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OUTLINES.

Austrian and Hungarian Ministers have at last agreed upon a compromise; it will be submitted to Parliament for ratification. —English-Indian troops are to be landed at Port Said and Suez —Admiral Hornby, with four iron-clads, is expected at Port Said to-day. —Great excitement prevails in Egypt. —Turkish Ministers have had a long interview with Gen. Todleben. —Another revolution is threatened at Constantinople; the conspirators are only waiting for the Russians to leave. —English influence is believed to be uppermost in the councils of the Sultan. —A majority of the Pashas and all of the State Ministers are against the Sultan; the people are sullen and discontented. —The Porte says Varna and the other places cannot be evacuated until the Russians retire. —An enormous fire is raging at Manchester, England. —A vote to suspend the rules to reduce the tax on tobacco, failed. —A portable engine exploded at Memphis, killing one and wounding five. —The Committee on Labor and Education have agreed upon a bill to restrict Chinese immigration. —The prices of prints have improved —The Supreme Court of Louisiana has decided the great bond case in favor of the New Orleans Pacific Railroad. —Prussian priests receiving government stipends in Germany are asked by Cardinal Caterini either to renounce their salaries or declare their opposition to the ecclesiastical May law. —Advices from Adrianople report continued fighting about Haskoi, in which district twenty-one Mahommedan villages have been destroyed. —Sir W. V. Harcourt questioned the right of the Government to employ Indian troops without consent of Parliament. —New York markets: Money 5 per cent; gold 100⅝@100¾; cotton dull and nominal at 10⅛@10¼ cents; flour heavy and declining, Southern $5@7 25; wheat opened firm and closed heavy; corn ½@1c lower; spirits turpentine steady at 29½@30 cents; rosin dull at $1 52½.

The Boston *Commercial Bulletin*, a very large paper, has seven columns of failures and suspensions in fine type. There is not a North Carolina name amongst them.

Hewitt, of New York, voted against appropriating $185,000 to re establish the mint at New Orleans. Some how many Northern Democrats do not like to vote money if it is to be used in the South.

Six ocean steamers left New York last Saturday for Europe. One left for Brazil. The latter took out 16,000 barrels of flour and 4,000 barrels of merchandise of various kinds. The time will come not long hence, we hope, when similar announcements can be made as to our Southern seaports.

From Washington.

[Special to Richmond Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, May 4.

GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR THE CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN.

The Republican Congressmen continue to make active and systematic preparations for the coming campaign, and no Senator is regarded as old enough or distinguished enough to be exempt from earnest work. They evidently appreciate the importance of the crisis, and know that they will have to carry the full weight of the Presidential frauds in the death struggle they intend to make in November to get control of the House. Under smiles the malignants among them conceal their hate of Hayes and his policy, and seem to have made a vow to be kind and conciliatory towards even Schurz for the time being.

WHAT THE DEMOCRATS ARE DOING.

The Democrats are at last waking up to the necessity of preparing vigorously for the campaign. They begin to understand that something else is needed besides the general charges that Robeson & Co. stole everything that came within their reach short of a saw-mill and a red-hot stove. I was glad to see that the joint campaign committee of the two Houses last night held a protracted session, and that Messrs. Randall, McDonald, Eaton, Banning, Wood, Reagan, Clarke of Missouri, Morrison, Jones of New Hampshire, Blackburn, Cockerille, Wallace and Hunton were present. They transacted some business that cannot be given to the public, but agreed that Ohio ought to be redistricted by the present Democratic Legislature, so as to relieve it of the gerrymander by which thousands of Democrats are deprived of representation in Congress. They also appointed an executive committee, consisting of Messrs. Blackburn, McDonald, Jones, and Hunton, to remain at Washington during the recess and attend to the conduct of the campaign. I asked one of the members of the joint committee about Florida, and he said: "You rest assured that it will be probed to the very bottom, so as to establish by reliable testimony the frauds which we have all along believed were perpetrated. These Florida frauds will be made an important chapter in the documents of the campaign, and the Radical who believes that the villainies perpetrated in Louisiana, Florida, and South Carolina are to be balanced by the foolery of Fitzhugh or shortcomings of Polk are indulging in a vain delusion."

