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OUTLINES.

Russia gained the advantage at Kars; the Turks lost enormously; the Russians lost considerably. —— It is thought that war between Roumania and Turkey is imminent. —— Great loss in the Russian advance from fever and fatigue. —— Egypt does not seem willing to support Turkey. —— Fort Nicholas is being bombarded. —— Turkish posts on the Asiatic frontier have surrendered without resistance. —— N. C. Musselman, President of the Union Banking Company, Philadelphia, is charged with embezzlement. —— Coffee has advanced at Rio. —— At Patterson, N. J., a carriage returning from a funeral was struck by an engine by which three were killed, two fatally wounded, and both horses killed. —— Russians contradict their reported losses before Batoum. —— The Turks deny their defeat before Kars. —— Blockade of Black Sea may be declared at any moment. —— Three Turkish monitors bombarding Ibrail, drew off on account of heavy Russian fire. —— Rev. Dr. John Miller acknowledges he does not believe in the trinity or the immortality of the soul. —— New York markets: Money 2@2½ per cent; gold 106¼@107; cotton steady at 11½@11¼ cents; rosin quiet at $1 95@2 05; spirits turpentine dull at 32 cents.

Latest By Mail.

Washington Notes.

WASHINGTON, May 2.

There is no truth in the report that the Cabinet is in favor of changing the time agreed upon for the meeting of Congress to the 15th of June. The proclamation will be issued next Friday. Senator Edmunds expressed the opinion that the session will be a very long one, unless the leaders on both sides agree previously to pass the appropriation bills and adjourn.

Southern members say that the army bill will be fought in the House, and that it will not pass unless the Republicans consent to reduce the army by several thousands.

The number of applicants from Ohio for consulships is increasing.

The President has intimated that he thinks that the State has its full quota of officers.

The Permanent Centennial.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2.

From present indications there will be a large attendance of distinguished people at the opening of the permanent exhibition on the 10th instant. In addition to the President and family, the Cabinet and leading government officials, ex-President Grant and others, there will be a large and brilliant gathering of the representatives of foreign Governments.

There will also be present the Governors of many of the States, particularly New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, and quite a number of gentlemen from the various States prominent in the arts and sciences.

Disgruntled Republicans.

NEW YORK, May 2.

The Rochester *Chronicle*, the leading Republican organ in Western New York, says: "We are in receipt of numerous letters from Republicans in regard to the Southern policy of the President, and we are frank to say that neither in conversation nor in correspondence have we found, throughout this section of the State, any universal commendation of that policy. It is acquiesced in—it is accepted as an experiment—it is taken on trial—it is received with tremulous hope at the best. Often it is bitterly denounced, being esteemed a surrender of principle."

New Market Races.

LONDON, May 2.

The principal event of the New Market spring meeting, the race for the 2,000 guinea stakes, was run today, one mile and seventeen yards, and was won by the favorite, Chainant, coming in first, with Sanford's American horse Brown Prince second, and Silvio third.

The Fish Hatching.

[Raleigh News.]

Col. L. L. Polk, Commissioner of Agriculture, returned yesterday from a visit to the scene of the fish hatching on the Neuse. The force of young men who had been taken to learn the business was discharged, with the exception of seven, and one of the hatching stations was abolished, reducing the number to three. The drawing of the seines will henceforth be conducted at night instead of daylight, as the ripe spawners run at night, very few being caught in daylight. It is now in contemplation not to establish hatcheries in any other river of the State than the Neuse, but to supply all the other rivers from this, it being considered that the other streams can be stocked just as effectually by this means, and at far less expense, since the transferring of all the hatching material and force from stream to stream will necessarily be attended by considerable outlay, and the department is compelled, on account of the limited means at its command, to make its expenditures as light as possible.

The Late Col. Nethercutt.

[Magnolia Record.]

