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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 published to the Editor.

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

Personalities must be avoided.

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.

Hon. A. M. Keiley will leave Richmond for Rome about the 2nd of May.

The Empress Eugenie has written a book upon the various recollections of her life, which will be issued almost immediately.

Smokers, Dr. Bigelow, the eminent New England surgeon is quoted as saying, have nothing to fear from cancer as a result of the use of tobacco.

The annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Potomac, of which Gen. U. S. Grant is the President, will take place at Baltimore on the 6th and 7th of May.

Hop vines, usually a waste product in this county, are said to have proved not only good stock for fine paper, but the best substitute yet obtained for rags in French paper mills.

Moncure D. Conway, who is to return to this country and take up his residence in Washington, was forced to quit that city in 1847 on account of his radical political sermons.

Queen Victoria has a mania for collecting relics of engagements in war. Among others she has, mounted in crystal and silver, the musket ball that ended the career of Nelson.

Alderman Nottage, Lord Mayor of London, was the founder of the London Stereoscopic and Photographic Company, probably the largest concern of the kind in the world.

A well informed Missouri Democratic politician has informed the Alexandria *Gazette's* Washington correspondent that he need not be surprised if Gen. Fitz Lee were offered the Marshalship of the District of Columbia.

Moody, the revivalist, was asked in the recent Convention in Milwaukee whether he had grace enough to die at the stake. He replied: "No, I don't need it; all I want is grace enough to hold this Convention for three days in Milwaukee."

Miss Murfree, novelist, as seen with masculine eyes through a pair of glasses at the Cable readings in Boston: "She was looking very fair and winning in some floating draperies of black lace and silk, with a great golden shaft of daffodils carelessly held by a pin."

The Rev. Aaron Cleveland, great granfather of President Cleveland, was an Episcopalian clergyman, and died in Philadelphia while on a visit to Benjamin Franklin. His remains were interred in the churchyard of old Christ Church. The records show this fact.

Fire-trap hotels are discussed in the *American Architect*, which suggests that "it might not be a wholly bad plan to authorize building inspectors to advertise such places in the daily papers continuously as notoriously unsafe. Almost anything would be better than the cruel destruction of life and property that goes on year after year almost unchecked."

The losses of the Democrats in Ohio are more than counterbalanced by their victory in Michigan, where they elect the Judge of the Supreme Court and regents of the University, who were the State officers voted for. The result in Cincinnati is generally interpreted to be a defeat for McLean and a dissipation of his hopes of succeeding Sherman in the Senate.

On the 2d of May a Hungarian industrial exhibition will be opened in Pesth, and the site chosen for it is the Stadtwald, one of the finest parks in Europe which resembles the Bois de Boulogne at Paris, with its lakes and its avenues of trees. There is a central building forming a square of 14,000 square yards, situated on a lawn, and surrounded by fine old trees. Among the trees of the park there are ninety-eight smaller buildings devoted to special exhibitions.

Gen. Robert Edmund Lee was born in Virginia in 1806 and died the 12th of October, 1870, aged 63 years, 8 months and 23 days. Gen. Ulysses Simpson Grant was born in 1822, and will be 63 years old if he lives to see the 27th of April, 1885. If he should live beyond that date he and his great opponent in the war will both have been in their 64th year, Gen. Lee being a few months older at his death.

A special to the *Herald* says that the Germans are in full sympathy with England in the threatened war with Russia.

Modjeska has a son now completing his studies as a civil engineer. He is devoted to his profession, and Modjeska is apparently both proud and fond of her big boy, who is, she says, 24 years old.

A queer old man, who formealy lived near Dwight, Dakota, and who was looked upon as a crank, has received a large sum of money from Krupp, the German gun manufacturer, for a valuable discovery in projectiles.

A perfect crop of Bismarck literature, which will be most embarrassing to the future Carlyle who writes the Iron Chancellor's history, has sprung up anent the celebration of his golden wedding with the State's service. Most of the occasional poetry seems—very occasional. But among the historical sketches, "Prince Bismarck from 1815 to 1885," by Herr Wohlegemuth, and "Germany's Imperial Chancellor from 1815 to 1885," appear to command attention.