THE BRAZILIAN MAIL STEAMERS.

The Senate Postoffice Committee has agreed, when the House postal appropriation bill comes up in the Senate, to offer an amendment to it providing for the establishment of lines of mail steamers from New York and New Orleans to Brazil. These steamers are to make semi-monthly trips, and receive $30 per mile per annum from the Government for carrying the mails. The Brazilian Government has made a liberal subsidy to establish a line of steamers to the United States, and is anxious to extend its trade relations with us. Of the $50,000,000 now imported by Brazil we only supply about $7,000,000.

OUR RELATIONS WITH MEXICO.

Mr. Schleicher's report, just printed, recommends the adoption by Congress of a joint resolution which provides for keeping not less than 2,000 infantry and 3,000 cavalry continually on the Mexican border in Texas. This is rendered necessary, it is recited, because robbers, murderers, and cattle-thieves cross from the Mexican side of the Rio Grande and perpetrate all manner of outrages on the American citizens. The military force provided for will be stationed between the mouth of the Rio Grande and El Paso. The crossing of the border by our troops in certain cases, as ordered by the President June 1, 1877, it is declared, is necessary for the protection of the lives of citizens. The following stipulations, the resolution says, should be secured by treaty with Mexico: 1st, indemnity for injuries and losses; 2d, the abolition of the free zone; 3d, provisions for the speedy trial and punishment of offenders; 4th, exemption of American citizens residing in Mexico from forced loans.

Bridging the Bloody Chasm.

[Special to Washington Post.]

NEW YORK, May 3.

Congressman A. M. Waddell, of North Carolina, delivered a lecture to-night in Steinway Hall, on "The Confederate Soldier," in response to the request of several thousand Union veterans. The proceeds were for disabled soldiers of the Forty-seventh New York Volunteers. The hall was about three-fourths filled. Among the persons who were present on the platform, which was decorated with flags, were Postmaster James, Thurlow Weed, and a number of officers from Governor's Island. The lecture was mainly historical in its character, closing with an eloquent peroration in which the speaker said that the South was doing its best to rebuild its former prosperity, and that the Confederate soldier, acknowledging the bravery of those of the North, only asked that the past be forgotten.

Spirits Turpentine.

— Revenue collections in Raleigh district last week $26,898 24.

— Clay county has declared for Smith, Schenck and Howard.

— There were twenty conversions in the Baptist revival at Statesville.

— Yadkin county crops reported as fine—the wheat crop specially so.

— The Raleigh *News* has cut down four columns. It is now a twenty-eight column paper.

— Messrs. Frank and Henry Fries, of Salem, leave on next Monday for an extended tour of Europe.

— R. A. Weaver and Thomas Elliott, esteemed citizens of Northampton county, are lately dead.

— Rockingham *Bee*: One of our best, newsiest exchanges is the Wilmington STAR. May it continue to twinkle.

— Raleigh handled 315 bales of cotton last week. Whole receipts for the year 242,667. Increase 1,182 since Sept. 1.

— There has been a long contest in Granville as to who is Sheriff. Judge Seymour has decided that B. F. Bullock is.

— Senator Merrimon proposes to have a post road established from Gatlington, *via* Reynoldston, to Buckland, in Gates county.

— As a result of the special religious services held in the Presbyterian Church at Washington, by the pastor, Rev. S. M. Smith, assisted by the Rev. L. C. Vass, of Newbern, thirty-six members were received at the regular April communion.

— Noah Cherry, Robert Thompson and Harris Atkinson have been found guilty of the murder of Worley and his wife, and been sentenced by Judge Kerr to be hanged at Goldsboro on June 14th, unless all hands petition that they shall be pardoned.

