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Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe is in very bad health

The German minister of war offers prize of 5,000 marks for the best mode of an improved cartridge box.

General Corse, the Boston postmaster, has removed only nineteen out of 756 employees in about seven months and all of these for cause, he says.

Peter Barlow, who took part in the American revolution under General Washington, has died in Demerara. aged 130 years.

Dr. Charles S. Thomson, of Hartford, Conn , is the oldest living graduste in the Yale Medica! school. He was graduated in 1820.

It Secretary Endicott goes out of the eshinet it is probable that General Black, the present Commissioner of Pensions, will become Secretary of

Frankie Kemble, the actress, has made charges against Superintendent Wilson, of the Forrest Home for actors. in Philadelphia, alleging coarse, brutal

and insulting treatment of the actors

and actresses now inmates there. Margaret Donnellson, better known as Aunt Peggy, the oldest inmate of the Pittsburg home for aged colored women, claims to be 130 years old, and certainly is pretty near that age. She has lived in Pittsburg since it was a frontier fort. She is active and vigor-

ous for her age.

The new assessment roll of San Francisco real estate shows a total of \$191,594,000, giving an increase over ast year of \$16,000,000. The personal property assessment is \$22,000 000 Some of the largest increased assessments have been on hotels, the raise on the Baldwin being \$200,000 over last Jear, and on the Palace \$180,000.

One very funny custom of the thestres here, says a correspondent writing from Mexico, is their manner of keep. ing their reserved seat diagram, the seals being marked upon it by small holes, in which are placed wooden pegs. When you buy a reserzed seat the ticket seller removes the peg from the hole you have selected and gives it to you as your check.

Bismarck recently wrote to an aged vinegard-owner on the Rhine as tollows: "I envy you your favorite occu-Pation on the eve of your life. The vegetable kingdom repays our tender care in its behalf far more satisfactorily than politics. It was the beau ideal of my earlier years to picture myself as a fray haired man, free from care, tending his garden with pruning knife in band."

An instance of a princely fortune missed forms a paragraph in the history of the late Sheldon Pease. In 1843 he planned and caused to be built for the Propelier Oneida, then on the stocks at Cleveland, the first horizontal tubular boiler, used in America This same boiler, without any essential improvements, is now in use all over America and Europe A patent placed on his invention would have yielded Mr, Pease millions of dollars in royalty.

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A number of deaths occurred in New York on Saturday from the oppressive that for the week ending at noon on being conducted by Elder J P King at Dock by striking the water with a stick entered last night, but so far as dishat day there were 1.276 deaths in the the Second Advent Church, became to make it splash, when he accidentally covered, the rogue made a water-no, city. This, according to the Herald, is converted and was so impressed with fell everboard. He could not swim and a beer haul. He got into the dining the large-t mortality for the first we chis condition that he could not rest un- had sunk twice and was sinking for the room, on the ground floor, by cutting of July since 1880, when the number til the ordinance of baptism was ad- third 'lme when a colored man jump- through ja shutter and a sask, and the was about a score larger. Of this very ministered, and in accordance with ed into the river and rescued the little only things missed this morning are large number of deaths occurring last bis earnest wishes he was baptized follow from a watery grave We could two glasses of beer, which had been showing the deadly influence of resi- II o'clock last night, Elder J. P. dence in these close quarters. But the King, assisted by Elder J. W. King, most startling fact is that out of the officiated, and there was a large gath-834 deaths in tenement houses, 781 (or ering to witness the impressive cereninety-four per cent) were deaths of mony. children under five years of age.

#### Electric Bitters.

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# LOCAL NEWS.

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Some think that it was as warm las midnight as it was yesterday at noon. Good watermelons are scarce.

have seen no really fine ones this sea There were five square rigged vessels

and one schooner at Southport this morning. Ninety degrees has been the maxi-

mum temperature to-day. This was at 12 and 3 o'clock.

Elegant tomatoes in market now; you can buy a quart for 5 cents or a peck for 30 cents.

The Cornet Concert Club will play in he City Hall Park to-morrow evening at 6 o'clock, free to all.

A rise of two and a half feet in the CapeFear is reported from Fayetteville. but this will not last long.

