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PLEASE NOTE: 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 attached to the Editor. Communications must be written on the outside 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 stated in the editorial columns.

John C. Breckinridge is to have a monument too. It will be unveiled at Lexington next October.

There is an exhibition in Atlanta a shingle of Georgia pine that has been on a smoke-house near Washington, Ga., since 1765. It is perfectly sound.

The United States revenue returns show 4,033 saloons in Iowa, 1,852 in Kansas, 446 in Vermont and 1,262 in Maine—all States in which prohibition prohibits in theory.

Chinese Gordon is to have a colossal bronze statue in Trafalgar square, London. Yamo Thomoyait is the designer. He will represent Gordon in a patrol jacket unarmed, with a Bible in his right hand and his foot resting on a broken cannon.

Scarcely a newspaper existed in Japan twenty years ago and now there are 51. The book trade has also made a remarkable advance with the advent of printing in Japan, there being 3,538 book shops supplying the wants of the inhabitants of that empire.

Is the debate of Thursday night last in the House of Commons. Mr. Morley made a strong point against the coercion bill in showing that instead of preventing the withdrawal of capital from Ireland, its effect would be to drive out labor that supported capital.

There are many curious signs and business announcements to be found in London of which a few are: Sick dogs medically attended by the week or month. Birds to board. Ladies' and gentlemen's feet professionally treated by the job or season. Round-shouldered persons made straight. Babies or children hired or exchanged. False noses as good as new and warranted to fit. Black eyes painted very neatly.

The French have grown rather "touchy" on the subject of the universal exhibition of 1889. The Czar has bluntly refused to take part and so does Austria. Germany is silent and England indifferent. The trouble is that '89 celebrates the centenary of the French Revolution. If the scheme is postponed a year the undertaking is more likely to prove a success. As it is, it looks as if it were doomed to failure.

The present Cabinet, says the World, possesses some fine public speakers. Vilas is probably the most finished and eloquent among them, though Lamar is not far behind him. Bayard is, of course, a good talker. Fairchild is an interesting, though not a great speaker. Garland is by no means eloquent, but is a brilliant logician. Whitely is a quick, nervous talker. Endicott is the only member of the Cabinet who has no reputation as a public speaker.

On the 20th of June Queen Victoria will have completed the fiftieth year of her reign. This fact has given to the present the title of the Jubilee Year and celebrations of the event through out the British Empire are in order. The jubilee observances began in India, where they were conducted on a most extensive scale, and elaborate preparations are making in Great Britain and Canada for celebrations of various kinds.

Under a law which has just passed the Minnesota Legislature, the restrictions placed upon the practice of medicine in that State will be more severe than in any other part of the United States. All persons who wish to practice medicine after July 1 must pass an examination before a board of nine persons, irrespective of whether they hold regular diplomas or not, and only those who have taken three courses of medical lectures will be permitted to attend the examination.

The result of the municipal elections in Indiana on Tuesday are very encouraging. The Democrats seem to have made a clean sweep. Many cities heretofore Republican have elected Democratic tickets. Lafayette and Shelbyville for the first time elected Democratic Mayors. There were few local issues, and the campaigns were generally made up on the legislative records of the two parties. At Wabash, the home of Speaker Sayre, the Democrats made large gains.

The earthquake shock in Arizona, on Tuesday, was no sardine. A special from Tucson in the New York Star says:

An earthquake shock at 9:12 yesterday afternoon did considerable damage in the way of racking buildings, and caused a panic among the people, who rushed into the streets and ran frantically about. It was the first earthquake ever experienced here. A rumbling noise accompanied the vibrations. The

taller buildings swayed as if about to topple over. The shock had a singular effect upon the Santa Catalina Mountains, great masses falling from their sides at various points and falling 7,000 feet to their base, sending up volumes of dust resembling the vapors of a volcano.

A prominent peak known as the Old Castle, a landmark from time immemorial, suddenly disappeared from sight. The vibrations lasted about four minutes, and slight recurrences of the motion have been twice felt since. After the shock a volcano appeared in the Total Wreck Mountains, about twenty miles south of Tucson. Its flames brilliantly illumined the sky last night, and the smoke arising from it was visible to-day.