— Lumberton *Times*: Mr. Joivers, of Shoe Heel, Robeson county, didn't know his gun was loaded, so he pointed it in fun at a little negro boy to frighten him. He didn't frighten the boy so much, but he killed Mr. McKay, a very excellent young man, very dead.

— Weldon *News*: We notice a great many new houses going up in this future metropolis. —Eleven gentlemen of this county ate, with appropriate trimmings, sixty-five shad one day last week, and then they say that three of the party complained of their wives that night for not having supper early.

— Salisbury *Watchman*: We are pleased to see the press of the State give credence to R. A. Shotwell's statements in the controversy between him and Schenck. He has the sympathy of all who know anything of the circumstances. He is, in our opinion, a man of firm integrity and unflinching honesty—"*sans peur et sans reproche.*" He is North Carolina's noblest martyr!

— Charlotte *Observer*: Mention has been made several times recently in this paper of a proposition of a Norfolk company to move the large cotton compress which stood on Peters & Reed's wharf, in that city, to Charlotte. Mr. H. W. Edwards came to this city a few days ago to make arrangements for the location of the compress, and last night the machinery came in on the Carolina Central train. —The military companies of Yorkville and Chester went on an excursion to Gastonia, Wednesday, over the Narrow Gauge Railroad. They were accompanied by a number of people from both of these towns. Gastonia extended her usual hospitality. —An 80 foot two-story brick extension is to be built this summer to the store of Messrs. Burwell & Springs, Tryon and Fourth streets.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Meeting and drill Whiting Rifles.
Dr. G. K. BAGBY—Atlantic Hotel.
MEETING Hook & Ladder Company.
MITCHELL & SON—Damaged corn for sale
J. F. GARRELL—Ricefield hands wanted.
GILES & MURCHISON—Ice cream freezers.

Local Dots.

— The City Hall will be closed on Memorial Day at 1 o'clock.

— Messrs. W. D. Mahn and W. J. Mott comprise the County Executive Committee in the First Ward.

—Falling barometer, warmer southerly winds and partly cloudy weather, are the indications for this section to-day.

— Chief of Police Brock informs us that the new drive to Oakdale Cemetery will probably be completed this evening.

— There will be a meeting and drill of the Whiting Rifles this evening at their new Armory on Third street, opposite the City Hall.

— Mr. F. A. Lossman is about opening a grocery, ship stores and liquor establishment on the southwest corner of Market and Water streets.

— Bishop Atkinson administered the rite of confirmation to five persons at St. James' Church on Sunday morning, and to eight at St. Paul's Church on Sunday evening.

Meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club.

The regular annual meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club was held last night, persuant to notice, at the residence of Commodore Wm. A. Wright. A large number of members were present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Purser's report was received, approved and adopted.

An election of officers being entered into, resulted as follows:

Commodore—Wm. A. Wright.
Fleet Captain—O. A. Wiggins.
Flag Captain—E. E. Burruss.
Purser—John J. Fowler.
All of the above are re-elections.
Governing Board—I. B. Grainger, Walter Coney, John M. Cazaux.
Measurer—Wm. A. Wright, Jr.

Two new members were received, and one more yacht, the *Restless*, was enrolled in the yacht squadron.

Mr. H. Burkhimer then addressed the meeting in his usual happy manner, urging upon the members the necessity of one or more river races.

The meeting then adjourned.

MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BOARD.

After the adjournment of the meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club, the Governing Board held a meeting, and elected upon the Regular Committee Messrs. John J. Fowler, Norwood Giles and S. P. Cowan.

Upon the committee on Membership, Messrs. Charles D. Myers, George A. Peck and Berry Gleaves.

The annual dues were then established at $2 50, the same as last year. The meeting then adjourned.

Cape Fear Military Academy.

