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The Democratic State Convention of Minnesota to elect delegates to the National Convention at St. Louis will be held on May 17.

The new Bulgarian coinage is to be struck in England. The order is for \$600,000 worth of small coins. Two English firms have tendered contracts.

A Fish, Oyster and Game Fair at Newbern, N. C., is to be held on the 13th, 14th and 15th of March. Special rates have been made over all railroads and steamboat lines in the State.

Several swindling individuals recently took a lot of Confederate money to Mexico and succeeded in disposing of it in Guadalajara at all the way from par to 30 per cent premium.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Herald says that he thinks the fisheries treaty will fail to be ratified by the Senate. The New England Senators are much opposed to its ratification, and they say that it will have opposition from Democrats as well as Republicans.

A great number of Mormons have established themselves in Arizona, where they have appropriated the most fertile districts. While the ambitious Americans have been seeking for mineral wealth the wily "saints" have quietly encamped upon the choice agricultural regions.

Ten shares of Chemical Bank of New York stock were sold on Friday on Stock Exchange at \$3,000 per share without the bi-monthly dividend of 25 per cent. This is the highest that this stock has yet sold for, and it has long been known as commanding the highest premium of any bank stock in the world.

Nearly all the fashionables of the fair sex in London now wear wrist watches. They are constructed in every form, from the plain leather strap to the magnificent bracelet, where the face of the watch is encircled by precious stones. The same device is also applied to purses, pocketbooks, canes, and even umbrellas, which are made up with diminutive watches attached.

The "enchanted rock," in the San Saba (Texas) valley, rises two hundred feet from the plain, and can be seen from a distance of several miles. In the moonlight it presents a striking resemblance to an immense castle with its many windows brilliantly lighted, this effect being caused by the reflection of the moon's rays from numerous polished surfaces of quartz and pyrites of copper. The Comanches believe it to be one of the abodes of the Great Spirit, and regard it with much reverence.

Personal liberty clubs are being formed all over Maine with the avowed object of working to secure the repeal of the prohibition laws of that State. The hotel men are in with the movement and an effort

will be made to induce the Democratic party to adopt a license plank in its platform. Shrewd politicians say that prohibition will yet be repealed in Maine.

The New York correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says that he is convinced that the Presidential bee is humming around the bonnet of Roscoe Conkling. He says that Conkling is sure that he is the only Republican who could carry New York for that party. He will not seek a nomination but he will not decline it.

Chas. A. Dana, editor of the New York Sun, is said to have written a letter to a prominent Democrat in St. Louis, in which he says: "When the New York State Convention meets to select delegates to the National Convention it will be found that Hill will be the strongest man, and should the unit rule be adopted as four years ago, he will assuredly have the delegation for him. Hill is in the field."

Everything which belongs to pure, healthy blood is imparted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. A trial will convince you of its merits.

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Best shoes for boys at French & Sons.

Plenty of frost and ice this morning.

Shad are very plentiful now but they hold on hard to the old prices, 40 cents per pair for buck and \$1 for roe.

The receipts of cotton at this port to-day foot up 13 bales, as against 248 bales for corresponding date last year.

The New York Herald weather prophet thinks there will be but little Spring weather before the last of this month.

50 dozen all wool flannel shirts, in all shades and colors, for men and boys, from 75 cents and upwards, at the Wilmington Shirt Factory, No 27 Market street, J. Elsbach, Prop.

The clergy of the Episcopal Church will hold a mission service at St. Mark's Church to-night beginning at 8 o'clock. Addresses will be made by the clergy, and all will be made welcome.

A telegram was received here this forenoon reporting the death of Emperor William of Germany, at Berlin, this morning. The news is posted at the Produce Exchange but there are many who yet doubt it.

Joint service of the Episcopal congregations in this city were held in St. John's last night. Of the clergy there were present Rev. Dr. Carmichael, Rev. Mr. Strange and Rev. Mr. Arnold. Mr. Strange delivered the address.

Personals.
Prof. W. R. K. Slocum, of Clinton, was in the city to-day.

We are glad to hear that Col. E. D. Hall is better to-day.

