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The late Palmer V. Kellogg left a fortune of $1,150,000, five children being his heirs.

James Scott, though 99 years old, has just been naturalized at Camptonville, Cal.

Lot. M. Morrill's memory has just been honored by the erection of a granite shaft at Augusta, Me.

Ex-Governor Hendricks to an Indianapolis interviewer: "I should like to see Cox elected Speaker."

China is preparing for war, and it seems in sober earnest. The Viceroys of the Empire have been called upon to equip and recruit a force of 120,000 men.

A new departure in the Boston public schools was set on foot last week in the order passed by the school committee to fit up a school for instruction of boys in the use of tools.

The amount of Florida's crop of Sea Island cotton last year was 18,054 bales. According to the Jacksonville *Times-Union's* figures the crop this year will hardly reach 13,000 bales.

The Macon *Telegraph and Messenger* favors the election of Samuel J. Randall for Speaker, and therefore the *T. & M.* runs the risk of being read out of the party by some of the latter-day saints.

Miss Chamberlain, the American beauty, is being crowded pretty close over in England by Miss Adelaide Detchon, who is chaperoned by Mrs. Labouchere. Both are from Cleveland.

A Philadelphia tailor says the Knickerbockers will first be used exclusively for full dress, with the regulation swallow-tail coat. The material will be the finest broadcloth and the stockings black silk.

It is not generally known that the Cotton Exposition to be held in New Orleans in December, 1884, is to celebrate the exportation of the first bale of cotton from this country. It was sent to England in 1784.

The North as well as the South is afflicted. The Philadelphia *Press* says: "The Committee on Frauds of the Committee of One Hundred are still in receipt of reports of illegal practices in the recent election."

Colonel Tom Ochiltree, having returned from Mexico, declared that he has discovered at Saltillo "the finest climate in the world." In his opinion all the invalids in the world could not stretch themselves on better beds of roses than those at Saltillo.

The official vote of Pennsylvania at the recent election was: For auditor general, Niles, Republican, 319,106; Taggart, Democrat, 302,031; Fordham, Prohibitionist, 6,602; Ryndcr, Greenback, 4,452; Treasurer, Livsey, Republican, 321,050; Powell, Democrat, 300,999; Howard, Prohibitionist, 6,687; March, Greenback, 4,431.

The Baltimore *Sun* has this to say: "To the most careless readers it is evident that while nominally intended for Virginia, Senator Mahone's address to the Readjuster party is directed to a wider audience, and is meant to serve as a campaign document in the Fall of 1884. The formal transfer of his allegiance to the Republican party is accompanied with what may be regarded as a threat against his former Democratic friends."

The next issue of *Swinton's Story-Teller*, is to contain features that will make it specially attractive as a Thanksgiving number. It is to present a fullpage frontispiece by Alfred Frederics, illustrative of Hawthorne's beautiful tale of "John Inglefield's Thanksgiving"; a characteristic original story by Harriet Prescott Spofford, entitled "Something to be Thankful for"; and an original tale by Ella Wheeler, called "John Smith; or, Two Thanksgivings."

The President has been informed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue that his first estimate of the receipts for that Department was too small. Instead of $120,000,000, Mr. Evans estimates that the receipts this fiscal year will not be less than $130,000,000 These figures, with those giving the customs receipts, indicate that the reduction of revenue that the revised tariff and internal revenue bill of last winter was designed to make will be very much less than was expected. It looks very much as though the surplus would not be less than $130,000,000 for this year, or just about the amount that the Internal Revenue Department will turn over to the Treasury.

The nearest collateral descendants of Washington are said to be two cousins, who keep up the old family place in Eastern Virginia. Miss Margaret Washington is a great-grandniece of *pater patriæ*, and is a vigorous old lady of 70. These two have more of the Washington blood in these veins than any other persons living.

