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LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

GEO. MYERS-Groceries, Wines, Teas, &c. J. C. MACKEY-Business Chance. CHESS, CARLEY & Co-\$7 for Gas against \$1 for Oi'.

A. SERIER-Bargains! Bargains! J. C. MUNDS, Druggist .- Globe Flower

8. JEWETT-Christmas is Over.

Storm signal flying to-day. Wood serter scarce and high.

Good boating water in the river, is the eport to-day.

The epizootic is spreading and nearly eyery body is snuffing about it.

The Cape Fear Light Infantry paraded this afternoon and will have a ball tonight at Maria Hall.

We understand that a new grocery es tablishment is to be opened on North Front street in a few days.

Bvt. Maj. Gen. C. C. Augur, and Maj. H. B. Russell, U. S. A., were in the city yesterday and stopped at the Purcell.

Some of the most wealthy business mm in the country owe their fortunes to the benefits arising from the free use of printer's ink.

The Fayetteville Cadets paraded for a short time on our streets this afternoon but soon sought their harbor on account

We are pleased to known that Capt. A Duke has so far recovered from his ecent attack of sickness as to be able to be on the streets yesterday.

When a series of belts and whacks, mingled with grouns, yells and much prancing about is heard in a house, it is a parent what is the cause.

An exchange says it is now possible to get all the gold one wants-in exchange for notes. But how to get all the notes one wants is what puzzles us.

FASHION NOTES .- Fur Collars are little worn by ladies this season, and this will give rise to many severe coughs and colds. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a certain and safe cure in every case. Price 25 cents.

Every time a business man inserts an advertisement in a good paper, he places his business sign before hundreds of household and attracts the attention of many that he could not in any other way.

The stormy weather which we mentioned yesterday as being indicated by the sea gulls in our harbor has put in an appearance to-day and we gave the alarm twelve hours before it was announced by the storm signal.

We tender our thanks for an invitation to attend the . Hop of the Comus Club, which will be given at the Hall of the Little Giant Engine Company, on Thursday evening next, the 13th inst. It will undoubtedly be an enjoyable affair, as the Club fully understands how the thing should be done.

The steamer Governor Worth, which arrived here this morning from Fayetteville, will remain in port for a week or so to have her machinery overhauled and repaired. The A. P. Hurt, of the same line, has taken the place of the Worth and cleared this afternoon for Fayette-

An Age of Competition.

In this day of the world competition is active in the extreme. But in the long run it's the best which wins the prize of public preference in spite of all the deceits used to bolster up weak articles. For this reason Dooley's YEAST POWDER is recognized as the higest possible achievement in baking powder.

Attempted Burgiary.

An attempt was made last night about 91 o'clock to burglariously enter the residence of Mr. T. B. Henderson on Market. between Second and Third streets. Mr. Henderson heard the noise and started out when the would be thisf bolted and make good his escape.

Arrested for Larceny.

Harrison Scott, colored, was arrested this morning upon a warrant issued by Justice Wagner on the affidavit of C. I Lockey for the Jarceny of \$4.90 from th money drawer of Mr. Lockey's barbershop, corner of Front and Princers streets, on Saturday night last. The trial was set for 4 o'clock this afternoon and defendant was required to give bond in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at that time. hereafter.

A Series of Lectures.

We are gratified to learn that Col. Duncan K. McRae will deliver a course of lectures before the Library Association at intervals of two weeks. The next lecture will be delivered sometime next week and will duly announced through the columns of the city press.

Juvenile Military, The Fayetteville Cadets, a company of juvenile colored soldiers all the way from ten to sixteen years of age, in nice blue uniforms with red stripes on their pants, arrived in the city last night on the steamer Governor Worth, and are now quartered at the corner of Dock and Front streets. They will return to their home on Friday next.

Invited to Lecture.

The American Geographical Society of New York, Chief Justice Daly, President, has invited Gen'l R. E. Colston to deliver a lecture before the society in Chickering Hall in New York City on March 11th. Gen'l Colston, we learn, has accepted the invitation and will leave for New York in a few days to arrange for the delivery of the lecture.

Sudden Death.