We were pleased to receive a visit this morning from Mr. Charles Bradley, of Connecticut, for so many years a well known resident of this city, and a member of the old and long-standing boot and shoe firm of G. & C. Bradley. Mr. Bradley is now an octogenarian but is in good health and remarkably well preserved.

Getting Ready.

Mr. A. F. Lucas is getting ready for the big business he is sure to do this Spring and Summer. Last season he was taxed to the utmost to keep up with his orders and he is determined not to be caught in that fix again next Summer; he is having his bottling works overhauled and is putting in new and desirable improvements and additions. He had at work to-day a new machine which fills a bottle and corks it at the same time, thus preventing the escape of either gas or material. He is using also a "New Bottle Seal" which is claimed to be the nearest, cleanest, tightest and handiest stopper in the world. Mr. Lucas is the agent for these and can furnish them in any quantity desired.

The Horse Show.

Prof. Bristol's horses did not arrive in time for the street parade this afternoon and hence it was abandoned. The show will open at the Opera House this evening and to a large audience. The merits of the entertainment have reached this city in advance of the show itself and it will be well patronized. There is no doubt as to its being a fine entertainment.

The Front-Street Cobble Repairs.

North Front street, from Chestnut all of the way up to Union Depot, is in a terrible condition. The cobble stones with which it is paved are of all sizes, sorts and conditions and it is about as rough a piece of street pavement as we have travelled over in a long time. The worst feature of it is that this rough paving is on one of the most prominent thoroughfares in the city.

New Brick Stores.

The handsome new brick stores being erected by Mr. B. H. J. Ahrens, on Dock street, between Front and Second, are rapidly approaching completion. The building is three-stories high and will be fitted up for dwellings on the second and third floors, while the first floor is divided into two handsome stores, one with a front of 28 feet and the other fronting 26 feet. Mr. Ahrens expects to have them all completed and ready for occupants by the middle of April.

A Suggestion.

We would respectfully call the attention of those interested to the fact that, in view of the Pearson meetings which are to begin soon, the sidewalks on Walnut street, between Front and Nutt, are much in need of repairs. The Northern sidewalk is rough and uneven, making it uncomfortable to walk upon, especially at night, while the Southern sidewalk is dangerous in consequence of the tottering walls of the burned Cape Fear Mills. It may safely be presumed that at least three-fourths of those who attend the meetings will pass down Walnut street, and it would be well if that avenue were put in as good condition as possible for the occasion and also well lighted.

School shoes for children, best in the city, at Geo. R. French & Sons.

Facts About 1888.

It is leap year. February had twenty-nine days.

Washington's Birthday fell on Wednesday. Memorial Day will fall on Thursday. The 20th of May, the Anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration, and also of the Wilmington Light Infantry, falls on Sunday, which means a holiday for some on Monday. The Fourth of July is Wednesday. Thanksgiving will be appointed on the 29th of November, if the old custom is followed. Christmas will fall on Tuesday.

Lent began early, as Ash Wednesday fell on February 15th. The first day of April will be Easter Sunday. Trinity Sunday falls on May 27th.

There was a total eclipse of the moon visible here on January 28th.

A second total eclipse of the moon will occur on the night of July 22d and 23d. The eclipse will begin at 10:55 o'clock, total at 12:45 o'clock and end at 2:35 o'clock.

There are three partial eclipses of the sun to take place—the first was on February 11th, the second will be on July 8th and the third on August 7th. If a person wishes to witness these eclipses, for the second he must go to the Indian or South Pacific ocean, and to the Arctic ocean to see the third, which would mean considerable travel.

The morning stars will be: Venus until July 11, Mars until April 11, Jupiter until May 23 and from December 7 to close of year, Saturn from August 1.

The evening stars will be Saturn from January 23 to August 1. Venus from July 11, Mars from April 11, Jupiter from May 22 to December 8.

If a person is anxious to obtain a view of Mercury the best time for him to succeed is in the early morning before the sun is up, viz: March 30, July 29, November 17 or just after the sun has set on June 12 and October 8.

The Presidential election will take place on Tuesday, November 6.

School Books and School Stationery you can buy cheapest at Heinsberger's.

All About Bald Head.

