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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...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Report of the Condition OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON, at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business June 29, 1883.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, and Total. Includes items like Loans and discounts, U. S. Bonds, and Capital stock.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER, ss. I, A. K. WALKER, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: E. E. BURRUS, ALFRED MARTIN, D. G. WORTH. Directors.

Giles & Murchison, ICE. THE CLEANEST FLY TRAP ON THE MARKET.

Soda Water! Soda Water! WITH PURE FRUIT JUICES, ICE COLD!

FRONT STREET IS ALL ABLAZE WITH Harness and Saddlery Goods, Trunks and Traveling Bags, Fly Nets for Horses, Feather Dusters, Summer Lap Robes of beautiful patterns.

Consisting of Colored Chiff, Fine Colored Milano, "Sea-shells", white and colored, also the popular Shade Hat, Mankin or "Japanese", and a variety of other styles, just received and for sale by Mrs. Kate C. Wines.

Not Liked by Some, BUT GOOD FOR THE PEOPLE. Every body (nearly) now sells Gum Camphor for 25 cents per pound.

Check Books. FROM THE FIRST OF JULY CHECKS Without Two-Cent Stamps will be lawful.

Check Books. 300 CHECK BOOKS CONTAINING Fifty to Two Hundred Checks, just received. Larger sizes made to order.

Check Books. HEINSBERGER'S, Live Book and Music Stores.

The Academy of the Incarnation.

The parents and a few of the friends of the pupils assembled in the spacious hall of the Academy of the Incarnation on Tuesday morning, the 26th inst., to witness the closing exercises of the session.

Entrance March—Miss Mary Donlan. Calisthenics exercises. Hymn—Mother Dear, O Pray for Me—by all the children; music by Miss Donlan.

Senior Class. First premium, Miss Deborah Hogan. Second premium, Miss May Westermann.

Intermediate Class. First premium for the highest number of lesson tickets or merits, first premium for English composition; Miss May Wright.

Junior Class. First premium for the highest number of tickets in her class, for letter-writing, arithmetic, grammar and history, Miss Mary Westermann.

French and Drawing. First premium for drawing and painting, French and exequo to first premium arithmetic, Miss Stella Divine.

For Exemplary Conduct. Crowns of honor are awarded to the following young ladies for deportment and general good conduct: Misses May Wright, Stella Divine, Marv A. Donlan, Deborah Hogan, Lennie Nolan, Katie Westermann, Maggie Price, Theresa Westermann.

List of Marshals. The following is the list of marshals appointed to take charge of the ceremonies of laying the corner-stone of the Court House of Pender county, at Burgaw, July 11th, 1883: Dr. W. T. Ennett, Chief Marshal, and Dr. Walter C. Murphy, Walter Alderman, Major C. W. McClammy, J. K. Bannerman, Robert Durham, Thomas Moore, R. P. Paddison, Quincy Bell, Joseph French, Joal F. Johnson, Robert Bordeaux and A. H. Paddison, Assistant Marshals.

The Excursion Yesterday.

The excursion on the Passport yesterday under the auspices of Germania Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was a really enjoyable affair, and the day passed off very pleasantly with plenty of music and dancing to enliven the occasion.

Commencement Exercises. The commencement exercises of the Smithville Academy, of which Prof. Scroggs is the principal, were held at the Court House in that town yesterday and were extremely interesting and entertaining.

Col. Waddell. We see by the Charlotte Journal-Observer that Hon. A. M. Waddell has sold out his interest in that paper and has gone to the Warm Springs with his family where he will spend a part of the Summer.

Latest by Telephone. Mr. J. C. White, Manager of the Telephone Exchange in this city, went down the river to Smithville, on the Passport, this morning, carrying a telephone with him.

A New Society Novel. "Those Pretty St. George Girls," a new society novel is an exceedingly bright, fresh, interesting and original romance of English high life with spirit and dashing glimpses of travel and flirtation on the Continent.

Our Sanitary Condition. In a conversation this morning with Dr. Potter, Superintendent of Health, we learned that the sanitary condition of Wilmington is excellent—better than it has been for many years.

The Last Rites. The obsequies of Mr. Lewis M. Williams, whose death was announced yesterday, were held at his late residence on Princess, between Fifth and Sixth streets, this morning, Rev. Frank H. Wood, of the Front Street M. E. Church, officiating.

