballot box at every
 election in this city, with the number of
 polls given in up to this date, it begins
 to look as though Mr. Solicitor Moore will
 have a number of cases on his docket to
 prosecute before the next election takes
 place.

New Advertisements.

Tileston Upper Room.

FIRST PRESENTATION of Baker's popu-
 lar Comedy Drama, in two acts,
AMONG THE BREAKERS,
 FRIDAY EVENING, 13th inst., by the
 Thalian Amateurs. Admission 25 cents.
 June 9-21-mon-th

A School History

OF NORTH CAROLINA, FROM 1584 to
 1879. By John Wheeler Moore.
 It is a truthful and comprehensive state-
 ment of the whole story of our rise and
 progress as a people. All the most important
 men and facts connected with North Carolina
 are set down in this record, which begins
 with the discovery and first settlement in
 1584 and ends with March, 1879.
 Another sup. ly just received and for sale at the
LIVE BOOK STORE.

Pianos and Organs.

FROM ALL THE LEADING Manufacturers,
 Sold on the Instalment Plan, at
HEINBERGER'S,
 June 11 Nos. 39 and 41 Market st.

USE

**ERKENBRECHER'S
 STARCH.**
BONTON!
ROYAL GLOSS!
REFINED PEARL!

Sold by all Druggists.
 OR SHOULD BE.

Superior to any Sold in
 this Market!

June 12-21

To the Summer Resorts

OF

Western North Carolina

BY THE

NEW AND ATTRACTIVE SPARTAN-
 BURG ROUTE.

WILMINGTON, COL. & AUGUSTA R. R.

PASSENGER DEPARTMENT,

June 10, 1879

COMMENCING JUNE 15th, 1879, the fol-
 lowing perfect and continuous Schedule will
 be operated over the

SPARTANBURG ROUTE,

by which Round Trip Tickets, to all promi-
 nent Western North Carolina Excursion
 points, will be on sale, good until November
 1st, 1879.

Leave Wilmington (by Sleeping Cars to Col-
 umbia).....10.13 P M
 Leave Columbia.....10.30 A M

Arrive at Spartanburg..... 3.10 P M
 Arrive at Hendersonville..... 6.10 P M
 Arrive at Asheville.....10.20 P M

24 Hours! Wilmington to Asheville!

To connect with this very attractive sched-
 ule, Passengers can leave:

Weldon..... 3.33 P M
 Wilson..... 5.40 P M
 Tarboro.....10.00 A M
 Newbern..... 5.41 A M
 Goldboro..... 6.36 P M
 Magnolia..... 8.00 P M

For Tickets, Time Cards, engagement of
 Sleeping Car accommodations, &c., &c., in-
 quire of Agents at the stations named, or of
 the undersigned. A. POPE,
 June 10 Gen. Passenger Agent.