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There are 60,000 colored Knights of Labor.

One third almost (700) of the total 2500 suits recently commenced in the Circuit Court at St. Louis, the Globe Democrat states, were divorce proceedings.

Rider Haggard is contributing several articles on Cypress to the St. James' Gazette. The romantic island of the Mediterranean is to be the scene of his next novel.

The Mississippi is lower than it has been in twenty-five years, and only twice since the records were kept has it had as little water. The drought on its water shed has brought it to this low condition.

General M. G. Vallelo, the oldest native son of California, will be a conspicuous figure in the annual celebration at Napa on September 9. He will ride in the procession in a chariot which he made is 1813.

Boswell Beardsley, of North Lansing, N. Y., has fairly earned the title of "Dean of the Postal Corps." His appointment dates back to June 28, 1828. He was commissioned when John McLane, of Ohio, was postmaster-general.

Mrs. Langtry's mother has gone to England to see what can be done toward getting Mr. Langtry out of the way in order that Mr. Freddy Gebhardt may become known as Mrs. Langtry's husband. A noble ambition is that of Mr. Gebhardt's.

The world's progress is marked by the fact that while only a few years ago, while Stanley was in Central Africa, it took two years to hear from him, now we get word of his movements in less than two months. The man who makes the world go round twice when it used to go round once in a public benefactor.

How public opinion overbears law was recently curiously illustrated in a French Court. A duellist was sentenced to imprisonment, not because he had wounded his adversary, but because he parried a thrust with his left hand, while he stabbed with his right. Duelling is illegal in France.

The British telegraph service, which is part of the postoffice, does not pay expenses since the rate was reduced to six-pence per message, or about twelve cents. The deficit for the past year was £223 000 on working expenses and £326,000 for interest on the working capital—in all £500,000 or $2 750,000.

Thomas Anderson of West Haven, Conn., is said to be one of the last descendants of the Mohawk Indians. He is 96 years of age and in a fine state of preservation. He says he was born at East Hemstead, L. I., and that he and his brother, who lives at Fleming, L. I are the last of the Mohawks.

A son of General Belknap some years ago wanted to secure a clerkship in one of the departments at Washington, but his father dissuaded him and advised him to undertake any other employment that was honorable. The young man secured a job as railroad brakeman and stuck to it. Now he is assistant superintendent of the road.

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The Democrats of Pennsylvania were in Convention yesterday and after a harmonious session nominated J. Ross Thompson for Supreme Court Judge and B. J. McGrann for State Treasurer. The platform is a wise one and it seems to us covers the ground pretty effectually. Mainly it is as follows:

1st. That we renew our allegiance to the principles and declarations of the platform adopted at Chicago in 1884 which Mr Cleveland, the nominee of the party, heartily endorsed, declaring in his letter of acceptance: "I have carefully considered the platform adopted by the convention and cordially approve the same: so plain a statement of Democratic faith and the principles upon which that party appeals to the suffrages of the people, needs no supplement or explanation." To these principles he has faithfully adhered in all his public utterances. We further affirm the platform adopted by our State convention of 1886 and in view of the existing condition of the public treasury we demand with emphasis that the large surplus already in the treasury shall be used to pay the public debt, and that the current and unnecessary increase going on beyond the needs of the government shall be immediately prevented by a wise and prudent reduction of internal taxation and of duties on imports, in accordance with the foregoing declarations.

2nd That we fully endorse the administration of President Cleveland, Wise, sagacious and patriotic he has restored confidence to the business interests of the country, in the Democratic party; has directed the financial affairs of the Government with apt ability; has strengthened the public credit and thereby given us proof of great industrial and commercial prosperity. The apprehension in the minds of some that the advent of our party to the control of the Federal Government would be dangerous has been dispelled. Our people are more contented and well to do than in years, and more respected than ever before by other nations. His period of administration has been pure, economical and fearless, and meets the approval of all fairminded and conservative citizens.

3rd. We recognize the material benefit which this country has received from immigration. We endorse the legislation of Congress against the importation of contract labor, and to compel the return of paupers and criminals. We commend the national administration for its efforts to rigidly enforce these laws, and while we are opposed to any illiberal restrictions we favor such adnitional measures of regulation as may be found necessary.

4th. We favor liberal pensions to deserving Union soldiers and sailors, and refer to the action of the present administration in adding to the pension rolls a larger number than was ever before placed thereon within a corresponding period, while at the same time protecting the treasury from fraudulent claims as a proof of this fact.

5th We point with pride to the fact that since the Democratic party has been in power, in any branch of the Federal Government, not one acre of the public lands has been granted to corporations, nor has any land grant been revived or extended.

The sixth, seventh and eighth sections refer exclusively to State matters.