Up to 10 o'clock this morning 945 badges had been issued for dogs, and 174 unlicerced canines had been slaugh

It has been a shade cooler to day than it was yesterday, but the differ-

ence as displayed by the thermometer has been very slight. The ladies held a consulation last

evening and concluded that it was best to postpone the Lawn Party which was projected for to morrow evening until next Tuesday.

Rev. Dr. Pritchard will rreach at the Baptist Chapel, at Fifth and Wooster street, to night, services commencing at 8:15 o'clock. The public are cor dially invited to attend.

Workmen were engaged to-day in razing to the ground the well known "Walker building," just North of the Orton House, to make room for the extension of the latter building.

The Hornet's Nest Riflemen of Charlotte, will arrive here to-night on the Carolina Central train. There will be 75 in the party, but it is not expected that all of them will be "milingtary

There will be a special meeting to night of Wilmington Steam Fire En gine Company No 1, to take into con sideration the matter of attending in body the excursion to Lake Waccamaw by the Cornet Concert Club on Thursday oext.

### Indications.

For North Carolina, tair weather and stationary temperature.

#### Midnight Baptism

One of the young men in attendance week 834 were in tenement houses, at the toot of Queen street at about

#### Badly Bitten.

At Wrightsville Sound, last Thursday afternoon, the thirteen-year-old son of two dogs that were fighting, when one of them turned apon him and bit him savagely on the call of the right leg. ner. The wound received prompt surand his condition now, while not conwill be effected

#### Not Taxed This Year.

Some one has discovered that some things which were taxed last year are not taxed this year. 'The laws of 1887 passed by the last legislature, made no reference whatever to livery stablemen and others who keep horses and vehi-Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, cles for hire. By the former laws, these parties were required to pay tax of \$4 for each horse kept for hire Was given up by the doctors. Am now This clause is entirely omitted in the present laws, and no tax can be collect ed on that score. It is also disclosed that the clause in the old law requiring a tax of d of one per centum on the gross receipts of hotels and boarding houses is omitted from the laws of 1887 and this tax cannot be collected. The hotel keepers and liverymen think that the last legislature was one of the best ever known in this State.

#### Assessments of Property The Board of Commissioners, in ses-

sion yesterday afternoon, received a great many complaints from taxpayers relative to assessments of property .-All the complaints handed in were filed tor consideration, and at 5 o'clock, ed good taste. without hearing all, the Board adjourned until Wednesday afternoon.

The Board of Equalization reported the following:

Property of W. W. Harriss, in Masonboro township, increased in valuation from \$1,000 to \$1 250.

Property of G W. Williams, Mason boro township, increased in valuation from \$2 500 to \$3 000.

Property of Mrs. K. K. Parsley. Masor boro township, increased in valvation from \$1 000 to \$1,300.

Property of Mrs. Julia O Harriss Harnett township, increased in valuation from \$6 600 to \$9,000.

Property of W. A. Wright, Harnett township, ixcreased in valuation from \$3 500 to \$5,000.

Property of J. L. Winner, Federal Point townskip, increased in valuation

from \$1.800 to \$2.500.

The valuation of the property of the North Carolina Phosphate Company

was increased from \$10,000 to \$15 000

Wilmington Light Infantry.

The regular monthly meeting of Wilmington Light Infantry, held last night, was of unusual interest and was largely attended. Lieut. J. C. Morrison presented the two prizes won at the target practice June 24th, to the company, and then they were presented to the successful contestants, as follows: The first prize, a silver pitcher, was presented by Col J. L. Cantwell, in behalf of the company, to private J. S. Hooper, and the second prize, a goldlined silver goblet was presented on

At the conclusion of these ceremonies, a committee consisting of Col. J. L. Cantwell, Col. W. L. DeRosset, Capt. H. Savage, Capt J. H. Daniel, Capt. J. C. Morrison and Mr. W. J. a history of the company.

behalf of the company by Col. W. C.

Jones, to private E. W. Moore.

Lient. J. C. Morrison reported that th. old battle flag of the company with the eagle that surmounted the colors had been received, and that the command wou'd be expected to provide a these relics.