In his official report for last year Mr. Howard Vincent, the director of Criminal Investigations, declares that the metropolis of London, with a territory of nearly 700 square miles, covered by more than 700,000 houses and inhabited by nearly 2,000,000 persons, is the safest capital for life and property in the world.

LOCAL NEWS.

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No business for the City Court this morning.

Eggs still continue at 25 cents per dozen at retail.

Business was quite brief on the wharf this morning,

The receipts of cotton at this port to day foot up 980 bales.

The markets were well supplied with good meats this morning.

Clarendon Council, No. 67, A. L. of Honor, will meet to-night, at 8 o'clock

Messrs. Munds Bros. & DeRosset have a magnificent display of holiday and Christmas goods in their show cases.

British barque *Hattie H.*, Capt. Dill, cleared to-day for Liverpool with 1,653 bales cotton, valued at $76,621, shipped by Messrs. D. R. Murchison & Co.

There are a good many vessels in port and the fleet is daily augmented by fresh arrivals. This will afford an opportunity for the shipment of some of the immense stock of rosin now on the yards.

When are we to have rain? is the question in the mouth of almost every one. We are not able to answer the question, but we know it is much needed as the streets are miserably dry and dirty and some of the cisterns are dry.

On Saturday, November 14th, 1729, we are told that there were only about 10,000 inhabitants in North Carolina. That was just 154 years ago and at that time Wilmington was not, as the town was not laid out until four years later, in 1733.

We had the pleasure of a visit yesterday from Mr. Frank L. Yerance, Business Manager of the Charlotte Thompson Troupe, which will appear at the Opera House in this city on Tuesday night, the 27th inst., in the comedy drama of Jane Eyre.

"In Paradise."

Mr. John T. Raymond is an excellent comedian; he had a first rate play last night, and was supported by a good company. There was not a poor actor among them. "In Paradise" is a laughable production, full of grotesque situations, and replete with mirth-provoking dialogue, which kept the audience last night in continuous roars of laughter. Mr. Raymond is the central figure in the plot, and his acting was inimitable. Miss Lizzie Creese, as *Miss Priscilla Flagg*, was superb, and by far the best female elocutionist we have ever heard on a Southern stage. While all the other characters were well portrayed, she, although personating a difficult role, did exceptionally well, showing that she had the advantage of experience, careful study and patient training in her profession. Mr. Raymond always travels with a good company and he may be always sure of a good house in Wilmington.

THE ELECTINS.

Skinner Elected by 1,000 Majority—A Regular Waterloo for Mr. Pool and His Backers.

The Democratic victory in the First Disctrict was a glorious one. Capt. Skinner has been elected by a majority which may reach or exceed a thousand, nearly all of which is a net Democratic gain over the vote which was cast there last year for Bennett, Congressman-at-large. The Democrats are jubilant, as they have a perfect right to be under the circumstances.

The counties composing this district are Camden, Pitt, Beaufort, Pamlico, Carteret, Caintuck, Gates, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Chowan, Martin, Washington, Hertford, Hyde, Tyrrell and Dare. Of these, the first seven we have named give Skinner 2,372 majority and the next six give Pool 1,581 majority, a net majority for Skinner in these counties of 791. Hyde, Tyrrell and Dare are yet to hear from, and of these Hyde gave Bennett 124 majority and Tyrrell gave him 107, while Dare gave Dockery 38 majority. So that, if there has been anything like a proportionate increase for the Democratic ticket in these three counties, then Skinner's majority will reach the one thousand claimed for him and may, indeed, go to twelve hundred. For an off year this is doing pretty well.

The following is the vote by counties so far as heard from at this time:

Majorities for Skinner—Camden, 108; Pitt, 650; Beaufort, 150; Pamlico, 62; Carteret, 600; Currituck, 300; Gates 502.

Majorities for Pool — Pasquotank, 568; Perquimans, 94; Chowan, 166; Martin, 125; Washington, 378; Hertford, 250.

The counties not yet heard from gave the following majorities in 1882: For Bennett—Hyde, 124; Tyrrell, 107; for Dockery—Dare, 28.