**Greatly Excited.**  
Not a few of the citizens of Wilmington have recently become greatly excited over the astounding facts, that several of their friends who had been pronounced by their physicians as incurable and beyond all hope—suffering with that dreaded monster Consumption—have been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the only remedy that does positively cure all throat and lung diseases. Coughs, Colds, Asthma and Bronchitis.

Trial Bottles Free at W. H. Green & Co's. Drug Store, large bottles \$1.

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W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by the use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by W. H. Green & Co.

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Strawberries—very nice ones—25 cts. a quart.  
Full moon to-morrow morning at 47 minutes past 8 o'clock.

Green peas 30 cents a peck to-day. Will probably be down to 25 to-morrow.

German barques *Indaig*, Schauer, and *Louise Richards*, Ehmecke, hence, arrived at Stettin May 1st.

The trees along the turnpike will shade it very nicely this summer, only there are not enough of them.

Some very nice squashes from "our garden in Florida" were being sold in market to-day at 40 cents per dozen.

The first week in May is about to close and yet very few people have gone into summer quarters—in the matter of clothing, as yet.

The engine and tender for the railroad from the river to Myrtle Grove Sound, loaded on a flat, was towed to its destination this morning.

The Germania Cornet Band are negotiating with a New York house for uniforms for the members, but nothing has yet been decided upon fully.

An excursion from Rutherfordton to this city is to take place on Monday, the 30th inst. Five days will be allowed for a sojourn on the seacoast before the expiration of the tickets.

The fourth annual convention of the Diocese of East Carolina will be held at Edenton on the 18th inst. We have already published the delegates from this section. Last year the convention was held at Goldsboro.

There has been a picnic of the pupils of Masonboro Baptist Sunday school, at Masonboro, to-day, and quite a number of our citizens have taken the day to visit the gathering, thereby combining healthy recreation with social enjoyment.

**Coroner's Inquest.**  
The jury of inquest summoned yesterday by Coroner Miller to examine into the death of the three colored boys shot and killed at the Upper Compress yesterday morning, met at the Court House at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and proceeded to the important duty for which they were called together.

The jury consisted of John Holloway, foreman; James D. Dry, John Nutt, W. H. Stewart, L. G. Cherry and David Jacobs. The investigation was conducted by Col. B. R. Moore, Solicitor of the Criminal Court.

Dr. F. W. Potter, city physician, the first witness examined, said that he had examined the bodies of the three dead boys. In one of them—that of Ed. Smith—he found ten shot in the breast, three penetrating the lungs; one in the head, penetrating the brain; four in the jaw. Charles Baker had received four shot in the neck on the right side, eight in the chest, two in the brain, two in the arm-pit—about twenty-four in all. The body of the third boy—Alex. Fillyaw—had three shot in the brain and a great many others in the body, about the chest, several penetrating the lungs on the right side.

Fillyaw had more wounds than the others, but all had received enough to produce instant death. It was about two hours after the occurrence when Dr. Potter made his official examination, but he had seen the bodies a short time after the shooting in the morning.

Randall Jones, colored, the owner of the gun with which Best did the fatal work, testified that Grant Best came to his house yesterday morning about 5 o'clock and asked him (Jones) to lend him his gun. Grant said he wanted to borrow it to shoot rice birds. Jones told him that he did not have it; that Clinton Lamb, a colored man living in Wallace's alley, had it, but that Best might have it if Lamb did not want to use it. Jones identified the gun produced as the one he alluded to.

Louis Larkins, a colored man testified to meeting Grant Best about 5 o'clock yesterday morning with the gun in his hand; met him again an hour or two afterwards without the gun. Best seemed distressed and he asked him what was the matter, when he replied that he had shot some boys.

Ben Cronly, one of the wounded boys, testified that Grant Best did the shooting that morning, and went on to give an account of a difficulty they had had the day before in the ricefield over the river. Best had broken a gun belonging to Henry Robinson, and had a quarrel with George Best, his brother, about it. When they were all crossing the river in a boat Grant Best tried to turn the boat over. Yesterday morning the boys assembled at the river waiting for the boat to take them across. Three of the boys were sitting on a log and witness and his brother were sitting on a post a few feet distant, when Grant came down with a gun in his hand, and when he got about the length of the court room from them, he said, "Boys, I've got a double-barrelled gun," and put it to his shoulder and aimed it and fired. Continuing, witness said: "Three of us were killed—Ed Smith, Charlie Baker and Alex. Fillyaw—myself and Eddie Fillyaw were wounded. Grant, as soon as he shot ran up town to get a doctor. I went home, and don't know whether he came back or not. He did not come any nearer to us after he fired the gun."