9th The Democratic party sympathizes with the oppressed of all nations in all movements having for their object the attainment of the blessings of local self-government, such as are enjoyed by the people of this Union as the result of the enforcement of Democratic policy. The granting of Home Rule to Ireland is due, as the acknowldgement of the sacred inherited right, and the gallant struggle for the accomplishment of this long delayed act of justice under the magnificent leadership of Gladstone and Parnell commends itself to the moral support of the American people. It is our earnest wish that the efforts of these distinguished statesmen may soon be crowned with success. We still hold to the ancient doctrine of the party that the preservation of the rights of the people demands that we should look with jealousy upon monopolies and restrict corporate power within its proper sphere, and we heartily approve the action of the National Administration in reclaiming and throwing open to the people for settlement one hundred million acres of land, which, through artifice and fraud, were wrongfully held by corporations, having been forfeited to the people by their failure to comply with the conditions of the grants.

Don't Experiment.

Rock Crystal Spectacles and Eyeglasses.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

LOCAL NEWS.

INDEX TO NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

No Raleigh papers received here today.

We lose this month 64 minutes of daylight.

This month has five Thursdays and five Fridays.

Full moon to-morrow morning at 58 minutes past 5 o'clock.

School Books and School Stationery you can buy cheapest at Heinsberger's.†

The receipts of cotton at this port today foot up 141 bales, against 1 bale for same date last year.

About 300 excursionists arrived this morning from along the line of the W. & W. R. R this side of Goldsboro.

Dr. J. T. Schonwald has rented an office on South Front street, and will resume the practice of his profession in this city.

Dr. A. J. DeRosset offers for rent two valuable stores on North Water street, right in the heart of the business section of the city.

Driftwood has again collected at the iron bridge which crosses the Cape Fear river at Meares' Bluff and the steam tug *Marie* is at work clearing it away.

The Chadbourn *Times* has resumed publication. We welcome its pleasant face once more and hope it has now come to stay.

Mr. Wm. A. Willson, Tax Collector and Treasurer, notifies the tax payers of this city that lists of real and personal property for 1887 are now in his hands for collection of taxes.

We would advise all our readers in need of shirts, to stops at the Wilmington Shirt Factory and get the best white shirts in the land at 75 cents. J. ELSBACH, Prop., 27 Market street.

Mr. John R. Melton has some very fine beef cattle this week, which comes from Onslow county. It will be offered on his stalls to-morrow and Saturday, along with a lot of other fine meats, veal, mutton, lamb &c.

A challenge race took place yesterday, at Wrightsville, over the usual course, between the *Mabel*, Capt. A. M. Waddell, Jr., and the *Sprite*, Capt. A. J. Flanner. It was a spirited contest, the *Mabel* winning by just 30 seconds.

The receipts of cotton at this port for the crop year which ended yesterday were the largest known in the history of the city, with one exception. This was the year 1882, when they amounted to 137 341 bales, just 3,034 bales more than were received here last year.

Col. Jno. L. Cantwell, Secretary of the Produce Exchange, enjoys the well-earned reputation of being one of the most careful and correct statisticians in the city. He seldom makes an error. During the past day or two he has revised his entire reports for the past twelve months and has not found one error in them.

Indications

For North Carolina, fair weather, and East to South winds, except Easterly winds on the coast, and stationary temperature.

Sudden Death.

Mr. J B. Burns, a well known citizen of Wadesboro, and for many years proprietor of a hotel in that town, died suddenly, of apoplexy, on Monday. He was taken early in the morning, about 6 o'clock, and died at 1 p m.

Headquarters for base ball supplies is at Heinsberger's. †

Railroad Elections.

It is expected that the Board of Commissioners in Pender county, and also in Onslow county, at their regular meeting next Monday will order elections on the question of a subscription to the W., O. & E. C R R., the former for Grant township and the latter for Onslow county at large. The amounts on which the vote will be taken will be $40 000 for Grant township and $60 000 for Onslow county. The friends of the measure in the two counties seem confident that they can carry the election if they can get the matter before the people.

City Court.

The first case called was that of Frank Tellair, for discharging a pistol in the city limits. He was found guilty and fined $5.

Jack Simmons, a tramp, was ordered below for 10 days.

Bur Quince, another tramp received the same sentence.

Two men charged with disorderly conduct were found guilty and ordered below for 3 days.

Edward Edwards was next arraigned for assault and battery. He was adjudged guilty and ordered below for 20 days.

Charles Smith, drunk and down, case continued.

One unlicensed dog case was disposed of in the usual way and then the Court stepped down and out.

Personal

Mr. James H. Chadbourn, Jr., of Columbus county, is in the city to day.

Prof M C. S. Noble and Mrs. Noble are in Selma, on a visit to the Professor's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wagner, of Kinston, are in the city, the guests of Mr. E. W. Hewlett.

Rev. D. C. Kelly, of this city, has been elected pastor of Olive Baptist Church at Greenville Sound.

Mr. L. H. Meares left here last night for a pleasure trip of a week or two in the Western part of the State.

Mr. Leopold Brunhild returned to the city last night after a visit of two months to relatives and friends in Germany.

We were pleased to receive visits today from Messrs. R. D. Holt and N. G Price, of Goldsboro. They came down with the excursionists this morning and will return to-night.

