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NEWS SUMMARY.

Charles Ashby, the last of the railroad strikers awaiting trial at Cincinnati, has been sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment in the workhouse, pay a fine of \$500 and give bonds to keep the peace.

Mathias Appleton, Chairman of the Free Trade League, has called a convention of Free Traders to be held at Saratoga, N. Y., Saturday, Sept. 8th.

The employees of the Hudson River, New York Central, and Harlem Railroads are longingly waiting for the distribution of one hundred thousand dollars which President Vanderbilt promised them, eighteen days ago, for their loyalty during the recent strikes.

It is decided that the French Cabinet favor the proclamation of a state of siege. Joseph Howard is again out-generated, Joseph Howard led him 300 miles back towards his starting point.

The State Insurance Commission of Missouri have debarred the following companies from further prosecution of business in that State: Franklin, of Wheeling, W. Va.; the Old Dominion, of Richmond, Va.; the Residence, of Cleveland, Ohio; the Homestead, of Watertown, N. Y.; the Atlas, Hartford, Conn.; and the Missouri Valley Life, of Leavenworth, Kansas.

The new oil well at Smith Ferry, Pennsylvania, commenced to flow in Monday, throwing oil over the men who were working about the derrick. Gas ignited from a blacksmith forge, and the men were completely in flames. W. L. Baye and Charles Ausman died in a few minutes; John Ringha and Win. McReady cannot recover, and John Clinton and son were severely burned.

Hayes, Key and Mcrary dead-headed it all the way from Washington to Bennington, going in government carriages. Senator-elect, M. C. Butler, is in Washington. There appears to be no doubt whatever that Patterson will work and vote for his admission rather than Corbin's. Patterson insists that an extreme Democrat will be elected if Butler is kept out.

Hell, Secretary Schurz's private Secretary, is expected to resign soon. The Joint Committee of the Western members of the convention, that no agreement and Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Companies, which was in private session in New York until 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, held an evening session at Windsor Hotel, which lasted about three hours. Like the afternoon meeting it was strictly private, but it was stated, after the conference had adjourned, by several men had been reached; that there had been a general discussion without any definite conclusion. The meeting adjourned last night to meet again next Monday, if all the members of the Committee can be present on that day.

Senator Morton's Washington doctor has been called to Indianapolis. Morton's paralysis does not affect his face or mind. A special to the Philadelphia Times makes Hayes say to a prominent Senator, that he thought the workingmen should look for protection and redress in the bosom of the Republican party. He alluded to the workingmen's nominations in Ohio, and said the bulk of them were made from Cincinnati, so as to catch the votes of Hamilton county.

The President on a High Horse. A special from Washington to the New York Herald says: The President seems to be a little wary about going South in response to the cordial and apparently disinterested invitations he receives so frequently. At first he was inclined to think they were, as then seemed, prompted by the spirit of friendship and respect for the Chief Magistrate from the Southern people at large, but gradually it cropped out that a portion of them emanated from some small beer Virginia politicians who had come to Washington and wished to appear important at home by showing that they had access to the President and influence enough to get him to accept an invitation. One ex-Cousin hailing from Virginia extended his own accord to the President invitations to visit more than a half dozen springs in the State. Again another class is made up of hotel keepers who are anxious to advertise their places by the presence of the President. In discussing his contemplated Virginia trip President Hayes said that he was anxious to go South and had thought of Springs, but if there was going to be a collection of Virginia politicians there he did not want to go among them, nor to be mixed up in their movements.

Senator Morton's Illness. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., August 18.—Senator Morton passed through this city this evening on his way to Richmond, in this State. He was accompanied by

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his family and his physician, Dr. M. C. Thompson, of this city, who met him at Peoria in response to a telegram, and will remain with him until there is an improvement in his health. The Senator's sickness is quite serious, and is thought to be the result of over-exertion. There were grave apprehensions at one time during the journey that he would not get home alive. His condition to-day was, however, much better than yesterday. The left arm is paralyzed, but the physician thinks only temporarily. There is no symptom of paralysis in his face, and his mind has not been at all impaired.

Donations for the Premium List of the next State Fair, at Raleigh, Oct. 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20.

One bonnet, handsomely trimmed, new fall style, value \$25, from Hill Brothers, 293 and 295 Canal street, New York. We invite the special attention of the ladies to this premium. We are assured that it will be a most tasteful specimen of the milliner's art. In the premium list may be found the requirement to obtain the same. Write to the Secretary and have your name filed, to receive a copy of the list. It will be sent to all applicants, post paid.

