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PLEASE NOTICE.

We will be glad to receive communications from our friends on any and all subjects of general interest but

The name of the writer must always be furnished to the Editor.

Communications must be written on only one side of the paper.

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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.

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

B G WORTH—Citizen's Meeting
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J G BURR—Notice to Taxpayers
Excursion Cumberland Lodge K of P for Smithville
ALTAFFER, PRICE & CO—Sash, Doors and Blinds
L J OTTERBOURG—Friends in the Country
J L BOATWRIGHT—Picnics and Excursions
OPERA HOUSE—Miss Ina MacCall
C W YATES—Pianos and Organs

The schooner *Mary Bear* arrived in port yesterday from Baltimore, making the trip inside of three days.

Schr. *C. H. Macombei* cleared to day for Gonaives, Hayti, by Messrs. E. Kidder & Sons, with 124,776 feet lumber and 20,900 shingles.

The friends of prohibition are to have a grand rally in the City Hall this evening for consultation as to the campaign. Some stirring speeches may also be expected.

The alarm of fire yesterday morning, about 9 o'clock, was caused by the ignition of an ash-barrel on premises near the corner of Third and Red Cross streets. No damage.

Call at JACOBI'S for Garden Hoes and Rakes, Shovels, Spades, Axes, &c. There you have the lowest prices. †

The eclipse came off on Saturday night, not according to appointment, but somewhat earlier than the time designated. According to our clock the totality was at 3 minutes to 1 o'clock. It wasn't much of a show after all.

Study your interest. You can now buy Cook Stoves at factory prices at JACOBI'S. †

Mr. Walter L. Kelley left here last night for Birmingham, Ala., where he goes to assist his brother, Mr. Geo. C. Kelly, who has recently opened a large mercantile establishment at that place. Our best wishes are his.

We are Sorry.

In speaking in Saturday's issue of the accidental discharge of a pistol in a saloon on Market street, we did not desire to intimate that the young man who was examining the weapon was drunk. This certainly was not our intention and we are sorry that our words could admit of such a construction. We are assured that the gentleman was perfectly sober.

Crystal Weddings.

Our typographic friend, Mr. S. G. Hall, and his wife celebrate their crystal wedding this evening, having donned the harness matrimonial fifteen years ago today. We wish them unalloyed pleasure in the festivities of the evening and a long and happy life of conjugal felicity. Capt. F. G. Robinson also scores his crystal wedding to-day.

Freshwater Perch, Trout and Blackfish Hooks and Lines. A full assortment and lowest prices at JACOBI'S. †

To Builders and others—Go to JACOBI'S for Sash, Blinds and Doors, Glass, &c. You can get all sizes and at the lowest prices. †

The Southern Historical Papers.

This valuable and interesting periodical for May is on our table, and as usual is full of historical incidents and reminiscences of the late war from a Southern stand-point. The most noticeable features of this number are "The Descent of Gen. R. E. Lee from King Robert Bruce of Scotland;" the Dedication of the Army of Northern Virginia Association Tomb, and unveiling of the Jackson Stature at New Orleans; Description of the Scene and Monument: Verbatim report of the speech of President Davis; Origin of the "Lone Star" and the coat of arms of Texas. General Kirby Smith's campaign in Kentucky in 1862. Reminiscences of the A. N. V.—Capture of Winchester and rout of Banks. We would not be without a copy of this valuable work and we think it the duty of every Southern man who has the ability to do so to become a subscriber; but especially do we think it obligatory upon every Library Association or Literary Society in each Southern community, for the sake of truth and justice, to become the repository of this important work. The cost is a mere trifle, only $3.00 per annum, and would be a far better investment than trashy novels which last for a season and are soon worn out and thrown aside.

The Cocking Main and Race.

The cocking main between Charlotte and Wilmington will commence to-morrow at Klein's gardens and last for three days. The birds have been here for several days and are said to be in excellent trim. The race between the black colt "Unknown" and "Mary Wilbur" will in all probability take place on Wednesday, though "Unknown" is suffering from a slight attack of epizootic. Quite a number of "the boys" are here and more are expected to arrive to-night.

We can't Help It.

No matter the source or cause, we hate growling, and recommend herewith the remedy. Use St Jacobs Oil and laugh at pain. It will do the work every time.

The Lease of the Opera House.

Mayor Smith and Aldermen Worth and Chadbourn, Committee on Public Buildings, visited the Opera House this morning, together with Captain E. J. Pennypacker, the lessee of the same, to take an inventory of the amount of city property contained therein, and also to examine into the condition of said property preparatory to awarding the building for a term of five years lease to the highest bidder, whom the committee shall adjudge the most reliable and trustworthy in carrying out the provisions of the contract or the terms of the lease. The Committee on the lease from the Board of Aldermen, we learn, meet and open the bids at the City Hall, either in the Court Room or the Auditing Committee's Room, this evening at 8 o'clock when the award will be made or the contract given out as stated above.

City Court.