The following is the Roll of Honor for April. An average of 85 per cent. is required, to be enrolled. Class average 91.

Roll of 2nd Class.—Sergeant E. S. Alderman 95, Corporal J. W. Meares 95, H. D. Thompson 93, J. B. Hawes 94, Adjutant F. Lippitt 92, Lieutenant F. Manning 90, C. Conoley 88, Sergeant H. Freeman 88, G. H. Heyer 86, W. R. Morrison 86.

3rd Class; Class average, 87.—Bruce Cutlar 94, DuBrutz Poisson 90, J. B. Munson 90; D. French 88, Corporal Willie Parsley 88, J. Seavy 88, H. Gerken 88, J. Schonwald 87, W. N. Harriss 87, Sergeant J. Morrison 87, Henry Otten 86, Willie Howell 86, Robert Hewlett 86, Sergeant George Harriss 86, E. E. Thompson 86, S. Johnson 85, W. Thorburn 85.

4th Class; Class average 86.—F. B. Poisson 89, B. Southerland 89, C. F. Smith 88, S. Woody 88, Willie Grant 88, E. W. Manning 88, T. R. Southerland 88, Robt. Henning 87, P. Taylor 87, J. D. Strauss 87, Harry Boatwright 87, Charlie Clowe 86, Louis Bunting 86, Eddie Kelly 86, J. Hedrick 85, J. C. Heyer 85.

Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of Wilmington Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, held last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Col. Roger Moore.
Vice President—R. H. Beery.
Secretary—W. J. Gordon.
Treasurer—W. P. Toomer.
Foreman—R. H. Beery.
First Assistant—J. M. Cazaux.
Second Assistant—R. H. Grant.
Axemen—W. J. Gordon, J. H. Daniel, T. F. Tyler, R. F. Hamme, B. W. Dunham, T. G. Pickett.

Summary Justice.

On North Water street, in the vicinity of the Custom House, yesterday afternoon, a small colored boy cut a white boy in the hand with a knife. Officer Gordon was called upon to arrest the boy, but the father of the youth volunteered to give him justice, when he was allowed to take him into the back premises of a building near by, where the father gave the little fellow a severe thrashing, Officer Gordon seeing it well done. He was too young to be taken to the guard house, and thus the father was permitted to take the matter in his own hands.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Abstract of Proceedings in Regular Session.

The Board met in regular session yesterday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Sprunt, who was present by invitation in the matter of a nuisance complained of some time since, was requested to attend the next meeting, as Mr. Canaday, the other party interested, was not present.

Alderman Myers moved that when this meeting adjourn it adjourn to meet on Monday next, the 13th inst., at 4 o'clock.

Messrs. Cronly & Morris offered to take the tax list and make up and complete the book for 1878 for $350, which bid, on motion, was accepted.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Foster, and referred to the Finance Committee:

Resolved, That a bond and coupon book be kept in the Treasurer's office; that all coupons paid be entered therein in a manner to show date of payment and number and class of bonds from which clipped; that the Board of Audit and Finance be requested to turn over to the city employe making this register all cancelled coupons in their possession to be entered therein.

Alderman Foster offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Wilmington shall furnish the Finance Committee with a statement of the names of persons and corporations, and the amounts due on business or privilege tax and unpaid for the years 1876 and 1877.

The petition of Dr. Thomas, for permission to reshingle his office, was granted.

A petition for a lamp on Eighth and Dock streets, was granted.

Sundry other petitions were read and appropriately referred.

Several members of the Board of Aldermen being absent, under the motion of Alderman Myers, the Board adjourned to meet on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Run Over by the Hook and Ladder Truck.