One cucumber wood pump and 30 feet of pipe for fitting, value \$23.00, from Chas. G. Blatchley, Philadelphia, through Messrs. Thos. H. Briggs & Son. Mr. Briggs is a member of the executive committee, and has freely given time and means to sustain the State Fair.

Selection of ladies' shoes, value \$25, from the Winchester boot & shoe factory, Winchester, Va. This is in addition to their former contribution, with the results of which the company was well pleased.

Four rolls (800 square feet) of asbestos roofing, five gallons different shades of paint, three gallons of roof paint, five gallons fire proof paint, two pounds steam packing, samples of asbestos, &c., value wholesale \$52, from the H. W. Johns Manufacturing Co., No. 87 Maiden Lane, New York, through Messrs. Julius Lewis & Co., the extensive dealers in hardware, paints, &c., so thoroughly esteemed throughout the State. Mr. Lewis is a member of the Executive Committee. It will be remembered that Mr. West, of this firm, with his characteristic energy, erected a fine wind mill for the supply of water, at the last Fair.

We invite the attention of the press at large through the State to these generous donations from abroad toward the building up of the great and lasting prosperity of the State Agricultural Society. The list will be continued from day to day.

Strange Peat of a Somnambulist. We have often read and heard of strange feats performed by somnambulists, but the one performed by Mr. Ed. Culbreth, Saturday night, bangs anything we have ever heard or read of. He was domiciling over Price & Ludwig's store with two other young men—all bunking together. About 2 o'clock in the morning, Mr. Culbreth arose from his bed, walked deliberately to a window—the bottom of which was on a level with the floor—then out of the window he stepped, making a collision with the ground. The window is twelve feet from the ground. Policeman W. M. Nicholson, hearing the fall nearly a square, and thinking a peanut fell out, he proceeded to the spot and found our young somnambulist hero lying on the side-walk, bereft of coat, pants and vest, and folded in Morphew's fond embrace, snoring at the rate of forty knots per hour. Mr. Nicholson summoned Mr. T. E. Anderson and others to the spot to witness the wonderful sight; and when the crowd had assembled, Mr. Nicholson tickled him in the short-ribs of the left side with his "billy." As this was done the somnambulist said: "I don't want any more watermelon," turning on his other side. He was then taken up stairs, laid in bed, never awaking until a late hour Sunday morning. His chums recited his capers, and had not his bruised limbs and face corroborated their statements, there would yet have been some doubt of their truthfulness in his mind.

The People Want Proof. There is no medicine prescribed by physicians, or sold by Druggists, that carries such evidence of its success and superior virtue of BOSCHER'S GERMAN SYRUP for severe Coughs, Colds settled on the breast, Consumption, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs. A proof of that fact is that any person afflicted, can get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try its superior effect before buying the regular sized at 75 cents. It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures are astonishing every one that use it. Three doses will relieve any case. Try it.

Quarterly Meetings. Fourth round of appointments as made by Rev. William S. Black, Presiding Elder, for the Wilmington District, Methodist E. Church, South. Magnolia, at Providence.....Sept. 1 2 Wilmington, Fifth Street.....Sept. 8 9 Cokesbury and Coharie Mission at Cokesbury.....Sept. 15 16 Whiteville and Waccamaw Mission at Shiloh.....Sept. 22 23 Clinton.....Sept. 29 30 Wilmington, Front Street.....Oct. 6 7 Smithville, at Concord.....Oct. 13 14 Onslow, at Queen's Creek.....Oct. 20 21 Elizabeth, at Elizabethtown.....Oct. 27 28

The Mails. The Mails close and arrive at the City Postoffice as follows: Northern through mails - 4:15 P M Northern through and way mails, 6:15 A M Mails for the N. C. and A. & N. C. Railroads, and routes supplied therefrom - 4:45 P M Southern mails for all points South, daily - 5:00 P M Western mails (C. C. R. W.) daily (except Sundays) - 5:00 P M Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays - 1:00 P M Mails for points along line of Cheraw & Darlington R. R. - 11:30 A M Fayetteville by C. C. R. W. daily, (except Sundays) - 6:00 A M Mails for points between Florence and Charleston - 11:30 A M Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday - 6:00 A M Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily, (except Sundays) - 8:00 A M Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, every Friday at - 3:00 P M ARRIVE. Northern through mails - 12:15 P M Northern through and way mails, 5:30 P M Southern mails - 7:30 A M Carolina Central Railway at - 6:30 A M Mails delivered from 6:00 A. M. to 7:30 P. M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 6 P. M. Money order and Register Departments open same as stamp office. Stamps for sale at general delivery when stamp office is closed. Key Boxes accessible at all hours, day and night. Mails collected from street boxes every day 2 1/2 P. M.