Last night a colored woman, named Clara Hill, and living in Thompson's Alley, on the North side of the railroad, while engaged in cleaning some fish complained of an acute pain in the right side, just beneath the heart. In a mo nent or two after making the complaint of pain, she fell over and before she could be placed uron the bed, life was extinct, Special Coroner A. H. Leslie, held an inquest and the verdict of the jury was that death resulted from natural causes, supposed to be disease of the heart.

Capture of an Escaped Lunatic.

A colored lunatic, known as Crazy Nathan, who escaped from the Poor House, where he has been confined, some two weeks ago, was captured over in Brooklyn this morning by one of the keepers of the institution above named, assisted by officer Woebse, of the police force, and taken to the Guard House, where he will be kept until arrangements can be made to take him back to his quarters at the Poor House. The arrangement necessary to be made in order to move the unfortunate man is a straight jacket, as he is very violent and has a peculiar way of biting just like a dog. It is said that he will bite a man or piece of iron or anything else that comes in his way.

City Court.

Alderman Bowden, Mayor pro tem presiding:

The first case called was E. G. Barnitz, charged with disorderly conduct .-After hearing the evidence in this case the acting Mayor decided to continue the case until Saturday, the 15th inst, on account of the absence of witnesses.

The defendant was required to furnish justified bond in the sum of \$50 for his appearance at that time.

The next case on docket was that of Fanny Gore, charged with disorderly conduct. At the sound of her name one of the Paddy's Hollow queens, a very disfront of the Bar of the Court and listened to the evidence against her. She entered no demurrer but quielty, submitted the case and get off with a fine of one dollar. or five days in the city prison.

Put Him Out.

Last night, at the meeting of the Second Ward Democratic Club, a couple of men who belong neither to the Clubinor to the Democratic party, walked into the hall and took seats. One of the members of the Club then arose and stated that it was a Democratic meeting for party purposes, and made a motion, which was seconded and adopted, that all persons present net Democrats be requested to retire. The motion was put and carried, wherupon one of the men arose and left. The other manifested a disposition to remain and talked of his rights, &c., and after some little discussion declared he would not leave unless he was led out. Upon this declaration being made, the President of the Club walked up to him, and taking him by the arm, quietly desired of him te walk, and he walked. At the door the President left him, closing the door between them. We learn that this person visited the meetings in two of the other wards with similar consequences, The man was not a Democrat, nor yet was he a Republican. We decline to advertise him by publishing his name, but we will give him a little piece of advice, which to stear clear of Democratic caucuses

Ward Meetings Last Night.

In response to the call published in the papers yesterday the Democratic voters of the different Wards assembled last night at the places designated. The object of the meetings was to consider resolution sent up by the City Executive ter but last night he was so ill and the Committee to petition the General Assembly to continue the present Board of Aldermen in office for the ensuing term of two years, it being understood that the Democratic Aldermen from any Ward should resign, providing a majority of the party in the Ward Should so desire,

In the First Ward the resolution was adopted without a dissenting voice.

resolution, but appointed a Committee to confer with the City Executive Committee as to what was best to be done under the circumstances.

At this meeting, John C. James, Esq., tendered his resignation as President of the Club which was accepted and a vote of thanks was unanimously passed in recognition of his faithful services to the Club and to the party. The resignation of Mr. James was tendered on ac count of the pressing demands of business which prevented him from doing ful justice to the interests of the Club whereupon Junius Davis, Esq., a number of the Executive Committee, was unanimously elected to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Mr. James and Col. Roger Moore received the same manimous vote to succeed Mr. Davis as a member of the Executive Committee.

In the Third Ward, the resolution peti. tioning the continuance of the present Board in office for five years, was unant mously adopted, and the clause concern ing the conditional resignations of present Aldermen was laid on the table. A reso lution was also adopted requesting the City Executive Committee to petition the General Assembly to continue in office the present Board of Audit and Finance for two years.

In the Fourth Ward the resolution entire was adopted amid much enthusiasm, and the following gentlemen were elected as officers of the Club for the ensuing cam-

President-W. P. Oldham; Vice Pesidents-J. C. Stevenson and J. I. Macks. Secretary and Treasurer-J. W. Gallo-

The resolution was also universally adopted in the Fifth Ward. In all the meetings, although at some

places there were differences of opinion, the most entire good feeling prevailed, and every Democrat present seemed imbued with a desire to benefit the party and city by his action.

Attempted Arson.