During the excitement incident to the alarm of fire on Sunday afternoon a severe accident happened to a young man by the name of Henry Groves. It seems that himself and Mr. Thaddeus Tyler had hold of the front tillers of the Hook and Ladder Truck, which was on its way to the fire, drawn by the horse belonging to the company, and after running for some distance, becoming thoroughly exhausted from the rapidity with which the animal was travelling, Mr. Groves shouted to the driver to stop the horse, but there was so much noise at the time that he did not hear him. Finally he was completely overcome and fell to the ground, one of the front wheels passing over his breast and the rear one over his legs. As soon as the accident was known the truck was stopped and Mr. Groves was taken up and carried into the front porch of Mrs. Herring, who resides near where the unfortunate occurrence took place, which was on Ann, between Fifth and Sixth streets, but was soon afterwards removed in a carriage to the residence of the family on Fourth, between Dock and Orange streets. Three of our prominent physicians were called in and they announced that no bones were broken and that he had apparently received no internal injuries, though his breast and legs were very badly bruised. Fortunately, the accident occurred where the street was very sandy, and the body of the young man thus yielded to the weight of the truck as it passed over him, otherwise his injuries would doubtless have proved fatal. We learn that Mr. Groves' companion at the tillers was also exhausted and would have soon fallen if the truck had not been stopped. The horse, as we have once before had occasion to remark, is difficult to control when he is running to a fire, always going at his utmost speed.

The Clarkton Robbery—Capture of One of the Thieves and Burglars.

From a gentleman who arrived in this city last evening from Whiteville, and from Capt. Everett, of the Carolina Central Railway, we learn that Charles Hill, colored, was captured at Whiteville, on Saturday night last, with the watches and the bulk of the property stolen from Messrs. Clark & Currie, of Clarkton, Bladen county, alluded to in the STAR a few days since, in his possession. Hill at first refused to give his name, but finally confessed the deed, and gave his name as above. He said he had already served in the penitentiary for a similar crime. He implicated no one in the transaction but himself. He was arrested just before the Southern train left Whiteville, upon which he had made his arrangements to leave, having purchased his ticket.

Sheriff Haynes, of Columbus, left Whiteville with a *posse*, yesterday afternoon, in search of another party who was suspected, and of whose whereabouts on Sunday night he had definite information.

We shall doubtless be able to give fuller particulars of the capture of the burglars in our next issue.

U. S. Commissioner's Court.

A young white man by the name of Charles King had a hearing before U. S. Commissioner McQuigg, yesterday, on the charge of attempting to pass counterfeit money, knowing it to be such. The evidence was to the effect that the article in question was not really a coin, but a lead or pewter medal, about the size of a silver dollar, with some inscriptions on it. It was shown, however, that he made two attempts to pass it at the saloon of James Keagan, on Nutt street, first upon the proprietor himself, and subsequently upon his clerk. The Commissioner reserved his decision in the case until this morning. The defendant was first arrested by a policeman and taken to the guard house, but was afterwards given into the custody of U. S. Deputy Marshal Van Soelen, who had a warrant for his arrest.

County Commissioners.

The Board met yesterday morning in regular monthly session.

Bids for printing tax slips were opened, and the service was awarded to Jackson & Bell, as the lowest bidders.

Margaret Dahmer was granted license to retail malt liquors.

D. Towers and J. W. Moody were granted license to retail spirituous liquors for three months, on condition that they keep an orderly house.

Rev. John F. Hill was granted permission to build a small house of worship on the Poor House premises, on a site to be selected by the committee on Poor House.

Tax assessors for the various townships were appointed as follows:

Wilmington—John S. James.
Masonboro—John G. Wagner.
Harnett—A. A. Moseley.
Cape Fear—A. J. Grady.
Federal Point—Stephen Keyes.

The Clerk of the Board was instructed to forthwith notify assessors of their appointments, and request them to meet the Board of Commissioners as a Board of County Assessors on Wednesday, 15th inst., at 11 o'clock A. M., as required by law.

A communication from John Loftin relative to the action of the overseer in laying out a road to the Sound was referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Meeting of Pender County Magistrates.