There are dense palmetto groves on the Bald Head part of Smith's Island, at the mouth of the Cape Fear river, and we have heard it said that ice and frost are things almost unknown there. If such is really the case it might well prove a splendid site for an orange grove and some of these days an enterprising Yankee will come along here and wake us all up by successfully cultivating oranges there. It is generally believed that the orange will grow and flourish as far North as the palmetto will, and if the argument holds good then Bald Head is a splendid site for an orange grove. The lands are rich hammock land and palmettos grow in thick clusters and very luxuriously. They are valuable for water pilings and the young shoots or buds, which sprout forth every spring from the head of the tree, are a delightful substitute for cabbage—when cabbage is scarce. When Fort Caswell was invested by the State troops in April, 1861, the boys used to go across sometimes and get the "cabbages." The thicket is very dense and we have heard that wildcats are there. Coons are very plentiful, the REVIEW having recorded the fact a few years ago that one man killed there in one season 124 of these varmints. There is a creek which makes out near the lighthouse which bears large and delicious oysters and abounds in fine fish.

The lighthouse at Bald Head is a heavy masonry tower 112 feet high. It is provided with a revolving light and it is classed, if we recollect rightly, as a light of the fourth class. The light can be seen for nearly 15 miles. The tower was erected many years ago, previous to the late war, and is the only lighthouse on the Cape Fear coast that was not destroyed by the Confederates. The view from the top is very fine and is a very extensive one. At low water the lighthouse, 21 miles distant, can be seen with the naked eye in clear weather and the entire outline of the dangerous Frying Pan Shoals is easily distinguished. Inland one can look up the coast and mark the contour of the river line and the coast line, to Big Island on the one hand and nearly to Masonboro Sound on the other. All of the meanderings of the creek and the full sweep of the island grounds is almost immediately beneath and in the Summer it is as pretty a piece of landscape and "water scene" view as our eyes have ever beheld.

Bald Head, with the exception of a few acres owned by the United States, is the property of the estate of the late Major John Walker. There are but few persons living on it and these consist of the lighthouse keeper and his family, half a dozen pilots and their families and the men who compose the life saving station recently established there. It is a spot abounding with interest to visitors, but which has yet been seen by but few. We doubt if 1,000 out of the 25,000 inhabitants which have been claimed for this city have ever set foot on the island.

In what may now be called ancient days, (for we speak of times "before the war") rumors were current, handed down from father to son, that Edward Teach, the famous pirate of the North Carolina coast, who was known as "Black Beard," had buried some of his ill-gotten gains on this island and as a consequence more than one searching party crept stealthily on to Bald Head by night and dug deep holes in the soil in search of the pirate's gains, guided by some foolish tradition or some equally foolish and unstable vision of the night.

We could go on and write about Bald Head, for we are really in love with the subject, but out of charity for our readers we will stop right here. We began this article as a paragraph and almost unwittingly to us it has spread itself out over this space. It is enough at all events for one issue.

Rock Crystal Spectacles and Eyeglasses.

Advice to old and young: In selecting spectacles you should be cautious not to take more magnifying power than has been lost to the eye as in the same proportion that you pass that point of increase, will cause you further injury to the eye. Using glasses of stronger power than is necessary is the daily cause of premature old age to the sight. You can get the best at Heinsberger's.

Meetings at the Exchange.

A joint meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Produce Exchange was held at noon to-day, for the purpose of taking some action relative to the appropriation by Congress of the amounts needed for the completion of the river and bar improvements. Capt. Bixby was present by invitation and stated his views as to what is necessary to secure 18 feet clear from the river to the ocean. Some of the resolutions are yet to be handed in and the report is therefore in such a condition that it could not be got ready for this issue.

There was also a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, relative to lights on the river and some other matters of interest, the production of which we are also compelled to postpone.

City Court.

A colored lad by the name of Willie LeGrand was before the Mayor this morning charged with disorderly conduct. Willie got into a difficulty with another boy and was arrested by the police, having been first arrested and carried before Justice Rice. The Mayor fined him \$10 and costs and the boy appealed. The defense claimed a previous arrest but the Mayor held that the plea was not valid, inasmuch as no day had been set by the Justice for a hearing of the case.

Daniel Meeks was charged with larceny but the case was continued until Monday.