LOCAL NEWS. New Advertisements. PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN - In Buying and Selling. JAS. C. MUND'S - Trommer's Ext. Malt. PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN - Left with Us with Instructions to Sell. A. DAVID - Another Large Invoice. I. FURMANSKI - Shampoo and Baths. Eggs 15 cents per dozen and very scarce. Police report that the denizens of Padly's Hollow are becoming very quiet. Fine shrimps yesterday afternoon were sold for five cents per quart, or six quarts for a quarter. Capt. T. J. Southerland is to make change of base. He will use the stables next to the old jail building on Second street. Our devil who had indulged in a day's dissipation conveyed the intelligence that he had gone to the Sound on the turnpike in a two-horse avalanche. Two private excursions to the mouth of the river to-day. One party on the stmr. Underhill, the other on the excursion barge Modoc towed by the steam tug Alpha. Schr. E. S. Powell, of New York is laid up on the western side of the river waiting for something to turn up. The steam tug Wm. Nyce is laid up with same complaint. In the absence of rabid dogs the Creedmore team of the police force should try their hand on boys who place grape hulls on the side-walk and watch for the hasty sitting down of some tired pedestrian. Peculiar Rigging. A schooner of peculiar rig is laying at anchor abreast Kidder's mill. She has a yard-arm on her foremast and from the arm are two triangular sails to the topmast. The style of rigging is peculiar to the lakes and might be termed a very Superior style, but then if she was a little further North she could take Erie style she liked. Cornet Concert Club. Upon the suggestion of the REVIEW and out of deference to the wishes of the community the concert to-morrow evening by the C. C. Club will be of much longer duration than any previous one given by them. There will be no programme published but the best pieces played by them on former occasions will be repeated and several new ones will be rendered. To-morrow evening's entertainment bids fair to be far more pleasant and interesting than any former one and we predict a rush, not on the banks, but for the seats provided for the occasion. Yacht Notes. The Restless nee Little Walter, has challenged the Frolic for a race over the regular course. Of course the challenge was accepted as Mr. Parsley is always in for a frolic but Mr. Cowan thinks he will be a little restless after the race. The time has not yet been named. The Bessie Lee, Little Sister and Spray are to contest for the championship of small boats in the Carolina Yacht Club. The race will be sailed on Saturday next commencing at 2 p. m. The History of Civilization might be written in the gradual processes of improvement wrought out in articles of food. Every progressive step is a public blessing. To no one article is more due than DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER. This with proper care in baking insures the most delicious and digestible bread, biscuits, pastry, etc.

Have Either the Right?

A rather peculiar and knotty question was referred to one of our city magistrates yesterday afternoon for adjudication and we think the subject embraces some nice points of law. Two persons, whom we shall designate as A and B, have property adjoining, and on the dividing line was a peach tree. A ordered the tree to be cut down and B objected on the ground that the tree was his property. A also laid claims to it and persisted in having it cut. B sued out a warrant against A, and, as both parties claimed the tree, Messrs. James & Brown were called on to run off the property, when it was ascertained that the line ran very nearly through the centre of the tree, four inches being on A's property and five on B's. The case went against A because of B owning one inch more of the tree than A. Now the question arises, had either the legal right to destroy the tree without permission of the other?

A Volunteer.

During the early part of the summer a volunteer watermelon vine sprang up among the grass in the yard of a lady living on the corner of Sixth and Red Cross streets. No attention was paid to it and for a long time the vine and grass strove for the ascendancy and the leaves of the vine were finally seen peeping over the top of the grass. Nothing was done for the vine in the way of cultivation, not even the grass and weeds were pulled from around it. A few days ago a very large, fine-looking watermelon was discovered, which will compare most favorably with any cultivated melons we have seen this summer. It is nothing unusual for volunteer vines to spring up and bear fruit, but, as a general thing, it is of an inferior quality, though the melon above alluded to is looked upon as something out of the ordinary run of things, when we take into consideration that the grass and weeds which were cooking the vine, so to speak, were not even removed.

The Yacht Race.