Mayor Smith had an unusually large levee this morning, the principal attendants at which were first, Georgianna Gause, sable-hued, charged with disorderly conduct; $1.00 fine—or two days' imprisonment was the way His Honor disposed of this case.

Addie Harriss, another *very dark* brunette, for disorderly conduct, was made to suffer the penalty of one dollar fine—or take the alternative of lodging two days at the city's expenses in a cell.

Frances Moore and Delia Gardner, two denizens of Paddy's Hollow, were arraigned upon the charge of an affray. The former was fined $1.00 and the latter released without damage to her fair(?) name and character beyond what it has already suffered.

There was still another case of a person whom the charge recorded against is abusing a police officer while in the discharge of his duty. The sentence of the Court being only $2.00 fine, and not at all commensurate with the offence charged, if proved, we omit any further mention of the matter, inasmuch as we were unable to be present and hear the evidence at the trial.

In reference to the last case reported above we feel satisfied that Mayor Smith will act up to the full measure of the responsibilities of his oath and conscientiously and faithfully discharge the duties of his office in every instance. But a policeman should be protected while on duty from insult or obloquy; this is the only point we desire to make. The position of an officer on the city force is not altogether unlike that of a sentinel in the army and for the sentinel on post General Lee always enforced the strictest regard and respect both by positive orders from army headquarters and personal example. He contended it was the highest duty of a soldier and should command respect from officers and men alike. And so it is, though in a less degree perhaps, with the guardians of the peace and good order of a city. They should be respected by all good citizens from love of law and order, and by others from fear of the penalty attached to a violation of the law. If a policeman knows that he is sustained by authority in the discharge of his duty, if a good officer, he will perform that duty both fearlessly and honestly, knowing that whatever the consequences may be he will be protected by those who entrusted him with the authority to act, provided of course always that the officer does not exceed that authority and become himself a violator of the law.

New Steamer.

Capt. S. W. Skinner is having built a stern wheel steamer, which is about 80 feet long and 24 feet beam, at his marine railway, in the southern portion of the city. The hull and deck house are about completed and are ready for the reception of the machinery.

Miss MacCall.

Our readers are reminded that the box sheet for Miss Ina MacCall's dramatic recitals at the Opera House to-morrow evening is now open at Heinsberger's. We have every assurance that the entertainment will be a pleasing one, and we trust that the young lady will be greeted by a full house. She has been received elsewhere with much favor, and we trust that she may be able to say the same of Wilmington.

Excursion To Morrow.

The excursion down the river on the steamer *Passport* for the benefit of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, to-morrow, bids fair to be a very successful and enjoyable affair. The young folks will trip the decks, keeping time with the music, while the older portion of the excursionists will help them out and show them how to dance. The well-known ability of the committee is a sufficient guarantee that nothing will be lacking to make the day one of rare pleasure. Mirth and enjoyment will prevail, but liquor and rude behaviour will not be tolerated.

Superior Court.

There is an interesting case on trial in the Superior Court now in session in this city, it being no less than the suit of Gen. M. P. Taylor against the Bell Telephone Company. Able counsel are employed on both sides. Col. D. K. McRae and Judge Russell appear for the plaintiff while Major D. J. Devane and Major C. M. Stedman will argue the case for the defendant. The jury were just made and empannelled at 4 o'clock.

Beautify your homes by using the N. Y. Enamel Paint, ready mixed and warranted. Sold only at JACOBI'S. †

The Washington Excursionists.

About seven hundred persons left this city this afternoon for Washington City on an excursion train chartered by W. H. Howe and Anthony Maultsby, colored. There were about one hundred and fifty whites on the train, for whom special coaches were provided. There were twelve coaches and one baggage car in the train. Quite a number of the party, both white and colored, were from along the lines of the roads leading to this city. The excursionists will arrive in Washington about noon to-morrow and will return here on Saturday.

Arrested and Locked Up.

Amelia Bradley, colored, was arrested and conveyed to the Guard House this morning for being drunk and disorderly.

Mary Stewart, a colored girl, was also arrested over in Brooklyn while engaged in an affray with a colored man by the name of Wesley Aney. The latter made his escape, but the girl was carried to the Guard House. A razor was found in her possession which she alleges was the property of the man Aney whom she avers was trying his best to cut her throat with the weapon, which he was only prevented from doing by her wrenching the blade from his grasp, in doing which the prisoner, Mary Stewart, received a cut in her right hand. After the woman was securely lodged in the City Prison Officer Harriss, who made the first arrest, proceeded in search of the other offender, Wesley Aney.

The Sumter Light Infanty.

A letter has been received in this city by Mr. F. H. Mitchell from Capt. Delgar, of the Sumter Light Infantry, stating that there is an expectation that General Hampton will accompany the command on their annual encampment at Fort Johnson. He further states that several of the gentlemen will bring their families with them, provided suitable accommodations can be obtained, and that there are also others from Richlands and Columbia who are expected to accompany the command. Capt. Delgar did not state in his letter when the company expected to go into encampment.