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bona fide circulation, of any newspaper ublished, in the city of Wilmington.

The druggist of Lawrence, Kan,, sold 100 galons of intoxicating liquors during the month of March. for medical purposes. This is the way pro hibition prohibits.

Despite the distance to Teheran, the low wages of the American consul- and Bayless W. Hanna, of Indiana, has decided to go over and succeed Mr. Benjamin as our representative at the capital of the Shah.

We see it stated that a lawyer in Iowa has applied for a new trial for his convicted client on the ground that the proceedings in the jury room were opened with prayer by one of the jurors, which may have produced an undue and improper influence upon the other eleven. Next!

Gen. Henry R. Jackson is booked by the Republicans as a test case next winter. They say that "in his case not even a pardon from Andrew Johnson can be produced to furnish the basis for an opinion from the Attorney General in favor of Mr. Jackson's eligibility," But the General does not "scare worth a cent."

It is stated that Egypt now offers to compromise the dispute with France concerning the seizure and suppression of the Bosphore Egyptien by making an apology and by admitting that her officials violated the rights of domicile of the publishers, the apology, however, to contain "no allusion to the seizure of the Bosphore Egyptien."



The Daily Review has the largest when they discover a luxurious growth of water cress they lie low for their prey, as that is sure to prove a terrapin feeding ground.

The most curious book in the world is one that is neither written nor printed. Every letter of the text is cut into the leaf, and. as the alternate leaves are of blue paper, it is as easily read as the best print. The labor required and the cumbersomeness of his family, the patience necessary to cut each letter may be imagined. The work is so perfect that it seems as though done by machinery, but every character was made by hand. The book is entitled. "The Passion of Christ." It is a very old volume, and was a curiosity as long ago as the year 1640. At this time it belongs to the family of the Prince de Ligne, and is kept in a museum in

LOCAL NEWS.

France.

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Full moon to-morrow morning at o'clock.

Only 4 bales of cotton received at this port to-day.

And all it costs is fifty cents at Dyer's for a Straw Hat beautiful and nobby.

One white tramp was accommodated

May Day. We learn that there will be a May Day party gotten up for the pleasure of Carolina Yacht Club will be held on the children connected with the Sunday the 4th day of May next. The officers School of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. of the club, to serve for the ensuing It will be held in the parsonage yard, year, will be elected on that occasion. but we have as yet been unable to learn Aside from the election of officers there whether it will have any distinctive will be a general outlining of the work feature, such as the crowning of a May Queen, or not. It will undoubtedly be a pleasant occasion and one in which

the children will take much delight.

City Court.

Chauncey M. Best, colored, was brought before the Mayor this morning, charged with disorderly coaduct. The charge was clearly proven and he was required to pay a fine of \$5 or go below for 20 days.

Four persons charged with failure to pay license tax were placed in the custody of the Chief of Police until their indebtcdness is settled.

The case of one persou charged with failure to pay a license tax was diswissed.

Military Pic-nic.

A note from Capt. D. J. Aulds, Com manding the Sumter Light Infantry, to the Editor of this paper, states that his company will have a basket pic-nic at Lake Waccamaw on next Tuesday, May 5th, and Capt Aulds extends a cordial invitation to the members of the Wilmington Light Infantry, and their by and bought from some of the most friends, to join them there on that day noted boat builders and participate in the festivities of the North. After the election

The regular annual meeting of the

The Carolina Yacht Club.

of the club for the season. It is an important fact, not generally known, but nevertheless true, that, with the exception of the New York Yacht Club, the Carolina Yacht Club s the oldest organization of its kind in the United States, it having been organized in 1854, or 31 years ago. It

now has a membership of 160 and a fleet of 24 yachts, with 2 others soon to be added. These yachts are from 131 leet in length to 20 feet in length. It is a wise policy of the club that none of the yachts shall exceed 20 feet in length, in order that its members may own and sail their own boats. The two new yachts which will be added to the fleet in May next will be owned by Mr.

Pembroke Jones and Mr. John W. Atkinson, Jr. The boat of the former will be 19 feet and 9 inches in length while that of the latter will be 15 feet

and 6 inches in length. Some of the yachts of the fleet have records for speed equal to any boats of their size in the United States, and in fact several of them were constructed of the

of officers the governing board and



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THIS CLEAR AND WARM WEATHER has brought the Ladies out in full force. and have commerced

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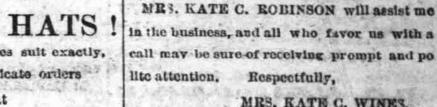
It is worth while looking at. Just arrived a full line of Sunshades and Par asols, which are now ready for sale. All over Laces, Laces, Ribbons in every width

and color, Gilt and Silver, Lace and Braid, for Hat and Dress Trimming, at

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from our friends on any and all faubjects,

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And it is especially and particularly und

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the views of correspondents unless as state

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For the Ladies.