George Malloy, colored, testified: "Work in the rice field at Point Peter, across the river; came over Wednesday evening with the boys, and it was all I could do to keep Grant Best from turning the boat over. He raised an oar to strike one of the boys, when I stopped him. They were all quarrelling and cursing each other. Saw the dead bodies of the three boys this morning about 7 o'clock, lying close to the log where they had been sitting."

Delia Hopkins colored, said she stays at the Potter plantation. The boys came over every morning and got powder from her and went on the field. When they came up from the field Wednesday they were quarrelling about a gun. Grant Best said to his brother, "I'll have that gun or you one." Alex. Fillyaw said Grant Best had been tussling at him all day. Ed Smith, Charles Baker, Alex. Fillyaw, Ben Cronly, Ed Fillyaw, Grant Best and George Best were the crowd; all in front of my door; all quarrelling. Grant wanted to get the gun from one of the boys who would not give it to him, but wanted me to take it. I told him I would have nothing to do with it. Told Alex. Fillyaw he had better have nothing to do with Grant Best. They

left the gun they were quarrelling about at the plantation.  
At this point the Coroner adjourned the inquest until 10 o'clock this morning.

Upon the re-assembling of the jury of inquest this morning, the testimony was proceeded with as follows:  
Clinton Lamb, colored, said that the gun in court belongs to Randall Jones. I gave the boy the gun yesterday morning. I am positive that the right hand barrel was loaded with bird-shot, such as these I exhibit to the jury. The gun had no caps on it when I gave it to him. I gave it to him just after the factory whistle was blown the first time. (Pointing to the prisoner) That was the man I gave the gun to.

Henrietta Moore, colored, said: I live on Point Peter, and on Wednesday last Charley Baker, Boysey Filyaw and Ed Smith came to my door and asked me for a piece of bread. After the bread was done I gave each one a piece. Just then Grant came up and told Boysey to give him a piece of his bread. Boysey told him he would not, that he had been tussling with him all day about his bread and some grub in his bucket. Grant then said: "Never mind; I'll get you to-morrow." There is now a small double-barrelled gun in the house of Flora Piers, on Point Peter, which Grant brought there and said it belonged to his father.

Randall Jones, colored, recalled, said: "When I loaned the gun to Clinton Lamb both barrels were loaded. One of them, I don't know which, was loaded with mixed shot, containing two buck shot and mixed shot, low mould and No. 6. I have just drawn a load from the left-hand barrel, and I did not put that load in the gun. I always use cut wads. The load which I have just drawn is rammed with paper wadding."

At this point a recess was taken until 3 o'clock this afternoon to allow the jury to proceed to the house of the wounded boy and take his testimony.

Ed. Fillyaw, the wounded boy, said in substance, that on the morning of the shooting, Grant Best came up with a double-barrelled shot gun, and when in about twenty feet of them he told them to "look out," and raised his gun and fired.

This concluded the testimony, and upon the re-assembling of the jury at the Court House they retired to deliberate upon a verdict. After an absence of about half an hour they returned and rendered the following verdict in each of the three cases:

That the deceased came to his death from gun shot wounds at the hands of Grant Best.  
The defendant was committed for trial at the next term of the Criminal Court and the witnesses were recognized for their appearance.

**Memorial Music.**  
The vocal music selected for the Memorial Exercises, on the 10th inst., is peculiarly appropriate for the occasion. The first piece is the hymn "Peace and Love" to be sung in the tune of "Sweet and Low"; "Soldiers of Christ Arise"; "What Beams so Bright"; "They Are Not Dead, but Sleepeth"; and the Doxology. The vocalists are as follows: First Tenors—James C. Smith and Wm. Tilley. Second Tenors—D. B. Mitchell and H. M. Emerson. First Bases—Alex. Holden, L. DeR Meares, H. K. Holden and A. G. Conoley. Second Bases—R. H. Grant and M. F. Manning.