I would like to call the attention of the people of Duplin and Jones counties to the fact that the remains of Col. J. H. Nethercutt, Colonel of the 66th N. C. T., lie in the churchyard in Trenton, without even a board to mark the spot. The Federal soldiers destroyed nearly all his property during the war out of mere wantonness. When he was murdered his widow and children were left without anything, his estate being insolvent. Will not Duplin, his birthplace, and Jones, his adopted county, come forward and rescue the last resting place of this, their noble son, from oblivion. I do not ask that a monument be erected, though he deserves it as much as any who fought so gallantly in the late war—but only that a slab be placed at his grave and a fence built around it. Will not the leading men of Duplin and Jones counties come forward and aid in rescuing from neglect the last resting place of their distinguished son, Col. John Hussey Nethercutt?—*J. B. S.*

"McAden vs. the Great Western Railroad."

[Charlotte Observer.]

The case of "McAden vs. the Great Western Railroad," which was announced in our telegrams yesterday morning as having been decided by the Supreme Court of the United States in favor of the latter, is "McAden, as trustee, vs. the Western Railroad," commonly called the Fayetteville Road. Several years since this company executed a mortgage to R. R. McAden and others, as trustees: It having refused to pay the interest on the mortgage, one Howell, a bondholder, filed a bill to foreclose the mortgage. In the Circuit Court of the United States, in session at Raleigh, about three years ago, Chief Justice Waite, decided against the mortgage and in favor of the railroad company. Howell appealed; and as stated the decision was reversed, and R. Y. McAden and others are allowed to sell the road, unless the mortgage debt is paid. It is said that the road is fully able to pay these debts.

Spirits Turpentine.

— Clinton is slowly rising from its ashes.

— Newbern will celebrate Memorial Day.

— Trenton is to have a grand picnic on the 21st.

— Heavy frost at Goldsboro Wednesday morning.

— The measles prevail in some sections of Sampson.

— The late Wm. H. Finch was insured for $20,000.

— The Episcopal Convention meets at Charlotte on May 30.

— University commencement on the 6th and 7th of June.

— The Raleigh Methodist ladies made $50 by their dime party.

— The Weldon Minstrels have sent $10 to the dear little orphans.

— Jones county farmers are very backward in their farming operations.

— The whortleberry crop will be immense. Bring out your sugar and cream.

— The Episcopal ladies of Wadesboro secured $45 by a recent "dime party."

— Capt. Hardy O'Connor, an aged and highly esteemed citizen of Trenton, is dead.

— The Charlotte Fire Department cost $9,224 88 for the year ending May 1, 1877.

— The prisoners in the Concord jail made an unsuccessful attempt to escape.

— Anson folks do not marry fast. Last month two white couples, and five blacks.

— Raleigh is still improving. Many new residences are in process of erection.

— The first suit growing out of the new stock law in Mecklenburg has come off.

— Richmond Superior Court will meet next Monday. Ninety cases on criminal docket.

— Rev. Dr. Armitage, a very eminent Baptist minister of New York, is to preach at Charlotte next Sunday.

— Charlotte had an enthusiastic "cotton factory meeting" on May 1st. Another meeting will be held on Saturday.

— Mary, the youngest daughter of Gov. Holden, and Mr. Claudius A. Sherwood, of Raleigh, were married on the 2nd inst.

— Friends in Raleigh send the orphans $35. The Ladies' Centennial Banner Committee also send $43 64. Help the orphans.

— The Presbytery at South River Chapel, Bladen county, convened Thursday, April 19th, and adjourned Sunday following.

— A tramp entered Mr. P. Cruise's house in Cabarrus, and robbed it of money and clothes. He was overhauled, and made to disgorge.

— *Robesonian*: Rev. Ira T. Wyche, who has been sick for several weeks past, is, we are glad to see, able to travel again.

— The good people of Shoe Heel have held a concert for the Oxford Orphans, raising thereby the snug little sum of $50. A good example, Next.

— Magnolia *Record*: Rev. Mr. Miller, Episcopal clergyman, of Baltimore, now on a visit to friends at Richlands, preached in the Methodist church at that place on the 22d ult.