The Board of Magistrates of Pender county met at Burgaw yesterday, the 6th inst., when Maj. C. W. McClammy was elected permanent Chairman, and T. H. McIntire permanent Secretary.

The Board then proceeded to the appointment of Registrars and Judges of Election for the different Townships.

The office of County Treasurer was abolished.

The question of Inferior Courts was referred to a committee of one from each Township, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

It was decided that a new registration was unnecessary.

The Board adjourned to meet on the first Monday in July.

Sunday's Storms.

A furious storm of wind, rain and hail, accompanied by thunder and lightning, passed over this city and vicinity on Sunday morning, between midnight and day. The wind at times was terrific, and many persons left their beds under the apprehension that the roofs of their houses might come rattling about their heads. Several trees were uprooted, broken branches scattered about the streets, fences prostrated, &c. The covering to the scuttle was blown from the top of the Opera House and landed in the City Hall yard. There appeared to be very little hail accompanying the storm hereabouts, but it was probably quite severe elsewhere in this immediate section, which was indicated in the decided change in the atmosphere during the day.

Sunday night, about 11 o'clock, after a day of unusual pleasantness, another storm burst upon us, accompanied by severe thunder and lightning and a considerable sprinkling of hail.

Since writing the above we are informed by E. F. Martin, mail carrier between this city and Jacksonville, Onslow county, that between Henry Batson's and Holly Shelter, in Grant Township, Pender county, for the space of a mile, a furious tornado swept through the woods early Sunday morning, and hardly left a tree standing, its range being about a half mile in width. It passed through a portion of the premises of a gentleman in that neighborhood, sweeping his bee-hives from their positions, but fortunately did not strike the house.

As Martin was coming along the road, on Sunday, he noticed a large tree prostrated across the government telegraph wire near the 20-mile post.

Good Templars.

"C. R. Spondent" writes us from Laurinburg that at a regular meeting of the Laurinburg Lodge No. 35, I. O. G. T., held Friday, May 3rd, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Thos. Gill, W. C. T.; Miss V. F. Hunter, W. R. H. S.; C. F. Rivenbark, W. L. H. S.; Miss Cora Watson, W. V. T.; C. C. Calais, W. C.; Philip J. Clark, W. S.; Col. J. T. Rosser, W. A. S.; L. N. Lucas, W. F. S.; Mrs. L. N. Lucas, W. T.; Fred. L. Hunter, W. M.; Miss Sallie Lucas, W. D. M.; G. W. Goodwyn, W. I. G.; Philip H. Casey, W. O. G.; T. T. Covington, P. W. C. T.

The Lodge is still flourishing, having initiated seventeen new members last term.

Stealing a Boat.

Henry Newkirk, colored, was arraigned before Justice Wagner, yesterday morning, charged with stealing a boat from Mr. Allen Byrd. It seems that the boat was stolen about daylight yesterday morning, and the owner subsequently found it hidden under a wharf in the neighborhood of the Gas House. The evidence was deemed sufficient to convict, and the defendant was ordered to give a justified bond in the sum of $100 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, in default of which he was committed to jail.

Lost on the Streets.

A small white boy was picked up on the streets yesterday, having become lost and being unable to tell any one where he lived or give the name of his father. He was taken to the City Hall, but it was subsequently ascertained that his father was named Rasberry, and that he resided in the neighborhood of Third and Wooster streets, when the little fellow was sent home.

The Fire on Sunday.

The alarm of fire Sunday afternoon, about 6 o'clock, was caused by the burning of a small frame building on the corner of Ninth and Ann streets, the property of Messrs. Northrop & Cumming. The house was unoccupied at the time, having been vacated a few days before, and was in an unfinished condition. The loss amounted to about $150 or $200. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is supposed by parties living in the neighborhood to have been caused by boys playing in the building. The fire department was out, but as the house was isolated, and the flames had attained too much headway for them to be of any service, they did not get a stream on the building.

Hook and Ladder Celebration.

