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There was no City Court this morning.

The receipts of cotton at this port to-day foot up 3 bales.

One white tramp was accommodated with lodgings at the guard house last night.

The new moon completes its first quarter at 6 minutes past 6 o'clock this evening.

Last night was one of the loveliest of the year, and many availed themselves of its calm beauty to promenade our streets.

Spring goods at Dyer's. Gentlemen buy from a complete stock of men's fine furnishings.

Wizard Oil cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and all aches and pains. There is no cure it will not heal, no pain it will not subdue.

The woods now are full of beauty. Fragrant blossoms perfume the air, and the songs of birds may be heard from every tree and bush.

People begin to talk about going to the Sound and of getting up picnic excursions. This weather is extremely favorable for such pleasures.

The almanac said it would be fair to-day if the wind was from the Northwest, but it has been fair with the wind from the East and South.

Nor. barque *Zacharias*, Enderlsen, cleared to-day for Hull, Eng., with 2,400 barrels rosin and 1,000 barrels tar, valued at \$4,300, shipped by Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son.

We were in error in stating in a recent issue that Dr. W. P. Kennedy was a graduate of the University of Baltimore Medical College. He was graduated at the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

We know you like to have a good fitting shirt! And it costs only one dollar to have it made at the Wilmington Shirt Factory, No. 27 Market street, J. ELSBACH, Prop.

Mr. E. Scharff has leased the premises No. 120 Market street, near his office, recently occupied by Mr. M. Greenwald, and will open there in a few days with a handsome stock of ready made ladies' and children's clothing.

Indications.
For the South Atlantic States, East to South winds, lower barometer, slightly warmer in Northern and Central portion and nearly stationary temperature in the Southern portion.

More Stealing.
A thief last night broke into the premises of Mr. James Quinn on Eighth street, between Dock and Orange, and stole three chickens therefrom. He then went into the adjoining yard of Mr. Amos Perry and stole a hoe and a wash basin. It was not a big haul, but it was annoying.

Wizard Oil cured Dyspepsia! Do not continue to suffer when one dollar, invested in Wizard Oil, will provide you with a certain remedy.

Death of Mr. L. P. Bell.
We regret to learn of the death of Mr. L. P. Bell, which occurred at his residence near Long Creek, on last Saturday night. He died of pneumonia, after an illness of about three weeks. His remains were interred on Sunday afternoon in the family burying ground, near the residence, and the funeral services were attended by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

The Firemen.
Hook & Ladder Company, No. 1, are now negotiating for a pair of horses for their truck and have made some important changes in their truck house for the accommodation of the animals when they shall have arrived. Two stalls were built, one on each side of the truck, so that when the alarm of fire is given the horses may take their places without delay or confusion. The drop harness will be used when the horses arrive and every other improvement adopted which will save time and labor.

All in need of a Canary or Mocking Bird Cage, will do well to call at JACOBI'S Hardware Depot, and examine his large and fine stock.

Suicide Last Night.

Mr. Archie McCollum, a young man well-known here, and a life-long resident of Wilmington, committed suicide by taking laudanum last night, from the effects of which he died about 10 o'clock this morning.

The unfortunate man, who was only 39 years of age, had resided with his brother-in-law, the well known contractor, Mr. Joseph H. Hanby, on Sixth street, between Dock and Orange, for some years past, and was in his employ at the time of his death. He slept in a room directly over that occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hanby, and retired early to bed. Mr. Hanby was kept busy over his books and papers until a late hour and it was after 9 o'clock before he retired. Some little time after he laid down he heard a noise in Mr. McCollum's room, as though he was moving about, but paid no attention to it. Some time after that, about half-past 2 o'clock, Mrs. Hanby awoke and heard her brother breathing very heavily in his room and alarmed thereat she sprang from the bed and rushed up stairs. There she found him lying on the bed in a stupor and with the odor of laudanum plainly to be perceived in the room. She at once alarmed her husband who rushed to her side, and who saw at once that the unfortunate man had taken the disposal of his life into his own hands. Messages were immediately dispatched for assistance and Mr. Jno. W. Reilly, Superintendent of the Wilmington Gas Light Company, who lives opposite, was the first to arrive. With his assistance everything possible was done to revive Mr. McCollum. Hot coffee was at once prepared and the attempt was made to get it into his stomach but only a few spoonfuls found their way down his throat. Messages were then dispatched for medical assistance, and Mr. Reilly went off himself on this mission. By 4 o'clock he returned with Dr. Ellis, and shortly after Dr. Potter arrived on the scene. In the meantime everything possible was done to revive Mr. McCollum, all of the expedients known to the family having been resorted to. When the physicians arrived they brought a stomach pump and this was applied and the drug was removed, although the relief hoped for was not obtained, as the laudanum had by that time penetrated the entire system. An electric battery was then applied and every expedient known to medical science was resorted to, but without avail. Father Moore was sent for and arrived about 6 o'clock, and obtained the only gleam of consciousness which was manifested. This was not much, but it was sufficient to justify the priest in administering to the dying man the last rights of the Church, and at about 10 o'clock this morning the spirit of the unfortunate man took its flight.