— Magnolia *Record*: The union meeting of the Eastern Association, which met with the church at Warsaw on the 27th ult., was a very full one. A large number of ministers were present.

— Thirty-five dollars have been sent to the orphans, as a part of the proceeds of an entertainment given by Mr. H. D. Cope, at Fayetteville, under the patronage of Cumberland Lodge.

— Look out for that scamp and imposter, "Prof. Eppyniticus," who pretends to be giving exhibitions for the Oxford orphans. He is a first class fraud, and his very name excites one ni-ti-cus.

— *Robesonian*: At a meeting of the citizens held last Monday night, the following ticket was nominated: For Mayor—L. C. Thompson. For Commissioners—A. W. Fuller, J. R. Britt, A. S. Rowland, J. S. McNeill.

— Two brothers by the name of Vaughan, living in Anson, got whiskey full, and then began to cut each other with knives. The *Herald* says: "both were severely cut, and it is thought the wounds of one of them will prove serious."

— Magnolia *Record*: Farmers generally have good stands of corn. It has been too dry for cotton to come up till a few days ago. If all the cotton planted were in corn it would be a blessing to the proprietors and to the country, we think.

— *News*: The well-diggers, in cleaning out the well in Capitol Square, yesterday, found two iron-bound buckets, one white ruffled apron, a bunch of keys, one policeman's star and a lady's belt buckle. No feline or canine carcasses were discovered.

— Wilson *Express*: This section was visited by frost on yesterday morning, and we learn that young vegetables were considerable damaged. It is thought that a great many of our farmers will have to plant a large portion of their cotton over again, as the frost killed all that was up.

— Goldsboro *Messenger*: The Schultz-Edwards breach of promise case still hangs fire. Yesterday evening Judge Moore set aside the compromise upon affidavit filed by the plaintiff, and the case was re-opened. Joseph Edwards was required to enter into bond to the amount of $3,000. The affair is a sickening muddle.

— *News*: Union Factory, belonging to the Randleman Manufacturing Company, Randolph county, was struck by lightning last Sunday morning. The lightning struck the lapper room. Fortunately Messrs. Randlemen and Free, two of the owners of the factory, saw the lightning when it struck, and the flames were extinguished.

— Magnolia *Record*: A negro woman, in passing through the woods near Mr. Wright Gregory's, in Sampson county, on the 25th ult., accidentally or carelessly dropped a coal of fire which ignited and burned considerable woods, destroying some turpentine boxes and about two hundred panels of fence for Mr. Henry Colwell. Mr. Colwell's neighbors assembled at his house on the next day, and before night had his fence replaced.

— *News*: Henderson West, colored, was convicted of murder at the last term of Bertie court, and was sentenced to be hanged at Windsor on the 15th inst. His Excellency, Gov. Vance, yesterday commuted the sentence of the man to imprisonment in the penitentiary for the term of fifteen years, it having been made to appear that the case was one where executive clemency could properly be interposed. West had killed a man with a hoe.

— Magnolia *Record*: A fire occurred in Little Coharie township, Sampson county, on Sunday, the 22d ult., which destroyed the dwelling and all the other houses of Mr. Wm. Bullard, Jr. Not a single house was left standing. Mr. Bullard was absent, having gone to church in the neighborhood. Mrs. Bullard, with four or five small children, was at home, but was unable to procure assistance or to save anything scarcely. Loss $2,000. No insurance.

— Concord *Sun*: A postal card was received by a gentleman of our town, from a prominent lawyer of the Charlotte bar, last Wednesday, and after being submitted to the best and most learned heads of Concord for interpretation, it was voted to be a copy of ancient Hebrew hieroglyphics, sent over here, perhaps, as a curiosity. It had a bold line down at the bottom, which looked like "*R. Banunegr*," who was probably chief of the Hebrew army, as the card was dated about the time of the Hebrew war.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HEINSBERGER—Organs.
MUNSON & Co—Flannel suits, &c.
JOHN W. ATKINSON—Caution notice.
ANNUAL meeting Gas-Light Company.
PARKER & TAYLOR—Water coolers, &c.
JAS. C. STEVENSON—Reduction in butter.