**For Europe.**  
Mr. John W. Gerdt, one of our prominent German citizens, will leave for a protracted visit to his native land to-morrow. In view of his departure some of his friends took him to Wrights ville yesterday, where they gave him a good "send off" on his watery journey. There was no formality in the proceedings, but simply the gathering of warm personal friends to wish him "God speed" on his journey and a safe return to the city of his adoption. It was a pleasant affair, the memory of which will undoubtedly remain fresh and be tenderly stored in the heart of Mr. Gerdt while enjoying the pleasures of "Faderland," to remind him of the warm hearts which best kindly for him in Wilmington.

At the moment of going to press we learn that two colored men were drowned this afternoon while attempting to cross the river from Mr. Larkins' rice plantation. We had no time to get particulars.

See JACOB'S large and fine assortment of fishing tackle. He can surely please any fisherman with his assortment.

**Personal.**  
Mr. W. I. Meadows, formerly of this city but now engaged in tobacco manufacturing at Oxford, N. C., is in the city to-day.

**The First.**  
The Germania Cornet Band have made arrangements by which they are to have the first excursion party on the new railroad to Myrtle Grove Sound. It is not yet definitely decided when the excursion will take place, but they are sure of the first, and it will probably be given quite early in June. Due notice of the time will be given hereafter.

**Down the River.**  
The steamer *Passport* has been overhauled and put in trim for her regular summer work as an excursion boat, and will make her first trip of the season down the river on Monday next. On Tuesday she will bring up a large excursion party from Smithville to attend the Memorial exercises which will be held here on that day.

**Where to this Summer?**  
Where are you going this Summer? is the absorbing question just now. Let us answer for a few we wot of: We are going to spend a part of the time in the cool, breezy and well-shaded city of Wilmington and a part on the seacoast, fitting from the Sound to the Carolina Beach, from the Beach to the Rocks, from the Rocks to Smithville and from Smithville to the city. In this way we get a pleasing variety and keep cool and comfortable all Summer.

**Carolina Central Railroad.**  
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad was held yesterday at the office of the Old Dominion Steamship Company in New York. The railroad officials here have no advices, further than that the meeting was entirely harmonious, and that the President and Board of Directors were highly pleased with the management of the road.

An election of officers was held, but the result has not yet been received here. It is more than probable, however, that the entire old board was re-elected.

Br. barque *George Davis*, King, cleared to-day for Liverpool with 1,000 casks spirits turpentine, 1,888 barrels rosin and 2,597 barrels tar, valued at \$21,500, shipped by Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son.

A Basket Party will be given this evening in the building opposite the City Hall by Harmony Lodge I. O. G. T. A good time may be expected by all who attend.

The receipts of cotton at this port to-day foot up 14 bales.

Headquarters for base ball supplies is at Heinsberger's.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**STRAW HATS!**  
—AT—  
**DICK & MEARES'**  
GENTS' FURNISHING HOUSE.  
May 5 12 North Front St.

**Basket Party.**  
A BASKET PARTY WILL BE GIVEN under the auspices of HARMONY LODGE, I. O. G. T., for the benefit of that Order on FRIDAY EVENING, in building opposite City Hall. All are invited. The Committee promise a pleasant time to those who attend. May 6 11

**GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA.**  
THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL COMMUNICATION of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina at the Hall of St. John's Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M., Wilmington, at 8 o'clock, P. M., on Thursday, the 12th day of May, for the purpose of laying the corner stone of "Grace Methodist Church" of Wilmington.  
By order C. H. ROBINSON, Grand Master.

**Season's Goods.**  
REFRIGERATORS, ICE CREAM FREEZERS, Water Coolers, Fly Fans, Fly Traps, &c., &c. All at the lowest prices. Call and examine the goods and the prices.  
GILES & MURCHISON  
May 2

**Brunhild, Simon & Co.,**  
Wholesale Dealers in LIQUORS, CIGARS AND TOBACCO.  
No. 115 N. Front St.  
SOUTHERN STAR RYE AND ORANGE WINE still take the lead.  
May 3 1 f a

**Attention!**  
OUR STORE HAS JUST BEEN PUT IN thorough order for the Summer Campaign, and we are ready with new goods and low prices to serve all our customers. We can't be under-estimated. Open from 6:30 a. m. till 10 p. m.  
MUNDS BROTHERS.  
Brooklyn N. Y.—Our Catalogue MUE Shakes are 4c. Light. MAY 5

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**MAKE YOUR PURCHASES**  
—AT—  
**The Ladies' Emporium,**  
115 Market St.  
**AND SAVE MONEY.**

**FANS!**  
DRESS TRIMMINGS DEF-ETMENT.  
Mohair Braids, Open Work Braids, Ornament Braids and Passementerie Braids in all colors. Jet Glimps, Passementerie, Panels, Fronds, Vests.