The cheapest-place to buy your school books and school stationers is at theins

#### Overboard.

A ten-years old colored boy was weather, and the Health Board reports last night upon the meetings which are amusing himself last night at Market corner Second and Dock streets, was not learn the names of either party.

#### Southpart Items From a friend and correspondent at

Southport we g ean the following items of interest:

The Improvement Club held their third meeting last night at which committee was appointed to solicit funds for the improvement of the town. The people responded liberally and cheerfully, and in a moments the generous sum of \$50 was contributed, and work will be commenced there immedi-

The mayor and commissioners of the gical attention and its condition was town are striving earnestly to beautify impure blood Will drive Maiaria altogether favorable until yesterday the place and have already made many trom the system and prevent as well as morning, when the sufferer found him- decided improvements. We rejoice at cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of self unable o move the wounded limb, this, for Southport is certainly one of the most attractive places on the South sidered critical, is certainly of a serious Atlantic Coast, and as the citizens of nature, with a prospect of a prolonged the town have all put their shoulders to confinement before a complete cure the wheel to push along the great work of improvement and progress, look for splendid results in the near future.

#### Our Colored Firemen.

Yesterday atternoon the new engine and hose carriage for the Cape Fear Steam Fire Engine Company was formally presented to that body, and the occasion was made a sort of gala time in which all the colored fire organizations of the city participated A pro cession was formed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at Cape Fear Engine house. and, preceded by a band of music, the THE PASSPORT WILL LEAVE FOR different companies marched through several of the principal streets to the Cily Hall, followed by the new engine days Boat leaves at 2; Train back at 6. and hose reel, both gaily decorated with flowers and the former drawn by four splendid horses. Arriving at the City Hall, Mayor Fowler, in behalf of the city, formally presented the new apparatus to the Chief of the Fire De partment, Mr J. G. Oldenbuttel, who in turn presented the engine and hose reel to the company. Valentine Howe, President of the company, received the apparatus for the firemen. All the speeches for the occasion were in mark-

At the conclusion of these ceremonies the new engine was duly christened "Cape Fear," by a daughter of Robert Morrissey, the foreman of the company. The procession was then retormed and marched through several streets, finally reaching the Cape Fear Engine house where a collation was spread to which all did ample justice. The day's festivities concluded with a festival and ball at the City Hall.

### Personal

Capt. J. L. Memory, of Whiteville,

is in the city to day. Maj. James Reilly, of Brunswick, wrs in the city to-day.

Mr. A. S. Johnson, of Sampson county, is here on a brief business

Capt. N F. Parker, formerly of this city, but now of Point Caswell, is here

We regret to learn that Gen. S. H. Manning, is sick and confined to the

Mr. John R. Beaman, of Clinton. is

Col. W. P. Canaday left the city last night for Washington but expects to re-

turn the latter part of the week Officer II. J. Mintz, who was shot several nights since, has so far recover ed as to be able to be out, but is not

yet fit for duty. Mr. D. Greenewald, who has been here on a brief visit to his relatives, left on last night's train for his home at Spartanburg, S. C.

Mr. F. W. Clark, G. F. A. of the Piedmont Air Line, and his brother, Mr. H. P. Clark, the New York agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. John H Clark, of Bladen county, is in the city to-day and he reports that Woodward, was appointed to prepare the crops in his section are promising well. The seasons have been very good, thus tar, and the ontlook is in

St Paul's Lutheran Church bay granted their pastor, Rey F W E Peschau, a month's vacation, which be suitable case for the preservation of will improve by a visit to his relatives and many friends in Pennsylvania and West Virginia. He will leave on Thors day or Friday next, and will not preach to his o carregation again, until about the middle of August next.

Burglary.

The residence of Capt. H. Vollers, placed on ice over night. It is thought that the rascal was frightened away before he could get in any effective

"What Advantages have Immigration, Capital, Manufacturing Enterprises and Industrious Settlers to the Farming Interests?" will be discussed by Capt. Natt Atkinson, the great truit raiser of the mountain section, and W. J. Peele, Esq., of Raleigh, at the Grange Encampment and Stock Fair at Mt. Holly, N. C., Aug. 10th to 13th.

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