Preparations for the yacht race to-morrow continue with renewed vigor. Every yacht is being put in racing trim and we can expect one of the most exciting and interesting trials of speed had in our waters for some time past. None of the yachts have been officially entered for the contest, but it is known that the Annie, Spray, Qui Vive, Resa, Empie & Marion, Carolina, Lizzie, Frolic, Ripple and Foam will participate. The Foam, recently built by Messrs. Cassidey & Ross, has just received a new set of sails from Philadelphia. She sailed under very disadvantageous circumstances in the Fourth of July race and her friends predict for her quite a different result from that of the last contest. The Lizzie, built by Mr. G. A. Peck, which has not practiced in any former races, is being fitted up with a new set of sails and her friends are claiming for her one of the prizes. At any rate the race will be one of unusual interest and those who are not yacht-men can calmly await the result.

The Base Ballers.

Numerous complaints having been made to the Mayor pro tem. of the indecorous conduct of many boys who are in the habit of indulging in the pleasant pastime of a game of base ball, His Honor has been constrained to issue an order that henceforth no game of this kind will be permitted inside of the city limits without special permission from city headquarters. In this way the Acting Mayor will be able to separate the wheat from the chaff, so to speak, and allow the boys who are deserving and well behaved to indulge in an orderly manner in their innocent amusement. In this connection we will state that a party of colored boys, who had been granted permission to indulge in a game at the corner of Sixth and Orange streets yesterday afternoon, were not only boisterous and disorderly in their manner, but were exceedingly insolent to some of the neighbors when they attempted to remonstrate with them. It is hard for all the boys, however, to suffer for a disorderly few, and we hope for the sake of the good boys (one of whom we have been in our extreme youth) if any there be in Wilmington at the present time, that Acting Mayor Flanner will not make the game of ball altogether prohibitory.

The woman Margaret Ann Clardy, who was so nearly butchered by Mary Eliza Nixon and York Watters on Saturday night last, is still in a very critical condition.

City Court.

Two cases were brought up this morning at 9 o'clock for the consideration of His Honor, the Mayor pro temp. The first case was a colored youth rejoicing in the name of Edward McFarland, but better known by the appellation of Pot Hooks. The charge was disorderly conduct, and the arrest took place yesterday afternoon. The evidence given in sustained the charge, and Pot Hooks was sent to a cell, there to remain for the period of five days, during which time he will have ample opportunity to reflect upon the evil consequences of violating the Ordinances of the city and refusing to obey the guardians of the peace of the city when charged to keep the peace. We hope the example of Pot Hooks will not be lost upon some of his companions about the same size and habits, who frequently render themselves exceedingly obnoxious to quiet, peaceable citizens on the streets by their indecent language and seem to take especial pains while enjoying an old stump of a cigar, to puff the smoke in huge volumes from their mouths as they pass ladies. The second case, Henry McNeill, was dismissed and the foresaid Henry went on his way rejoicing. This concluded the business for the session and His Honor therefore stepped down and out.

The best remedy for bed-bugs is a bug trap made by boring a series of holes in a piece of wood with a gimlet, and placing this under the mattress. The piece of wood is to be placed periodically into a basin of boiling water. This is an Indian hospital plan.

The Thermometer. From the United States Signal Office at this place we obtain the following report of the thermometer, as taken this morning at 7:31 o'clock: Augusta, 74; Cairo, 70; Charleston, 73; Cincinnati, 63; Corsicana, 69; Fort Gibson, 62; Galveston, 81; Indianapolis, 83; Jacksonville, 80; Key West, 85; Knoxville, 63; Lynchburg, 71; Memphis, 71; Mobile, 72; Montgomery, 71; Nashville, 69; New Orleans, 78; New York, 70; Norfolk, 74; Pittsburgh, 63; Punta Rasa, 85; Savannah, 76; Shreveport, 73; St. Louis, 70; St. Marks, 73; Vicksburg, 71; Washington, 71; Wilmington, 72.

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LACER. ANOTHER CONSIGNMENT OF THAT SUPERIOR CHAMPAGNE LAGER BEER, The Finest Offered on the Market. Adapted especially to Family Use. 10 Bbls. Pure Cider Vinegar, Cheap. BINFORD, LOEB & CO. aug 14

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Flour! Flour! Flour! 100 Bbls. and Half Bbls. of our Old Brand "Favorite" \$9.50 per Barrel, \$4.87 1-2 per Half Bbl. Ground from New Wheat—Guaranteed. JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT, 5 & 7 North Front St. aug 14 FAMILY GROCER.

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