At about 91 o'clock last night as Charles Jones, a colored man, was returning to his home he discovered a fire un der the piazza of a building on Chestnut street, between Third and Fourth, belonging to the estate of the late S. M West, Esq., and occupied by Mr. James Lyons, He immediately alarmed the occupants and the piazza was ripped up and the flames extinguished before any considerable damage was done. An examination showed that the would be-incendiary had taken pains to insure a gusting looking white woman, stepped in conflagration, by placing a lot of small sticks of fat lightwood in an upright position so that the flames would pass up between the frame and weather boarding. Undoubtedly the opportune arrival of Jones prevented the entire destruction of the building. There is no clue, as yet, to the perpetrator of the deed.

Criminal Court.

The following cases were disposed of to-day in this tribunal:

with larceny. Verdict guilty. State vs Henry Hutaf, charged with retailing without a license. Verdict not

State vs James Heaton, charged with embezzlement. Verdict not guilty. State vs J. F. Gilbert, charged

ssault and battery. Submitted. State vs James Heaton, in nine cases of embezzlement furnished James Wilson as surety in each case.

State vs Jas. T. Burriss and Salissa Garrett, charged with F. and A. On trial.

Meeting of Mexican Veterans.

There will be a meeting of the Mexican War Veterans in this city to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, in Judge Cantwell's office in the Bank of New Hanover building, for the purpose of sending delegates to the National Convention of the Veterans of Mexico which is to be held in Baltimore on the 22nd instant.

Maj. Engelhard is Better.

There have been grave fears of late entertained in regard to Maj. Engelhard's condition. He has been suffering with an acute attack of congestion of the liver. Yesterday he was thought somewhat betsymptoms were so unfavorable that Dr. Haywood, his attending physician, telegraphed the fact here and this morning Dr. Geo. G. Thomas left for Raleigh. Dr. Thomas was with Maj. Engelhard last week and only returned here on Saturday night.

We are glad, however, to learn to day, through a dispatch received this noon by The Second Ward refused to adopt the Capt. C. D. Myers, from Mr. E. B. Engelhard, that Maj. E. is somewhat better to-day and that strong hopes, which we presume are" based upon opinions given by the medical attendants, are entertained that he will recover.

Window Cardening at Belvidere.

Thanks to Mr. James A. Willard for a arge waiter of vegtables, just from the garden, sent in to us last evening, consisting of kale, spinach, lettuce, turnips, parsnips and radishes, all as samples of what is done by window gardening at Belvidere. Mr. Willard expects to have a supply of each of above mentioned vegtables in market everyday for the present and judging by the beautiful specimens received by us we should think that the demand would be very great.

K nights of Pythias.

The Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias of North Carolina assembled in Fayetteville this morning and the following representatives from this city went forward yesterday: D. D. G. C. John Haar; P. G. C. W. H. Gerken; P. C. Carl VonKampen; Grand Prelate Henry Prempert and P. C. John Meyer, of Germania Lodge, No. 4; and from Stonewall Lodge, Grand Master of E., Benj. White and P. C., J. L. Dudley.

Hotel Arrivals.

EMPIRE House .- Wilmington N. C., Feb. 11.-I. L. Dolby, proprietor .from 8:15 o'clock Feb. 10 to 8:15 o'clock Feb. 11-L Sanders, Wilson, N C; A Timnens, Weldon, N C; Samuel Hall, Summersville, N C; W M Johnson, Burgaw, N C; J W Folds, Cartwright, N C; TB Womack, Pittsboro N C; WH Robbins, Pender co: J H Williams, Ira Sparrow, Richmond, Thos Sessoms, Dr W K Andrews, Bladen co; Berry Binford, city; J H Capers, Richmond Va

The Thermometer.

From the United States Signal Office at his place we obtain the following .report of the thermometer, as taken this numing at 7:31 o'clock :

Augusta, Ga 53 | Cincinnati.....49 Corsicana, Tex.....45 Fort Gibson, C. N.36 Galveston.....59 Knoxville.....40 Lynchburg..... 38

Mobile, Ala..... 57 Montgomery Ala... 58 Nashville50 New Orleans......56 New York.....35 Savannah, Ga.....50 Shreveport.....51 St. Louis Mo47 St. Marks, Fla.....58 Vicksburg, Miss....53 Washington.....36 Memphis, Tenn.....52 | Wilmington.......59

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