Local Dots.

— Cautionary signals are ordered for this port to-day.

— There were no cases for trial before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning

— The Wilmington Light Infantry was drilling and manœuvering on the streets last night.

— That new lightning-bug they've got in the telegraph office here is a Bragg pensman. The printers say they like his "style."

— We learn from Mr. Geo. Z. French that the late frosts were very light in the Rocky Point neighborhood and did no damage.

— We learn that Hon. A. S. Seymour will deliver the oration at the National Cemetery on the 30th of May, which is the Federal Memorial Day.

— We looked over our Norfolk exchanges for news of interest to our truck farmers, but could only find the following: "This weather will greatly damage the truckers."

— Falling barometer, southeast to southwest winds, increasing cloudiness and rain, with slightly lower or stationary temperature, are the indications for this section to-day.

— The starboard wheel came off a spring-cart on Front street late yesterday afternoon, but the driver clung vigorously to the larboard rail, the horse stopped and nobody was hurt.

— During the month of April four sick persons were admitted into the county hospital, two needy individuals were admitted into the poor-house and four paupers or tramps were sent to their respective homes.

— Judge Brooks, of the U. S. District Court, believes in having respectable juries to try cases before his court. We learn that he instructed the marshal, yesterday, not to summon any of the idlers about the court room, but to look for his jury elsewhere and get none but the best material.

Bellevue Cemetery—Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The first annual meeting of the stockholders of this company was held Wednesday night, President Bellamy in the chair:

The Secretary and Treasurer made his report, showing a balance in the Treasury. Original interments in Cemetery to date, 10; removals to Cemetery, 10; making a total of 20 now interred in the Cemetery. Report received and ordered on file.

The report of the President was received and ordered on file. That officer then declined a re-election and Capt. E. W. Manning was elected in his stead.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring President for the zeal manifested and for the general and uniform satisfaction he has given.

The following Board of Directors was thereupon elected by acclamation: J. D. Bellamy, Jr., James Bagley, Peter H. Smith, Aug. H. Morris, J. C. Borneman, Ephraim Wescott and James H. McGarrity.

It was ordered that the stockholders instruct the Directors to draw up a resolution of thanks to Hon. V. V. Richardson for obtaining a charter for the company and that the retiring President and Secretary sign the same.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors Mr. Geo. A. Peck was elected Vice President and Mr. John S. McEachern re-elected Secretary and Treasurer.

Memorial Day—List of Marshals.

We have been furnished with the following list of Marshals for Memorial Day, Thursday, the 10th inst.:

Chief Marshal—Capt. Jno. T. Rankin.

Assistant Marshals—Captains James I. Metts, E. A. Mafflit, George Sloan and T. J. Southerland and Messrs. J. H. Boatwright, B. F. White, Preston Cumming, G. J. Boney, John Scott, J. W. Woolvin and B. A. Hallett.

In addition to the above, we are requested to publish the following card from the Marshal-in-Chief, which explains itself, and, we hope, will have the effect of swelling the ranks on Memorial day:

The Ladies Memorial Association have requested the undersigned as Marshal to extend an invitation to all organizations, civic and military, and schools and all other persons who sympathize with and have heretofore participated in the annual memorial celebration, to join them in procession and assist in the ceremonies on Thursday next, the tenth day of May.

JNO. T. RANKIN, Marshal.

Laurinburg Items

Millie Leach, a colored girl 14 years of age, fell into a trance Sunday morning, since which time she has not spoken a word. The colored people say she is under deep conviction and expect to hear wonders when she awakes.

A quarrel between Zack Pearson and Mr. Wesley Roper, both living over the border, resulted in the latter receiving a severe wound with a pistol.

Laurinburg will soon have a new Methodist church, which, when fully completed, will be quite an ornament to the place.