Sudden Death.

Mr. James Keegan, who has kept a grocery store on the corner of Seventh and Castle streets, was found dead in his bed this morning. He had complained for some weeks of pains in the heart and head and had been very desponding at times, going so far as to threaten to destroy himself. On account of these threats and the fact that his mind had been somewhat impaired for several months, his family and friends had watched his conduct, fearing that he might put his threats into execution. There was nothing unusual about his conduct or appearance last night to indicate such a speedy death. A physician was summoned who gave congestion of the brain produced by an overdose of laudaum as the cause of death, but in consequence of a variety of rumors, a Coroner's inquest was held at 4 o'clock this afternoon, but had not concluded its labors and rendered its verdict when our report closed.

The deceased was between 40 and 45 years of age; was an Irishman by birth and came to Wilmington about 6 years ago on the Revenue Cutter *Colfax*. He had been married about 2 years and leaves a widow and one child.

Ladies' Benevolent Society.

We were unable yesterday to give any report of the meeting of the above-named Society, further than to name the officers who were all re-elected. We have not detailed reports of the several officers, but have been very kindly furnished with an abstract of both proceedings and reports which will be of interest to many of our readers. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, who afterwards made an appropriate address which, although the number in attendance was not so large as usual, was much enjoyed by those present.

The first Tuesday in December is the time appointed for the allotment of visitors to their several wards. Numerous donations, which have been added during the year to the amount subscribed, have enabled the managers to purchase provisions, blankets, flannel and other clothing to the amount of nearly $200.. Quite a considerable supply of wood was also given, through the Society, to the many needy persons in our midst.

The Society have requested Rev. Mr. Peschau to repeat, for its benefit, his lecture entitled, "The Cemetery of the Sea," and he has kindly consented; the time and place to be made known hereafter.

A Dry Ticket.

There have been plenty of prophecies of rain this month, but thus far they have all resulted in failure. Last night there was a heavy cloud in the Northwest, but it evidently came from a "dry" town, as not a drop of water fell. They have have had rain in the interior of the State, as we see by the papers, but we have had none here. In the meantime, however, the farmer who has any cotton left in the fields is happy.

Jane Eyre.

Miss Charlotte Thompson will appear here next Tuesday in the New Jane Eyre. She is said to be supported by an excellent company. The New York *Sunday News* says:

Miss Thompson alternately drew tears and caused laughter, and never acted with more beauty, spirit or force than last evening. The piece was very nicely put on the stage, and acted throughout in a splendid manner. Mr George Learock's *Rochester* was a truly artistic piece of work, and highly appreciated. Mr. W. Yerance played *Achille De Leon* with a naturalness and unintentional humor that was very amusing, and created continuous laughter. It was a decided hit. The success of the new "Jane Eyre" is most marked, and it will, no doubt, have a brillant run.

Reserved seats opens at Dyer's Saturday morning, Nov. 24th, 8 a. m.

The street brigade are ballasting the streets as fast as can be reasonably expected, and we are glad to see the work go on. Chestnut street will soon be ballasted as far East as Sixth street, and we hope before many months to see some of the streets running parrallel with the river improved in the same manner. Fifth and Sixth streets would be much benefited by being well ballasted, and the number of good drives in the city would be increased thereby. Seventh street, which is destined to be one of our most popular thoroughfares, and is rapidly coming into notice as a favorite resort for pleasure carriages, has been sawdusted its entire length, and it needs only good ballast to make it one of the most pleasant thoroughfares in the city. It is level, wide, and free from the noise which prevails nearer the river and centres of trade, and being located upon the higher portions of the city, gives opportunities for breathing the pure and exhilerating atmosphere.

Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING QUALIfied as Administrator on the estate of George Uhl, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and to all who hold claims against the said estate to present them for payment on or before the 19th day of October, 1884, otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. JNO. G. WAGNER,
Adm'r Estate of George Uhl, deceased
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