T AM STILL RECEIVING NEW GOODS

and hope to be able to please all who may give

I expect a choice lot of goods next week,

and will be pleased to show them.

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VES, BUT WE ARE OFFERING GOODS at prices to suit the times. Call and see our Farmer, Golden Harvest, Columbia and South-

ern Oak Cooking Stoves. Lamps, Lamp Chimneys and Burners at bottom prices. Tin

Brooklyn is to have female clerks in its municipal offices, a decided innovation on the practice in most cities. In recommending it, Corporation Counsel Taylor says "that no great hardship list a lew of the class of temales from whose money, collected through the taxoffice, we are constantly paying the salaries of males."

The Richmond detective who is working up the case against Cluverius; charged with the murder of Miss Madison, is confident that he has secured a chain of circumstantial evidence strong enough to secure the conviction of the prisoner. He says that the evidence will show that if Miss Madison had lived Cluverius' moral character would have been ruined, his standing in the community destroyed and his death would have followed. Under the cir cumstances there were strong induce ments to put Miss Madison out 'of the

Mr. Vilas is 3,500 vacancies behind hand in filling the small postoffices and needs the aid of a first assistant who is able to work. Mr. Hay ought to resign for the present, as there is little prospect of his immediate recovthe bare work of signing 1,500 warrants days. by the Postmaster General or one of his three assistants is no small chore. Mr. Vilas is requiring the male clerks to work three hours extra at present, making ten hours a day.

way,

A New York correspondent says: "The number of society people going to Europe this year will be unprecedentedly large. Inasmuch as the cholera is expected here as well as on the other side, there are no fears of epidemic to keep them at home, and, under the circumstances, they prefer the excitement of foreign travel as a distraction to the mind. That is the way in which the likely also to be very largely increased all samee Melican man. this year, and preparations are making accordingly."

with lodgings at the guard house last night.

The quarantine regulations of this port will go into effect May 1st and will continue until November 1st.

We hear it rumored that the concert of last night will be repeated, but nothing has yet been definitely determined in the matter.

We were visited by fine and seasoncan arise from placing on the salary able showers a little after noon to-day and they continued at intervals during the rest of the day.

> Several parties of pleasure seekers turned their faces Sound-wards to-day and they have caught the rain. Like-

wise a few hundred fishermen, Ger. barque Ottili, e Perleberg, clear ed to-day for Riga, Russia, with 2,830 barrels rosin, valued at \$3,506, shipped

by Messrs. S. P. Shotter & Co. There is unmailable matter in the Postoffice here addressed to Messrs. Culbreth & Sons, Stevens' Bridge, N. C.; also a yellow govenment stamped envelope with no address.

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. tf ELSBACH, Prop.

The Wizard Oil company have concluded to remain in the city during the remainder of this week, so our people may have the pleasure of listening to ery. At the beginning of the quarter, their delightful music for a few more

> The steam yacht Passport has been laid up for the purpose of receiving her Summer apparel. She will announce a passenger and excursion schedule between this city and Smithville in a fortnight.

The stockholders of the Wilmington, Clinton & Point Caswell R. R. will meet at Warsaw to-morrow for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for other important business.

John Chinaman has arrived here and is come to stay. He is a genuine specifashionable doctors put it. A friend, men of the Celestial, pig-tale and all, who has been two years in Paris, writes and will hang out his shingle here on that the American colony in that city is Second street to washee dirtee shirtee,

> Indications. For the South Atlantic States, local

occasion. The Sumter Light Infantry will arrive at the Lake at 10 a.m. and leave at 6 p. m.

An Invitation.

The Fourth Annual Convention, and the Second Annual Festival, of the Petersburg, Va., Musical Association, will be held in that city on the 27th. 27th and 29th of May next: The music on that occasion will be under the direction of Herr Carl Zerratin, the eminent conductor of the Handel and Hayda Society of Rastan, Mass. Mrs. E. Aline Osgood, one of the most noted vocalists of Boston, will appear, and

the services of Mme. Teresa Carreno, the superb pianist, have also been se cured. Mr. E. J. Thorpe, of this city, has received a communication from Mr. H. Noltenius, chairman of the committee on music of the Petersburg Association, extending a cordial invitation tor the musical talent of Wilmington to be represented and announcing the fact that, "by order of the Directors, two complimentary seats, good for the entire festival, have been reserved for the delegates who will represent the Arion Society at the convention." It is expected that the orchestra will cousist of 30 instrumentalists and that there will be a grand chorus of nearly

or quite 250 voices.