The Excursion Yesterday. (Continued) The management was entirely successful in its efforts to make the trip all that could be desired.

The Excursion Yesterday. (Continued) The fact is not yet perceptible.

A Thrilling and Hair-Raising Episode.

A Little Child at Sea Tied to a Balloon.

MOREHEAD CITY, June 27.—At the still hour of midnight had the trump of Gabriel summoned us all to a final worldly reckoning, more excitement, consternation and weeping could not have come over the many good people who were present and witnessed the most wonderful and miraculous escape that ever happened in this or any other country, and I fervently pray that I may never live long enough to witness the like again.

Mrs. Robert Elliott, of Texas, has been here for the past ten days or more, to restore the health of her little child—Birdie—a bright and sweet little cherub less than three years old, who is much emaciated from a spell of Texas fever.

"All to your boats!" shouted old Capt. Dixon, "and never a son of a man turn back until that child is brought to its mummy!"

"I, I, I, I, I," responded six of as brave and daring boatmen as ever reefed a sail, and all with boats sea-worthy for any waters.

"Bang!" went the rifle—but no change in position. Again and again and again—the fifth shot, one balloon disappeared amidst the shouts of the boatmen. At the eighth shot it became evident that the balloons could no longer carry the weight of the little floating angel, as she was gradually descending not in a straight line but in a southeast direction, towards Harkers' Island—but whether dead or alive none could tell.

"To land, to land, and all put to shore as fast as the sails would propel the boats. Before they reached land most of them had jumped overboard and waded ashore. Then began the race for the babe, as she had come down on a sand bank only a few hundred yards distant. With fear and trembling all ran up—Ben Piver in front. "Gentleman," says he, "I will be damned if she ain't live and kicking." There sat little Birdie playing with a lot of shells, and as she was picked up she clung on to a handful, saying, "Dese sels for mamma."

With the prize all returned to the boats. There sat Mr. Voorhees with a death-like palor on his countenance, and when told that he had saved the babe unhurt, his tender heart gave way and he wept like a child.

"All aboard and back to Morehead!" shouts Ben. The boats were rapidly gotten under way, and each wanted to be the first to convey the glad tidings, but they ran in near together, with hats and handkerchiefs flying amidst the shouts and screams of several hundred people. The excitement of landing surpasses description. At the wharf, after everything seemed safe, then little Birdie came the nearest of losing her life. Col. Whillford, a man of generous impulses and one always studying to make some one else happy, seized the little angel in his arms and at a lightning speed, started for its mother, who was then lying in an unconscious state, under the skillful care of Drs. Hayward, Arendall and Kelly, of Louisiana. But before the kind hearted Colonel had gone far, amidst the dense

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crowd and confusion, he ran off the wharf into water over eight feet deep. Several jumped overboard and aided him in landing his prize. The little darling came out as bright as a new pin and seemed to look upon the whole matter as fun gotten up for her amusement.

By 4 o'clock p. m., Mrs. Elliott became conscious. The guests of the house assembled in the ball room at 5 p. m. to return thanks to Mr. Voorhees and the noble boatmen, and to express condolence and sympathy for Mrs. Elliott and little Birdie.

Mr. Hawkins came forward and made a few remarks, but was too much excited to speak, but says he, "had that babe been lost, then I would have been no more—my mind was made up—I would have rested to-night with her in the deep blue sea."

Thus ends a day of the most intense excitement that the oldest person here ever dreamed or thought of, and may the writer never again witness its like, is the sincere prayer of P. T. K.

The Doctor also showed us a letter from Maj. Hawking, viz: Messrs. Smith & Wesson: Gentlemen—Believing you make the best guns is why I send you this order: I want put up the finest gun ever turned out from any house. All gold mountings, exquisite carvings and everything regardless of cost.

The market this morning was bountifully supplied with vegetables, but the supply of beef was rather meagre. A few good beef cattle would find a ready sale at paying prices.

Treasury Department. I have used it, said the Hon. Kenneth Rayner, Solicitor of the U. S. Treasury, referring to Dr. Worthington's Cholera and Diarrhoea Medicine, and found it to be a most capital remedy in bowel affections. Price 25 cents.

For Pocket Knives or Table Cutlery, go to JACOB'S Hardware Depot.

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