Kate Smusley, the fasting girl, died at Fort Plains, N.J, on the 9th inst. A *Herald* special says:

Kate Smusley died to-day. She had been lying in a comatose condition for several days, otherwise there was no change from her general condition. Death had been expected at any time, but she gave no indications of it until the last moment. She had kept up her courage from mere will power, in the hope of recovery. There is no doubt that from the 11th day of March, 1884, till the day before Thanksgiving last she did not eat anything Upon that day she experienced a peculiar sensation, like the breaking away of something in her stomach, and since then she had been able to take a little nourishment in the shape of wine whey. She was very much emaciated and weighed scarcely twenty five pounds. The family are German Lutherans. She was born here October 24, 1864.

It will be remembered from accounts already given that she had been ailing from a weakness since October, 1882, and that her disease had baffled all physicians who visited her. She was at first attended by Dr. Cynder, and upon his death by Dr. Ayers and Dr. Zoller and other noted physicians from abroad, who all expressed themselves as having never seen any case like it. Local doctors will hold an autopsy tomorrow.

England has not yet declared war against Russia but has sent in her ultimatum. The Czar must apologize or fight. Some of the *Herald* special says:

LONDON, April 10.—3 a. m.

New York on the evening of the firing on Sumter was little less excited than London has been up to well past midnight The *Daily News*, which is practically a government organ, has an article, in the course of which it says:—"War can only be avoided by a prompt disavowal on the part of Russia of the act of her commanders. But, until the hope of an honorable peace is made impossible, we shall continue to encourage it."

The *Standard* (tory) discountenances "waiving an explanation of the occurrence, whose significance is patent. We say without hesitation that it is the duty of the government to declare war against Russia and give her Ambassador his passports unless within twenty-four hours a most ample apology has been tendered

The *Morning Post* (tory) takes a view like that of the *Standard* and *Times*. It calls Mr. Gladstone's statements yesterday 'statesmanlike." and says: "Unless Russia instantly withdraws all troops from the debatable ground war is inevitable."

The *Telegraph* says: "Unless Russia disavows and disgraces her commander and recalls her troops to Sarakhs we must fight by land or sea to obtain an end to the ever impending Russian menace to Indian tranquility."

The *Chronicle* (liberal) says: "Negotiation, until Russia is pushed back, is the veriest burlesque diplomacy."

LOCAL NEWS.

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Day's length 13 hours and 4 minutes.

There was no City Court this morning.

Sunset to-morrow afternoon at 32 past 6 o'clock.

There were no tramps at the guard house last night.

There were no interments in Bellevue Cemetery this week.

There were two interments in Oakdale Cemetery this week, both adults.

Only 3 bales of cotton received at this port to-day.

The Register of Deeds issued two marriage licenses this week, both for colored couples.

There were three interments in Pine Forest Cemetery this week—one adult and two children.

Rev. Dr. Pritchard will preach at the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Just drop in and see the imported suitings offered by Dyer for $25 Lower than any other house. †

There is an unmailable letter remaining in the postoffice here addressed to T. King, Narrow Gap, N. C.

On and after Monday, April 13th, Robert Portner's celebrated Bock Beer will be on sale in this city at all first class saloons. See adv. in another column.

Ger. brig *Oberon*, Westphal, cleared to day for Rostock, Ger., with 2 436 barrels of rosin, valued at $2 535, shipped by Messrs. Paterson, Downing & Co.

Rev. H. W. Battle, who has been assisting Rev. Dr. Pritchard during the week in the series of meetings now in progress at the First Baptist Church, will preach in that church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock and again at 8 o'clck.

Indications

For the South Atlantic States, generally fair and slightly warmer weather, winds shifting to Westerly in Northern portion, light, variable winds, generally from the South and West in the Soutnern portion.

W. O. & E. C. R. R.

A meeting of the corporators of the Wilmington, Onslow & East Carolina Railroad will be held in this city on Tuesday, the 21st inst., for the purpose of organization and opening the books for sub cription to the stock. It is important that all the corporators shall be present, as the meeting will be of interest to all those who desire to see the enterprise made a success.

A Raid Frustrated

Some colored man last night broke one of the front windows of Mr. A. Lessman's bakery, on Second street, between Market and Dock, with the evident intention of stealing some bread. Officer Allen happened to be near by on duty, and heard the caash of the glass. He hastened at once to the place, when the colored man ran, and as the latter was more fleet-footed than the policeman, he succeeded in making his escape. He got nothing from the store, as all the articles were out of his reach. This is the second time within a few months that this store has been raided.