The Presbyterians have recently renovated their church building at this place. Some one has wisely said that "strangers judge a people by the appearance of their churches." In the last two years this place has doubled itself.

Alex. Register, the train hand mashed so badly, referred to in the STAR a few days since, is doing better than expected. The Doctors gave him up after he had bled about a gallon.

Rather Cool.

Justice VanAmringe, for the Board of County Commissioners, sent a pauper from the County Poor House a few days since, giving him transportation as far as Goldsboro' and requesting the Mayor of that place to pass him on towards his destination, his home being in one of the neighboring States. Yesterday the 'Squire received a telegram from Goldsboro', which, after paying the charges, he opened and was surprised to find that it was from the pauper aforesaid, being couched in words something like the following:

"The Mayor refuses to send me any further. What shall I do?"

The 'Squire is still debating as to whether duty requires him to send the amount of the man's fare from Goldsboro' to Weldon. Possibly he may do so.

Visitors from the Far West.

We would remind our merchants and business men generally that quite a large number of Western merchants will leave Cincinnati for an excursion through Virginia and North Carolina on or about the 9th inst. They will probably reach here about the 12th or 15th inst. The object of their trip will be the establishment of business relations between the merchants of this section and the West, and our business men should see to it that they suffer for no lack of information as to the business facilities of Wilmington, &c. Let them be warmly received and hospitably treated.

U. S. District Court.

In this Court yesterday the day was consumed in the trial of petty cases of violations of the internal revenue, in selling whiskey and tobacco without the necessary license. There were six or seven convictions during the day, but there are a large number of cases yet to be disposed of.

The Grand Jury have thus far returned nine true bills.

The Orphans.

Mr. B. F. Hall, of the firm of Hall & Pearsall, of this city, writes as follows to the last *Orphan's Friend*: "Seeing through the papers some account of the low state of the Asylum exchequer I herewith hand you our check for fifty dollars, which you will please use for the benefit of the orphans."

Admiral Hobart Pacha—A Lucky Blockade Runner.

Admiral Hobart Pacha, of the Turkish navy, whose exploit in running by the Russian batteries at Galatz, has been mentioned in some of the Washington dispatches, was well known in Wilmington during the late war, under the name of Captain Hobart, who commanded the *Virginia*, and was considered one of the most successful blockade runners who made their way into Wilmington and other Southern ports during the great civil struggle.

The New York *Herald* gives the following sketch of the career of the Admiral:

Admiral Hobart was a captain in the British navy, and took advantage of a leave of absence granted him by the English government to go into the blockade running business for Collie & Co. When this matter came to the knowledge of the Lords of the Admiralty, he was suspended from his rank in the British navy. Thereupon he entered the Turkish service, and, besides being invested with the rank of admiral, was made a pacha by an imperial firman. He next became conspicuous in checking the rebellion in Crete, where his knowledge of the blockade running business was of great service to him in preventing the Greeks from furnishing supplies of arms and ammunition to the insurgents. By a subsequent decree in council of the Lords of the Admiralty, he has been restored to his rank and number in the British navy.

Got Himself into Trouble.

A party from Robeson County was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Cassidey, yesterday morning, on the charge of attempting to bribe a witness against him in a case for violating the Internal Revenue laws, it being alleged that he forced a ten dollar bill into the witness's hand and told him that when he was called before the Grand Jury he must swear to a statement which he had previously instructed him to make. During the examination, in the opinion of the Commissioner, the fact of a clear case of perjury was developed against the prosecuting witness, whose name is Jack Noble, upon which the charge of bribery was dismissed and Noble was ordered to give bond in the sum of $200 for his appearance at the present term of the District Court, to answer to the charge of perjury, in default of which he was committed to jail.

The Algerians.

The Algerians, or Arabs, as they call themselves, have returned to the city again, Dr. Winants, on whose land they have been working, having found that the work is not suited to them or that they are not suited to the work. They appear to be in very bad health and are really not able to perform much work. It is to be hoped that some steps will be taken to start them on their way to their far off homes on the Mediterranean. Two of them are said to be in an advanced stage of consumption.