Last Night's Concert.

The Opera House was thronged last night to listen to the vocal and instrumental concert given by the Wizard Oil Company for the benefit of the Wilmington Light Infantry. The instrumeatal soloists were Mr. Greenewald, on the piano, and Mr. Frank Sanders. on the Xylophone. The former gentleman is a well known artist of this city and his skill as a thorough, conscientious and talented pianist has been well established by the musicians of the city. and his playing last night was equal to any of his previous efforts. Mr. Sanders did remarkably well and showed himself to be a thorough musician and a master of the instrument. The vocal portion of the programme was rendered in a style which can only be obtain-

ed through long, patient and careful practice. The voices were well trained and tuned and their efforts receivedas they merited-the hearty approval of the audience, manifested by repeated and vociferous bursts of applause. The baritone solos by Dr. Charles Ar- city on the 5th proximo. It has been

the regatta committee will design a programme for the season's sport. Until then nothing definite can be known, but enough has been hinted, however to show that the club are determined that its pleasures shall be interesting

and exciting. The club house will be put in thorough order and the services of a genteel and courteous janitor will be secured and

he will be constantly on duty during the entire season, and all matters re. lating to the comfort and convenience of the members and their guests will be carefully attended to.

While, of course, no official action has been, or will be, taken until the regular meeting, yet in conversation with some of its prominent members we are assured that the sport of the club for the season will exceed that of any previous year. We are glad to note an earnestness of purpose among the members to make every preparation that shall conduce to the success of the year's sport. Boat sailing is a healthtul, exhilerating and invigorating pastime and one which causes the blood to leap joyously through the veins of the yachtsmen as they bound over the heaving billows.

New Horses.

Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1 have succeeded in purchasing a pair of fine and serviceable looking horses for use in their truck. Negotiations for their purchase have been pending for several days, but'it was not until yesterday that the bargain was, consummated. The company will have new drop harness ready for use in a few days, and will remove the old truck from the house and put their new one in use at once. With their new truck they will put in use their extension ladder, by which they can reach something more than 60 feet, or about 10 feet higher than the eaves of the City Hall. Changes have recently been made in their truck house for the entire convenience of these new and important arrangements, and in a short time everything will be in com.

plete working order.

The First Game.

The first game of base ball to be played this season by the base ball association of North Carolina, will be played at the Athletic grounds in this mour were particularly well rendered decided by the committee having the atter in charge to make the occasion

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR, 118 Market St. WILMINGTON, N. C.

Quarantine Notice,

OUARANTINE FOR THE PORT OF WIL MINGTON will be enforced from May 1st, to November 1st, as follows:

Pilots will bring all vessels from Ports south of Cape Fear to the Quarantine anchorace, also all vessels which have had any kind of SICKECSS on hoard during the passage or on arrival, and will cause a signal to be set in the main rigging on the port side, as soon as pos sible after crossing the Bar.

No vessel must leave the Quarantine anchor age, or allow any person, steamer or tug boat lighter, or boat of any kind to go alongside unless by written authority from the Quaran tine Physician; and every vessel must be an chored as far to the castward of the channel as is consistent with safety.

Regulations governing vessels while in Quarantine may be had on application at the office of the Quarantine Physician at Smithville.

Applications for permits to visit vessels in Quarantine must be made to Dr Thomas F. Wood or Dr. Geo. G. Thomas, and permits so o' tained will be endorsed by the Qaarantine Physician, if in his opinion, it is proper and safe to allow communication with such vessels. A penalty of \$200 for each and every offence will be enforced against any person violating any of the Quarantine Regulations of the Port

AT These regulations will be changed dur ng the season, as the Board may find neces

sary. Due notice will be given in advance of

any alterations.

