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The Daily Review has the largest bona fide circulation, of any newspaper published, in the city of Wilmington.

All but two Judges of the State of Mississippi travel on free passes from the railroads.

Mrs. Elizabeth Van Lew, ex-postmistress of Richmond, Va., has been appointed to a first-class clerkship by Postmaster-General Gresham.

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Watermen on the Niagara river say that Governor Cleveland is the most expert fisherman that has visited the river this season.

It appears that the professional beauties and the duds have run their course in England. The Langtry is out of favor. Oscar Wilde has shorn off his locks. Lady Dudley and Lady Lonsdale hardly attract passing attention, and Miss Chamberlain, the American beauty, has not figured much in public since the Prince of Wales dined with herself and her mamma at Cannes.

The swimming baths of New York are kept open all night. During the present heated term in the city numbers of persons who find it impossible to sleep go down and take a plunge, after which they go back to bed and fall into a refreshing slumber. Oh, that the Neuse were somewhat nearer.—*News and Observer.*

Dews take it, man, you've got the News right at your elbow. Why not take a dip into that and then drop off sweetly to sleep? We guarantee.

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Remember the moonlight excursion on the *Minnehaha* to-night. The management will leave nothing undone to insure a good time. Music for dancing and refreshments at city prices.

The Second Baptist Church will make an excursion on the *Passport* to Smithville and the Forts on Wednesday, the 18th inst. It will be the first that has been given by them this season, and they will do all in their power to make it agreeable, pleasant and successful.

The moonlight excursion to Federal Point to-morrow night promises a pleasant time to the participants, and if the managers can have their say, it will be one of the best of the season. Dancing, fishing, boating, bathing and eating a fish supper will make up the programme.

Mr. F. B. Roberts, formerly of Fayetteville, but for some time engaged in business at Savannah, was on our streets to-day. He arrived this morning and left at 2 o'clock this afternoon on a visit to his relatives and acquaintances at Fayetteville. He is a genuine tar heel and we rejoice to know that he is meeting with success in the home of his adoption. They all do it.

A company meeting of the Wilmington Light Infantry is to be held at the Armory to-night on which occasion we understand that a proposition will be made to invite the Gate City Guards, now at Beaufort, to visit our city before they return home. If this should be done and the invitation is accepted, the Guards may rest assured of being handsomely entertained here, as we believe that every effort would be made on the part of our people as well as by the Light Infantry to make the occasion one of rare enjoyment to them all.

The present condition of the fruit crop was fully discussed, and the prospect for a creditable show. It was the unanimous opinion of all that while the peach crop is not so good as last year, still there was no doubt entertained but that North Carolina could, with her vast resources in the fruit industry, make a display which would be creditable to the State. It was, therefore, decided to hold a fair this year.

Capt. Paddison then put Wilmington in nomination as the place and submitted the following letter from the Mayor of that city:

Many of our citizens are exceedingly anxious that the coming fair of the Fruit Growers' Association should be held in Wilmington, and we beg that you endeavor to get your managers and directors to agree to it for the following reasons: First—because it is the metropolis of the State; second—we desire to see our fellow citizens of the western and central part of our State in our midst, and become better acquainted with them; third, and most important of all—we want our people here to see what can be done in North Carolina in the shape of fruit, and to open up a trade among our own people, and to spend the large amount of money these men do every year among our own people. I could enumerate many other reasons, but leave it for you to do. I have subscribed the amount of money you thought it would need, but I say to you now that you can get double that amount if necessary. If you can, induce our people in that section to come and see us, as I can promise them a good time. Our seaside resorts are in fine condition, and I will take pride in showing them. Say to them our city is perfectly healthy and they need entertain no fears as to risks. We will welcome them heartily.

Very respectfully,  
E. D. HALL, Mayor.

Our aldermen desire me to say that our city hall and other buildings are at their service. The hall probably is as large as any in the South not built for a special purpose.

After the reading of which it was resolved to hold the next fruit fair in the city of Wilmington on Wednesday and Thursday, the 22nd and 23rd of August next, and the president was authorized to make all the necessary arrangements for the same.

A premium list was partially prepared, and it is the intention of the association to make it liberal and complete. It will be laid before the public in a few days, as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made with the railroad and express companies.

For Pocket Knives or Table Cutlery, go to Jacob's Hardware Depot.

The docket for the Mayor's consideration this morning was altogether unimportant.

William Eagles, colored, was charged with disorderly conduct, but the case was continued.