Thermometer Record.

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4.35 yesterday evening, Washington mean time, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city:

Augusta	78	Montgomery	77
Charleston	74	New Orleans	76
Corsicana	68	Norfolk	59
Galveston	75	Punta Rassa	77
Indianola	77	Savannah	75
Jacksonville	81	St. Marks	75
Key West	78	Wilmington	65
Mobile	76		

Dramatic Entertainments.

The first of the dramatic entertainments to be given at Smithville for the benefit of St. Philip's Church, under the management of Col. Pennington, will take place, this evening. The steamer *J. S. Underhill* will leave her wharf in this city at 3 P. M., and persons wishing to attend can get return tickets for one dollar, good until Monday next.

The Excursionists.

The excursionists who arrived here Tuesday night on the Carolina Central road leave this morning for their western homes. We are glad to learn that they were well pleased with their trip, which included a visit to the sea-shore, sounds, &c.

— New Irish potatoes are getting quite plentiful in market. One of the printing fraternity informed us several days since, that he had dined on Irish potatoes, snap-beans and cabbage from his own garden.

— During the month of April just closed fifteen bodies were interred in the pauper's burial ground near this city, which is larger than the usual average. All the parties were colored.

THE PILOT FUND.

The following subscriptions to the fund for the relief of the families of the lost pilots have been received at this office:

T. M. A.	$2 00
A member of St. John's Parish, thro' Rev. Geo. Patterson	5 00
E. Kidder & Sons	50 00
A lady, through Dr. E. A. Anderson	5 00
Two Ladies, through Mrs. C. G. K.	3 00
Mrs. H. Webb	10 00

Quarterly Meetings.

Second round of appointments for the Wilmington District of the Methodist E. Church South, as made by Rev. W. S. Black, Presiding Elder:

Wilmington, Front Street	May	5–6
Topsail, at Herring's Chapel	May	12–13
Cokesbury and Coharie Mission	May	19–20
Clinton, at Johnson's Chapel	May	26–27
Kenansville	June	2–3

Appointments by Bishop Atkinson for his Spring Visitation.

Zion Church, Beaufort county	May	5
Washington, " "	"	6
Jamesville	"	9
Williamston, (Ascension day)	"	10
Hamilton	"	11
Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, Sunday after Ascension	"	13

Collections in behalf of Diocesan Missions will be made at each place.

Bishop Lyman's Appointments.

May 3. Thursday, Williamsboro.
May 4. Friday, Sassafras Forks.
May 6. Sunday, Oxford.
May 8. Tuesday, Goshen.
May 9. Wednesday, P. M., Franklinton.
May 10. Ascension Day, Louisburg.
May 12. Saturday, A. M., Warrenton.
May 13. Sunday, A. M., Ridgeway.
May 13. " P. M., Warrenton.
May 15. Kittrell's.

What is home without a baby? Many children have coughs and colds just now, and should have the greatest care, and a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. †

CITY ITEMS.

TO USE IS TO RECOMMEND.—Gourand's Olympian Cream, unique in appearance and in action upon the skin, harmless, and of singular delicacy, conveys no idea of artificial appliance. For sale by J. C. Munds.

BOTH PRUDENCE AND AMBITION concur in urging honest men to do the best possible thing, each in his own line of business. It is this feeling which has made DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER the best in the market. The cans are always full weight, and the contents chemically pure and most skilfully compounded.

All nervous, exhausting and painful diseases speedily yield to the curative influences of Pulvermacher's Electric Belts and Bands. They are safe, simple, and effective, and can be easily applied by the patient himself. Book, with full particulars, mailed free. Address PULVERMACHER GALVANIC Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

BOOK BINDERY.—THE MORNING STAR Book Bindery does all kinds of Binding and Ruling in a workmanlike manner, and at reasonable prices. Merchants and others needing Receipt Books, or other work, may rely on promptness in the execution of their orders.