**Laces.**  
Oriental, Italian, Valenciennes, Duchesse, Fedora, and all varieties.  
SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to my beautiful and cheap stock of Lace FI endings and Lace Fichus, in Chantilly, Spanish Guipure, Oriental and Flute Valenciennes in 42 inch width. All Over and narrow edge to match. A SPECIAL BARGAIN in above this week. The largest assortment of Laces in the city.

**Embroideries.**  
White Hamburg and Nainsook. Flouncings, All Over embroideries and Edgings to match. The low prices will surprise you.

**Gloves.**  
An elegant assortment of Ladies' and Children's Mitts and gloves, from 35c to \$1.25 each. Lisle Thread and Silk, in all shades and colors—best makes and all qualities.

**Corsets.**  
Bustles, Hoop Skirts, Thompson's Celebrated Elastic Fluting and Thompson's Celebrated Ball's Health Corset, and other makes, from 50c to \$2 each. An elegant Corset for 50c.

**Parasols.**  
A large assortment of Ladies' and Children's Parasols from 25c to \$5, best material, latest styles.

**Hosiery.**  
Ladies' Balbriggan, Ladies' Lisle Thread, all colors. Ladies' Cotton Hose, all colors, at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, each, worth twice the money. Infants' 3/4 Hose and Socks, in cotton, lisle thread and silk. Children's Stockings from 10c to 65c. Try them; have all prices and am selling very fast.

**Handkerchiefs.**  
For Ladies and Children from 3c each and upwards. A pure Linen Handkerchief for 10c. I keep McCutcheon's celebrated make of Linen Handkerchiefs, warranted every thread pure linen, at low prices.

**INFANTS' CAPS AND SUN BONNETS.**  
I will sell these at a great bargain, having marked them down to day.

**FINE ASSORTMENT ROLLED GOLD JEWELRY.**  
**Millinery.**  
The handsomest and largest assortment ever brought to the city. A new lot of Children's and Ladies' Hats and Bonnets received to-day.

Burgals in Feathers, Flowers, Gauzes, Veilings, Ribbons, Alpacas, Pompadour, every thing in the Millinery line, and a fine case of Timmer to fill orders. Velvets, Satins and Surahs for dress trimming purposes.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is directed to my elegant line of DRESS SILKS in French Falles, Surah, Gros Grain and Jersey tilles, elegant quality at lowest prices.  
Call and examine.  
Most Respectfully,  
MRS. E. B. WIGGINS.

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**Selling Out!**  
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To any one desirous of going into business. This is a good chance, for it is known to be the largest stock of the kind in the State and is well established. Will make satisfactory terms.  
From MONDAY, April 26th, I will give my customers the benefit of low prices, all goods being now marked down. All the latest styles in Millinery, and all new goods—Hats and Bonnets, Feathers and Flowers, Laces, Velvets, Gauze and other Trimmings.

A very large lot of Ribbons, Staple and Novelties; Edkts, Silk and Linen; Gloves, Silk and Lisle; Hosiery, Ladies and Childrens; Neckwear, Lisle and Linen; Corsets, Bustles, Table Linen and many other useful and fancy articles.  
Respectfully,  
MRS. E. B. WIGGINS,  
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**Wild Cats!**  
UNDER THE PRESENT INSURANCE LAW of North Carolina, any concern calling itself an Insurance Company that is able to pay a fee of \$50 is authorized to solicit business in the State. The consequence is that the State is filled with Solicitors of so-called Insurance Companies that have no standing and which can not pass an examination.  
Upon application the undersigned will furnish a First Insurance Index giving the standing and condition of Insurance Companies doing business in the United States. Every insurer should consult such an Index before accepting the Policy of any Company that he is not familiar with.  
M. S. WILLARD,  
214 North Water St.