This Morning's Fire.

At about half past 2 o'clock this morning the two story frame dwelling and store on the Northeast corner of Red Cross and Sixth streets was discovered to be fire. The building is owned by Mrs. Frances Brown, who occupied the second floor, and the store was occupied by Mr. T. C. Fitzgerald, as a grocery. The alarm was given and the firemen, who had just returned from the fire on the North side of the railroad, were soon in attendance, making the fourth time they had been called upon to battle with the flames within 24 hours. The fire originated in the bar room on the first floor and through the efforts of the firemen was kept confined to the inside of the building. Mr. Fitzgerald's stock of goods was nearly ruined by the combined effects of fire and water, and Mrs. Brown's forniture was badly damaged by the immense volumes of water poured upon it. Mrs. Brown had insurance on the building to the amount of $2,000, of which $1,000 was in the North British and Mercantile and $1,000 in the Queen Insurance Company, of London, both companies represented in this city by Messrs. Atkinson & Manning. She had insurance upon her furniture to the amount of $1,000. in the Commercial Union Insurance Co., of England, represented here by the same firm. Mr. Fitzgerald had insurance on stock and fixtures to the amount of $1,000, in the Phœnix, of London, represented in this city by Messrs. J. W. Gordon & Smith.

The Boy Clipper Plow has earned a reputation of being the best ever used and are pronounced perfect by the best farmers. Sold wholesale and retail at the factory agency, JACOBI'S Hardware Depot. †

Cotton.

The receipts of cotton at this port for the 11 days ending with to-day foot up 119 bales, as against 930 bales for corresponding period of last year, a decrease of 811 bales. The receipts of the crop year to date foot up 93,373 bales as against 91 214 bales to same date last year, an increase this year of 2.159 bales.

Services for the Military.

The Wilmington Light Infantry will attend divine service, in full uniform, at St. John's Church on Sunday the 19th inst, at 4 o'clock p. m., at which time the rector, Rev. Dr. Carmichael, will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. A rumor has prevailed to some extent that this service before the military would be held to-morrow afternoon, but we are authorized to say that it will be held on the day above indicated.

Last Night's Fire.

About 11 o'clock last night the alarm of fire was again sounded, making the third during the 24 hours. In response to the alarm, which was from the first fire district, the firemen turned out promptly. The fire was in a small frame dwelling on Love's Alley, near Harnett street, and it was totally destroyed. The building was occupied by a colored man, but he was absent at the time. Loss about $200. It was evidently the work of an incendiary. The flames ignited the roof of George L. Mabson's house, which stands on the adjoining lot, and caused slight damage, but they were speedily extinguished. There was insurance on the building to the amount $150 in the Virginia Home Insurance Co., represented in this city by Messrs J. W. Gordon & Smith.

Store Breaking.

Last night, at about 10:15 o'clock, Mr. J. W. Duls, who does business on South Front street, near the New Market, and who sleeps there, was returning from a visit which he had paid and when near his store, which had been closed early in the night, he saw a man standing in the alley way North of the Market and there was something in his manner and appearance which looked suspicious. Thereupon Mr. Duls open the gate of the yard to go to the rear door and as he did so a man sprang out of the darkness near the store and escaped through a hole in the fence. Seeing something at the back door, Mr. Duls approached cautiously, thinking that it was the third member of the gang, but on putting out his hand found that it was a truck which the rascal had been using in the endeavor to force the door from its hinges. Mr. Duls did not recognize the parties, but he says that they were all colored.

The attention of owners of cows, hogs and goats is called to the advertisement of Mayor Hall, in this issue, relative to their running at large in the streets of the city. The Mayor has no discretion in the matter and is compelled to enfore the ordinance.

Now is the season for painting your houses. Go to JACOBI'S Hardware Depot and buy your paints, if you want to save money. †

DIED.

SHEEHAN—In this city, on Friday night, at 12 p. m., of pneumonia, MRS. ANNE, wife of John Sheehan, in the 54th year of her age.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, (Sunday) at 3.45 p. m., from her late residence, corner of Eleventh and Market streets, to St. Thomas' Church, thence to St. Thomas' Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend

Requiescat in pace.