TRANSFER PRINTING-INKS.—Invaluable to railroad companies, steamship companies, banks, merchants, manufacturers and others. They are enduring and changeless, and will copy sharp and clear for an indefinite period of time. Having just received a fresh supply of these inks, we are prepared to execute orders promptly and at moderate prices.

OVER 2,400,000 SAMPLE BOTTLES OF BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP have been distributed *free of charge* in this country to those afflicted with Consumption, severe Coughs, Pneumonia, and other Throat and Lung diseases, as a proof of its wonderful quality in curing these dreaded diseases. The demand for this medicine is immense. Regular size 75 cents. Three doses will relieve any case.

DIED.

STOKELEY.—In this city, on the 3d instant, JAMES WALTER, infant son and only child of J. W. and A. J. Stokeley, aged four months.

"The blest angelic legion
Spread their pinions o'er it,
That little pearl which shone
With lustre all its own;
And thus on high they bore it,
Where glory has its birth—
But left the shell on earth."

The funeral will take place this (Friday) morning, at 10½ o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Owens, on 6th Street, between Red Cross and Campbell, and from thence to Oakdale.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a regular meeting of Live Oak Lodge, No. 207, I. O. G. T., of Smithville, N. C., held May 1st, 1877, the following Preamble and Resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, it seems no longer a matter of doubt that the Pilot-Boat, MARY K. SPRUNT, has been wrecked at sea, and all her crew lost; and, whereas Brothers CHARLES DOSHER, C. O. TINNER and F. GILLESPIE, members of this Lodge, were among those who met a watery grave; therefore, be it resolved,

1st. That we learn with deep sadness of the untimely death of our Brothers, and while yielding in humble reverence to this wise dispensation of an all-wise Providence, we shall ever cherish for them an affectionate remembrance and brotherly esteem.

2nd. That in the death of these Brothers the Temperance cause has lost some of its strongest advocates, Live Oak Lodge some of her brightest and most zealous members, and our community is deprived of some of its most active and promising citizens.

3rd. That we deeply sympathize with the families of the deceased in their sore bereavement; and while sorrowing may we learn the uncertainty of life, and put our trust in a merciful God who doeth all things well.

4th. That appropriate memorial services be held in the Methodist Church, at Smithville, on next Sunday night, 6th inst., that the usual mourning badge be worn, and the Lodge Hall be draped in mourning twenty days.

5th. That these resolutions be spread upon our journal, and a copy be furnished to the families of the deceased, and to the WILMINGTON STAR for publication.

J. W. RANDLE,
W. J. POTTER,
W. J. SCROGGS,
WM. S. DOSHER, } Committee.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the "WILMINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY" will be held at the Company's Office, on MONDAY, the 7th inst., at 10 A. M.

RICHARD J. JONES,
my 4-2t Sec'y and Treasurer.

Water Coolers,

REFRIGERATORS AND ICE CREAM FREEZERS,
For sale at
PARKER & TAYLOR'S,
my 4-tf 19 Front Street.

We are Offering

SPLENDID FLANNEL SUITS At LESS than New York Prices.
ELEGANT COL'D SILK TIES only 25c.
BEST WAMSUTTA SHIRTS, All Complete, only $1 25 each.
my 4-1t MUNSON & CO.

Caution.

ALL PERSONS ARE FORBID, UNDER PENalty of law, from buying or selling any part of the wreck or property of the SCHOONER CHARLES E. ELMER, recently stranded near Topsail Sound; and Wreckers and Salvors of said Schooner are requested to present to me at once a statement of property saved, that I may pay to them the proper salvage thereon.

JOHN WILDER ATKINSON,
Agent of Owners, and of
my 4-3t Board of Underwriters.

ORGANS.

A LARGE LOT OF FINE REED AND PIPE TOP ORGANS JUST RECEIVED,
MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,
NEW ENGLAND ORGANS,
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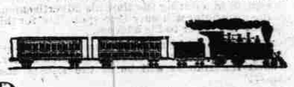

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