W. G. CURTIS, M. D., Quarantine Phy. ician, Port of Wilmington. THOS. F. WOOD, M. D. Consultants. GEO. G. THOMAS, M. D. ap1 28 2am 6m 1&15

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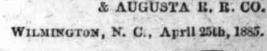
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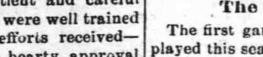
MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of this Company will be teld at the office of the Company, in Wimington, on MONDAY THE 1ST DAY OF JUNE next, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon a lease by this Company of the Railroad and property of the Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroad Company, and for the purpose of providing for the financial needs of this Company. By order of the Board of Directors. R. R. BRIDGERS, President. J W. THOMPSON, Secretary. apl 27 tdm OFFICE OF WIL, COLUMBIA





MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS on this Company will be held at 10 o'clock, a. m., on MONDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF JUNE next, at the office of the Company in Wilmington, N. C., and at 10 o'cleck, a. m., on TUES-DAY, THE IND DAY OF JUNE next, at Florence, S. C., for the purpose of considering and effecting a lease of the road and all its property to the Wilmington & Weldon Eailroad Company.

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would have reached a half-million if I could have gotten the terrapin. There are several methods of catching the terrapin. One is by a fredge, another by a net, and still abother by a three-pronged stick. With the latter the catcher prods in the mud until he feels something move, and then he reaches down for the dia- the later the catcher prods in the mud until he feels something, but wree, the fish a victim to the salargaly into terrapin catching, but experiment for the game and the snakes a victim to his ters largaly into terrapin catching, but experiment for the game and the snakes a victim to his ters largaly into terrapin catching, but	ago, with the hardest kind of labor,' says a dealer, "I succeeded in selling \$1,000 worth of diamond-back terrapin at from \$8 to \$10 a dozen. In the sea son which closed on the 1st of April sold over \$100,000 worth, and my sales would have reached a half-million if I could have gotten the terrapin." There are several methods of catching the terrapin. One is by a dredge, another by a seine, another by a net, and still another by a three-pronged stick. With the latter the catcher prods in the mud until he feels something move and then he reaches down for the dia- mond-back. The element of luck en- ters largely into terrapin catching, but experience, frequently shows where they most	winds shifting to South and West, fall- ing, followed by rising barometer, with nearly stationary temperature. A Twofold Murder. A water moccasin was found floating in the river to-day dead. An examina- tion showed that his snakeship had un dertaken to swallow a catfish. but when the latter had gotten as far as he wanted to go and found it impossible to back out he just stuck out one of his thorns through the side of the snake's neck which put an effectual stop to any further proceedings. And there they were, the fish a victim to the snake's voracity and the snake a victim to his own imprudence in trying to swallow	which they received. The humerous songs of Messrs. Laurens and Childs were laughable in the extreme. The farce entitled Dr. Cure-All's As- sistand, was a ludicrous affair which kept the entire audience convulsed with laughter. We are glad to know that the concert was a complete success, financially as well as in every other particular. Personat . We were pleased to receive a call to- day from Mr. Thos, Kinlaw, of Edge- wood, Robeson county, who is in the city on business. Goodmaterials properly proportioned which are the essential requisites in Ready mixed Paints can be best attain ed by using the N. Y. Enamel Paint	a "Ladies and Children's Day," and all the ladies and young children in the city are cordially invited to be present without any charge for their admission. This offer extends only to the first day and does not extend to male adults nor to boys who are more that 12 years of age. The game will be played by the Raleighs, of Raleigh, and the Scasides of this city, and will be a hotly contested struggle for the supremacy. We doubt not that the cordial invitation to the ladies and children will be gratefully appreciated and that a large delegation of this loving and lovable element of our society will be present. To every Housekeeper a good substantial cook stove is an important necessity and our readers will find the best at Factory prices at JACOBI'S	At our two Stores, Market and Second, Hanover and Fourth. apl 21 MUND3 BROS., Druggists. New Books. THE BOOK ANNEXED TO THE REPORT of the Joint Committee of the Book of Com man Prayer; \$1.5). The Book Opened, or Analysis of the Bible, by Alfred Nevin, D. D.; \$1. Roslyn's Fortune, by Christian Heid; \$1.25 Boots and Saddles, by Elizabe.h B. Custer; \$1.50. Ben-Hur. A Tale of the Christ, by Wallace. Wormley's Micro-Chemistry of Parzons; eloth, \$7.50 For sale at HEINSBERGER'S, apl 27 Live Book and Music Stores	WILMINGTON, N. C., April 10th, THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETIN the Stockholders of the Carolina Centre Road Company, will be held at the O ny's Office in the City of Wilmiagh THURSDAY, MAY 7th, at 31 o'clock, apl 10 td JNO. II. SHAM Secret Wood, Wood, WE HAVE OPENED A WOOD J
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