Henry Williams, colored, was arraigned on a charge of larceny, but the case was dismissed for want of evidence.

A coat of whitewash was being put on the trees around the City Hall to-day, and they look the better for it. It seems to us that if all the heads of families in the city would do likewise, and whitewash the fences and outhouses as well as the trees it would add to the appearance, as well as prove an important sanitary measure. The expense would be insignificant, and would be more than counterbalanced by the improvements we have mentioned.

At a meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors of the Wilmington Library Association, held on Saturday afternoon, Dr. Thomas F. Wood, the Vice President of the Association, presided in the absence of the President, Mr. Alex. Sprunt, who is now in Europe.

Mr. M. S. Willard was elected Secretary of the Association and Mr. W. M. Cumming was elected Treasurer.

The election of a Librarian was postponed until the next meeting of the Board, Capt. John L. Wooster having declined, we understand, a re-election.

The following is a correct list of the officers of the Association, with the exception of Librarian:

President—Elex. Sprunt.  
Vice President—Dr. Thomas F. Wood.  
Secretary—M. S. Willard;  
Treasurer—W. M. Cumming.

Directors—Alex. Sprunt, Dr. Thomas F. Wood, Capt. John Cowan, G. H. Smith, M. S. Willard, Ireddell Meares, James F. Post Jr., W. M. Cumming, Capt. W. R. Kenan.

A fine assortment of Guns and Pistols at Jacob's Hardware Depot.

Rev. Dr. James B. Taylor preached his last regular sermon in the First Baptist Church yesterday morning, thus concluding his pastoral labors of the last eight years. Notwithstanding the intense heat of the day and the fact that a great many worshippers were out of town, there was a large congregation in attendance to listen to his farewell words and to bid him good-bye and God speed. The sermon—unlike what was expected by some, emotional and sensational—was plain and practical, with not a word intimating his departure until the close when Dr. Taylor bid them all an affectionate farewell. The services were closed by singing the doxology, the words of which were by the pastor, and the benediction. The following are the words of the doxology, which were sung to the tune of Sessions:

"Sound forth the praises of our God,  
Of Father, Son and Holy Ghost;  
Come, let us tell His love abroad,  
And in His strength make all our boast."

After the congregation was dismissed a large portion of the audience gathered around the altar, eager to grasp once more by the hand their beloved pastor, who had been their faithful friend and teacher; who had been with them in joy and in sorrow; who had baptized and administered the first communion to many of them; who had joined some of them in the holy bonds of matrimony; who had been with many in their hours of pain and sickness and deep distress; who had ministered faithfully and devotedly to the dying, and when death had come had poured the balm of Christian consolation upon bereaved hearts, and who, in all the varied relations of pastor, neighbor and citizen, had lived up to the high and holy calling of his noble profession. The scene was very affecting, and there were some who, as they remembered his fidelity and love in the past, could not restrain the tribute of tears as they thought that this was probably their last meeting on earth.

Dr. Taylor and his family leave to-night for Virginia, where he will remain with them about eight weeks, when he will leave for his contemplated tour of Europe. His family will not accompany him. While traveling, and until he is established in a new home, he will register as from Wilmington, N. C.

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

FEDERAL POINT, IS NOW OPEN FOR THE reception of guests. Meals furnished at all hours. Ladies are especially invited to spend the day at Federal Point. Mrs. Mayo is personally in charge and will be pleased to entertain ladies and children.

Ladies' Satchels, TRUNKS AND TRAVELLING BAGS—all styles. HARNESS AND SADDLERY, in endless variety. Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons, Surrey Wagons, Carts, Drays, &c. Repairing promptly done at low rates.

Excursion. THE SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH WILL give an Excursion to Smithville, the Forts and the Blackfish Grounds, on the Steamer PASSPORT, Wednesday, July 18th. Fare for round trip: Adults, 10 cents; Children under 12 years, 5 cents.

Moonlight Excursion! TO FEDERAL POINT, on Steamer PASSPORT, to-morrow, TUESDAY EVENING. Boat will leave her wharf at 8 o'clock, sharp.

Mouldings, Stair Rail, ORNAMENTAL WOOD WORK, Balusters, Newel Posts, &c.

Flour, Bacon, Lard, &c. 1,000 BBL'S FLOUR—All grades.

Vinegar, Salt, Molasses. 15 BBL'S PURE CIDER VINEGAR.

The 13th Annual Excursion OF Young Catholics' Friend Soc'y

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