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MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS
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The Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad
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1st. The Great Atlantic Coast Line via Columbia, Wilmington and Portsmouth to Baltimore, Daily, Insurance 1 per cent. Philadelphia, Daily, Insured.
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Churches To-Day.
St. Peter's (E. Church).—Rev. B. S. Brinson, Rector. Services will be had today at 11 A. M., and at 4 P. M.

LOCAL DOGS.
"Bring in another" ferry boat. Second Sunday after Lent. There were only four police arrests last week; all the parties colored.

THE COURT, THIS WEEK.
There are 71 cases on the calendar for trial at the Court this week, and a great deal of business for the Grand Jury. There are 14 prisoners now in jail, but two of these are not for trial.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTH-DAY.
To-morrow is George Washington's birthday. George is the young man who stole a hatchet, cut down his daddy's cherry tree, and then led about it to-morrow we'll all pay due reverence to the memory of George—the first boy who was smart enough to lie out of a bad job and thereby escape a drubbing.

Military Company.
It is a source of a good deal of satisfaction, to know that a military company has at last been organized in Charlotte.

THE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.
We have an imperfect account of an accident on the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, yesterday afternoon.

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A GENTLEMAN.
Was driving through the streets yesterday, followed by a somewhat demonstrative dog.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
REGULAR MEETING OF
Phoenix Lodge No. 31 A. F. & A. M., will be held in their hall, in Masonic Temple Building, on

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MILLIONS OF GALLONS.
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MILITARY.
The members of the "GREYS" are requested to meet at the office of J. G. Harris, over Hottendorf's, on Monday night. All are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

COFFEE.
Cut-Look Granulated, Powdered, Standard, and "A," Excelsior, and Dandelion.

NEW NOVELS.
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THE CENTENNIAL HOUSE.
JOHN DONAHOE, Proprietor,
College Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C.
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