Our friends of the Wilmington Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 will celebrate their anniversary to-day by a parade and truck practice in the afternoon and an anniversary supper at their Hall, on Fourth street, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Thanks to the committee, through Mr. W. J. Gordon, Secretary, for an invitation to be present.

Wilmington Gas Light Company.

The annual meeting of this company was held at the office of the Secretary and Treasurer, yesterday morning, when the following gentlemen, constituting the old Board, were re-elected for the ensuing year: Edward Kidder, Donald McRae, Dr. A. J. DeRosset, Geo. R. French, Z. Latimer, Wm. A. Wright and W. H. McRary.

Military.

There will be a battalion drill on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, in which the Wilmington Light Infantry, Whiting Rifles, and Companies A and B of the Cape Fear Military Academy, will participate. The battalion will be under command of Lt. Col. Jno. W. Gordon.

— The steamer *North State* was considerably damaged by the storm on Sunday morning, when about two miles above this city.

A Card.

EDITOR STAR: I will be obliged to you to withdraw my name from the list of Delegates to the Congressional Convention.

The Delegates to that Convention, *as announced by the Chairman of the County Convention*, were selected exclusively from those members of the party from whom it was my misfortune to differ.

While it might perchance have seemed more generous in the majority to have accorded the large minority in that Convention a representation in that delegation, yet as it was, by a deliberate vote, decided not to do so, I am not aware of any authority, possessed *by any one*, to add to or take from the list, as adopted by the Convention.

I prefer to submit to the decision of the Convention itself.

Respectfully,
J. W. ATKINSON.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PURCELL HOUSE—COBB BROS., PROP'RS.

May 6.—W H Hunter, Atlanta; Chas H Reed, Philadelphia; G C Garris, Magnolia; L L McCleskey, A H Green, New Orleans; Jonah H White, L M Whitehead, Mrs A D Walloch, Wm A Walloch, Lewis Wallock, A J Gwynn, New York; Jo French, Geo Z French, Rocky Point; O J Carroll, E Knabe, O P Britton, V V Willis, Baltimore; Ed Pearce and wife, Miss Julia Bullock, Providence, R I; Geo W Scott and wife, Mrs A J Howe, Montpelier, Vt; H B Short, Jr, Lake Waccamaw; Chas H Lord and wife, Boston, Mass; Rev A H Bozle, Wadesboro; W P Lane, L A Monroe, Laurinburg; G W Edwards, Abbottsburg, N C.

If success depends upon health, surely health depends upon pure blood. Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture maintains the blood in a state of purity, and health is the result. ‡

CITY ITEMS.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., is noted for its fine location and the unsurpassed elegance of its appointments.

ABSCESSES AND SORES OF LONG STANDING, which have resisted the operation of ointments and washes, may be cleansed and healed by frequent and persistent washing with GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP.

HILL'S INSTANTANEOUS HAIR DYE makes old folks young.

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.

MOTHERS, MOTHERS, MOTHERS, don't fail to procure MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child from pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother.

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MARRIED.

RHODES—HARDWICKE.—In Wilmington, N.C. on the evening of the 4th inst., by Rev. J. B. Taylor, Lieut. JOHN U. RHODES, of the U. S. R. M., and Miss MARY W., eldest daughter of George W. Hardwicke, Esq.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Whiting Rifles.

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MEETING AND Drill of the WHITING RIFLES, at 8 o'clock, THIS EVENING, at their Armory, in Odd Fellows' building, on Third Street, opposite City Hall.

Every member, whether uniformed or not, is commanded to be present punctually.

By order of the Captain.
my 7-1t W. S. HARDWICKE, Act'g O. S.

Hook & Ladder Co., No. 1.

ATTENTION! ACTIVE MEMBERS ARE ordered to meet at their Truck House at 4 o'clock, THIS (TUESDAY) AFTERNOON, in uniform, for Truck Practice.

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