There is no motive known to anyone for the rash act, and if it is other than was conveyed by a note left by the deceased it must forever remain a sealed mystery. This note was found on a table near the bedside, and it was written on the back of an envelope. It was not addressed to any one in particular. In it he merely said that he was tired of life and that he was going to leave the world. He said also that he was a member of St. Bridget's Church, in Memphis, Tenn., and a member of a benevolent order attached to that church and that he wished to be buried here by Father Moore, with the rites of the church. This will be accorded him. Beyond the assertion contained in this note, which was written in a firm hand, carefully and deliberately, there is no motive known for the deed. Mr. McCollum's relations in Mr. Hanby's house were very pleasant with all. He had always been treated with great kindness and consideration. Nor was there necessarily any dependence as to business matters. He was employed by Mr. Hanby at fair wages and knew that he could always get work with him. There was nothing unusual in his manner yesterday or last night to excite alarm or uneasiness. He ate a hearty supper and sat for a while talking pleasantly and as usual with the family and did not leave the house until after tea. In his room were found three empty laudanum vials, the last near the bed with the cork near it, and with a few drops of the drug remaining in the vial. The label on the vials was that of Northern wholesale dealers and it is probable that it was all purchased from some grocery on the hill, as the city druggists invariably place their labels on all they sell.

Mr. McCollum was unfortunate in his domestic relations and it is possible that this may have had some influence

Base Ball.

The first games of base ball of the season will be played on the 5th and 6th days of May next at the Seaside Grounds, which have been put in the best possible condition for the occasion. The games will be contests between the Seaside of this city, and the Raleigh of Raleigh. Two professionals—a pitcher and catcher—have been engaged by the Seaside, who are expected here by Thursday next. They are from Baltimore, and the name of the pitcher is Mr. H. Kurtz, and the catcher is Mr. C. F. Koockogey.

A Great Improvement.

The property recently occupied by Messrs. Giles & Murchison, on Front street, will be very much enlarged and improved and converted into a first class boarding house on a large scale. Col. K. M. Murchison, who owns the property, also owns the property next North of it and contemplates extending the building so as to occupy that lot. He will also have two stories added to the rear extension of the building so that it will be of the same height as the front. The plans are all arranged and there will be forty rooms in the building when completed and the arrangements will be such that a much larger number may be added should it be determined to convert the edifice at some future day into a hotel.

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The name of the writer must always be placed to the Editor.
Communications must be written 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 or when in the editorial columns.

DIED.

MCCOLLUM—In this city, on April 21st, 1885, ARCHIE MCCOLLUM, aged 39 years. The funeral will take place on Wednesday, April 23rd, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of Mrs. H. Hanby, and will proceed to St. Thomas Church, from thence to Oakdale Cemetery. J. T. JAMES, star copy

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ONE NIGHT ONLY! Thursday, April 23. Third annual tour of the Laughing Cyclone.

Two Johns Comedy Co., Under the management of James Donaldson Jr., in J. C. Stewart's funniest of funny comedies entitled the "TWO JOHNS."

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OFFICE OF SECRETARY & TREASURER,

CAROLINA CENTRAL R. R. CO. WILMINGTON, N. C., April 10th, 1885.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF

the Stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company, will be held at the Company's Office in the City of Wilmington, on THURSDAY, MAY 7th, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

JNO. H. SHARP, Secretary. April 10th

Notice To Rail Road Contractors.

THE WILMINGTON & WELDON RAIL ROAD COMPANY invite proposals for the Graduation, Masonry and Tracts upon that part of the New Road between Condemnation Bridge, near W. H. and Fayetteville, seventy miles in length. Proposals, plans, &c., are ready for exhibition at the Rail Road Office of the W. & W. R. R., at Wilmington, N. C. Proposals must be filed before the 25th day of April. The contracts will be awarded upon the 30th of April. Contractors must submit with their proposals evidence of their ability to perform their proposed contracts. Monthly payments will be promptly made. Contractors wanting information and making proposals will address Fleming Gardner, Chief Engineer, at Wilmington, care of W. & W. R. R. Co. Proposals may be for the work by sections of ten miles, or for one half or the whole of the work. R. R. BRIDGES, President. April 21st

BASKETS!

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