Obadiah Jenkins, drunk and down, was ordered to shake off the dust of the city as a testimonial against himself by the witching hour of high noon.

Distances by Water.

A great many mistakes have been made heretofore in regard to distances between this city and ports on the river below us. For instance, the belief is that it is 9 miles to Big Island, 15 to Orton, 25 to Southport and 30 to the Bar. To correct these we publish herewith the exact distances as realized by actual surveys made by Mr. H. Bacon, Assistant Engineer, under direction of Col. Craighill and Capt. Bixby. From Market Dock to a point in the river directly opposite Kidder's Mill it is .97 of a mile; to the Dram Tree (opposite) it is 2.22 miles; to Stake Light 16 (opposite) 3.11; to the Upper Jetties (opposite) 4.49; to the Lower Jetties (opposite) 6.85; to the old wharf at Big Island (opposite), 8.68; to Orton Point, 12.88; to Old Brunswick, 14.06; to head of Snow's Marsh, 19.37; to Price's Creek Light House (opposite), 22.24; to Southport, 24.32; to Fort Caswell, 25.93; to Bald Head Point, 27.99; over the bar, by the new Woodbury channel, 29.43; the same by the old ship channel, 29.53.

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TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

The committee appointed by the Wilmington Steam Fire Engine Co., No. 1, to draft resolutions expressive of the feeling of the Company in the loss of their late comrade, MILES C. SMITH, report the following:
Resolved, 1st, That the manifold workings of a Divine Providence, and in the Dispensation of a Supreme Being, whose purposes to us are unknown, it has pleased our Almighty Father to remove from us MILES C. SMITH, our companion and brother fireman, who was just entering the strife of life, and whose present career promised a brilliant future of usefulness.

Resolved, 2nd, That in unison with numerous acquaintances, but more especially his friends, who were attached to him by his kindness of heart, his urbanity of manners and gentlemanly demeanor towards all, which characterized him through his short-lived existence, and which served to mark him as one of nature's noblemen, we do mourn his early and to us seemingly untimely end, feeling that we have not only lost an excellent brother fireman, but that the community has lost a most useful member.

Resolved, 3rd, That in their time of sadness and affliction we tender to the bereaved family of the deceased our sincere and heartfelt sympathies, with the earnest prayer that God's tenderness may in time assuage the bitterness of this irreparable loss.

Resolved, 4th, That as evidence of our respect for his memory, we will wear the usual badge of mourning for the period specified by our regulations, and a blank page in the records of this company be inscribed with his name, age and date of death.

Resolved, 5th, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased, and also furnished to the city papers for publication.
E. G. PARMELE,
L. W. McLAURIN,
W. C. CRAFT,
Committee.

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

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

ADOPTED BY THE W. S. F. E. CO. UPON THE DEATH OF MR. R. E. CALDER.
That "It is appointed unto man once to die" is a truth so emphatically forced upon our daily attention that it needs not the words of the sacred writer to impress it on our minds. Happy he, who when the time appointed for him to lay down the weapons of his earthly warfare is made known to him, can pass hence into the reasonable hope of a better and brighter existence in the Great Beyond. Such a man was we believe, ROBERT E. CALDER, late a member of this Company, and it is but meet and right that we should pause upon our records our appreciation of his character as a man, as a citizen, and as a Christian. Unswervingly true to his convictions of duty, earnest and firm in his opinions, yet tolerant of the views of others, an intelligent, upright, and successful business man, a devout member of his church, it is not too much to say of him, much as it is to say of any one, that he has left to us an example of true manhood, which we might well follow to our own advantage. His death in the prime of life seems premature to us, unable to fathom the mysteries of a wise Providence, yet we know that he has not lived in vain, however early death may claim him, who has left upon the community wherein he dwelt, the fragrant impression of a consistent, moral, unblamable, God-fearing life.
Resolved, That a page of our Record Book be inscribed with the name of our late member, ROBERT E. CALDER, and that a copy of this minute be sent to the city papers for publication.
Resolved, That a copy of the same be sent to the family of Mr. Calder with the tender of our sympathies for their loss, which to them is indeed irreparable.
T. D. MEARES,
W. A. WILLIAMS,
JNO. L. DILL,
Committee.

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