Messrs. Dick & Meares, the enterprising clothiers on North Front street, have added a customs made department to their business and last night Mr. W. E Smith, of Petersburg, an experienced cutter, arrived here to take charge of it.

Police Arrests in August.

The records of the Police Department show that ninety four arrests were made during the month. Of this number, twenty four were white males, fifty seven colored males and thirteen colored females. The causes of the arrest were—disorderly conduct, 19; drunk and disorderly, 6; drunk, disorderly and resisting police, 4; fighting and resisting officer, 2: fighting and disorderly, 6; throwing stones in streets, 9; stoning police and rescuing prisoner, 3; common nuisance, 1; insulting policeman while in discharge of duty, 1; arsested on suspicion, 2; drunk and down, 4; affray, 1; assault, 4; assault and battery, 3; keeping unlicensed dog, 11; larceny, 6; blockading streets, 2; asleep on street, 6; nuisance, 1; tramp, 1; discharging weapon in city limits, 1; lunacy, 1.

Exports in August.

The total value of foreign exports from this port for the month of August is $103,710; as compiled from the books at the Custom House, is as follows:

French West Indies—Lumber, 725,000 feet, valued at $11,896.

Germany—Rosin, 2,904 barrels, valued at $3,239.

England—Rosin, 5,216 barrels, valued at $5,438; spirits turpentine, 145 884 gallons, valued at $43 614.

British West Indies—Lumber, 272,000 feet valued at $4 772; shingles, 52,000, valued at $157.

Hayti—Lumber 92,000 feet, valued at $1,170; shingles, 70 000, valued at $390.

Russia—Rosin, 3,850 barrels, valued at $4 126.

Porto Rico—Tar, 40 barrels, value $80; pitch, 20 barrels, value $35; lumber, 191,000 feet, value $2,743.

Ireland—Rosin, 922 barrels, value $750; spirits turpentine, 109 016 gal. value $35 000.

To-Day's Fire.

At 12 15 o'clock to-day an alarm of fire was sent in from box 35, corner Eighth and Market streets. The fire was discovered to be on the roof of a one story frame building, No. 19 Dock street, owned and occupied by Ellen Anderson, colored. The only damage was the burning of a few shingles. The fire department were promptly on hand but their services were not required.

Cheap Ice.

Messrs W. E Worth & Co. have gone back to first principles and will hereafter sell ice, delivered, at one-half cent per pound, when taken in quantities not less than 10 pounds at each delivery. They are enabled to do this from the fact that they will increase the capacity of their factory to 50 tons per day. Rates for larger quantities than 10 pound delivery will be found in advertisement in this issue.

Harbor Master's Report.

From the books of Capt. Joseph Price, Harbor Master at this port, we get the following report of arrivals for the month of August:

American—Steamers, 5; tonnage 4,527; brigs, 1; tonnage, 328; schooners 14; tonnage, 4,196; total American, 20 vessels and 9,051 tons.

Foreign—Barques, 5; tonnage, 2,065; brigs 2, tonnage, 463; total foreign 7 vessels and 2,528 tons.

A grand total of 27 vessels and 11,579 tons.

Meteorological.

Mr. F. P. Chaffee, Signal Officer at this point, reports as follows for the month of August: Mean barometer 29.946; highest, 30 17, on the 9th; lowest, 29.51, on the 24th; mean temperature 77.4; highest, 95, on the 13th; lowest, 55.6; on the 30th; monthly range, 39.4; greatest daily range, 22; on the 31st; least do. 5 6, on the 24th; mean daily do. 14.4; mean dew point 73.6; mean daily relative humidity, 86; prevailing direction of wind, S. W.; total movement of wind, 5,115; highest velocity, direction and date, 28, N. E., on 19th; total precipitation, 9 88 inches; clear days, 11; fair days, 16; cloudy days, 4; thunder storms on the the 13th, 16th, 18th and 27th.

More Mail Facilities.

A movement is on foot, started by a prominent commission house in this city, looking to the establishment of a night way mail on the Carolina Central R. R. in addition to the day mail now in existence. A petition to the Postmaster General was circulated today and extensively signed here and blank copies have been sent to various points on the road, suggesting that the people there sign it also. The mail asked for is a matter of great importance to the business interests of this city, as well as those of residents along the line between this city and Charlotte, and we believe that it will be established.

Cotton.

The new cotton crop year begins with to-day. The receipts at this port for the year 1886 foot up 134,307 bales, as against 101,537 bales for 1885, an increase of 32,770 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1885, were 94,054 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1884, were 91,701 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1883, were 128,621 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1883, were 137,341 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1881, were 115,316 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1880, were 78,889 bales.

Receipts for the crop yea ended August 31, 1879, were 108,518 bales.

Beceipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1878, were 123,374 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1877, were 113,461 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ended August 31, 1876, were 83 420 bales.

Receipts for the crop year ending August 31, 1888, will be——how much did you say?

An Unrivalled Record.

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 published to the Editor.

Communications must be written on one side of the paper.

Personalities must be avoided;

And it is especially and particularly to be noted that the Editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents whose articles appear in the editorial columns.

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