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Concord Sun: The Republicans, it is said, will run a campaign paper in Concord this summer.

Hickory Press: As to the peaches in this section, as far as we are able to learn, they are almost totally destroyed.

Salem Press: We regret to learn that the several heavy frosts this week have well nigh destroyed the fruit crop prospect.

Salisbury Watchman: Mr. John A. Sulder informs us that he has discovered a new gold mine in about three miles of this place that promises to be as rich as any heretofore found in the county.

Statesville Landmark: There is no doubt of the fact that the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad desires to secure control of the road from here to Charlotte.

Chapel Hill Ledger: Another convict made good his escape from the University Railroad on Wednesday evening last.

Richmond State's letter that the desk referred to on our second page bears the following inscription:

Thomas Jefferson gives this writing desk to Joseph Coolidge, Jr., as memorial of his affection.

The Baltimore Sun's Washington letter of the 18th says of the Republican delegation from this State:

The Republicans of the sixth Congressional District of North Carolina met on Thursday last, and elected O. J. Spears and W. H. Myers delegates to Chicago.

Our North Carolina inventive genius, Dr. Gatling, is attracting attention in England by his new gun.

Spirits Turpentine. Bingham's new catalogue will have 188 names.

Warren News: The R. & G. R. lost about 300 cords of wood by fire near Ridgeway on Tuesday evening last.

Edenton Clarion: The new Episcopal church at Avoca was dedicated one day this week by Bishop Lyman.

Rev. J. P. Simpson publishes a strong edict in the Goldsboro Messenger relative to his relation to the M. E. Church and the course of Rev. Mr. Barrett.

Goldsboro Messenger: Mr. Carson Edwards, living a mile and a half from Shore Hill, lost his late two-story building, with almost everything it contained, by fire yesterday afternoon.

Reidsville Times: Mrs. Corum of this county rode horseback to church at Carmel last Sunday, and returning, just by the little creek, this side of the church, her horse attempted to jump a fence with her, and as he made the leap she sprang from his back and broke her ankle in the jump.

Local Dots. Mr. Benj. Solomon leaves for Europe in a few days.

The Signal Office reports a fall of 1.19 inches rain up to 3 P. M. yesterday.

Messrs. Smith & Styron are to open a new ice house in the Rock Spring Hotel building to-day.

The Democratic Executive Committee for this Congressional District meets at the Purcell House to-day at 11 o'clock.

Mr. F. A. Schutte has purchased what is known as the Dr. Wright place, on Wrightsville Sound, and intends erecting a neat hotel there the coming summer.

The Comet Star Cadets, a colored military company, will give an excursion to Wrightsville Sound, in the wagonette, ambulances, etc., on the second Monday in May.

The Goldsboro Messenger records the death in that town, a few days since, of Mr. S. S. Galloway, a brother of Solicitor Galloway and Captain John W. Galloway, of this city.

Notwithstanding the heavy and continuous rain yesterday, there was still enough fire left in the burnt hay, at the ruins of the Dock street ice-house, to raise a considerable smoke during the afternoon.

Mr. Olive A. M. E. church, on Second, between Dawson and Wright streets, erected on the site of the one lately destroyed by fire, is now about completed.

A Visitor's Impressions—Literary. Mr. Henkel, of the New Market (Va.) Shenandoah Valley, who was recently here on a visit, writes an interesting letter to his paper from Wrightsville Sound, in which he says: "Wrightsville is destined to become an Atlantic City."

The writer was evidently very favorably impressed with Wrightsville. In a postscript he says: "Since writing the above, we have had the pleasure of reading several initiatory chapters of a most charming and fascinating novel, descriptive of sound and ocean life."

Produce Exchange—Appointments. At a meeting of the newly-elected Board of Managers of the Produce Exchange, held yesterday, the following appointments were made for the ensuing year:

Secretary and Treasurer—John L. Cantwell. Arbitration Committee—D. MacRae, G. J. Boney, C. H. Robinson, B. G. Worth, Jas. Sprunt.

Finance—B. F. Hall, C. H. King, J. L. Cantwell. Law—A. Martin, T. E. Bond.

Information and Statistics—A. H. Van Bokkelen, John Judas, R. Lilly. Marine—E. Peschard, R. E. Heide, T. E. Bond.

Inspection—Geo. W. Williams, Jacob Loeb, W. R. Kennan. Cotton Classification—J. H. Currie, S. R. Birdsey, Jas. Sprunt.

Statistics—W. L. DeRosset, A. Pope, E. G. Barker. Cotton Quotations—W. Calder, E. Lilly, D. MacRae.

Naval Stores Quotations—D. G. Worth, A. L. DeRosset, J. D. Woody.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY. Judge Cantwell's Lecture—Fort Johnson.

The rooms of the Historical Society were filled last evening by a very large audience to listen to the lecture of the above named gentleman.

The lecturer stated that Fort Johnson, named after Gen. Gabriel Johnson, was built in 1745, and since then it had witnessed the passing away of five different governments.

Many other incidents, evincing great research and laborious industry on the part of the lecturer, and of great interest to our people, not only in this particular locality, but in the State generally, were mentioned.

The lecturer closed his address by drawing a parallel between the life of man and of States and governments, which was well conceived, eloquently expressed, and impressively delivered.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 20, 1880. Mr. C. H. Robinson.

Dear Sir—Will you do me the kindness to state, as presiding officer of the Democratic Convention, held on Saturday evening, April 17th, whether any point of order was raised, or decided against me, during the session of that Convention, or whether your desire for my nomination as a committee man on order.

Yours truly, ROGER MOORE. WILMINGTON, April 20, 1880.

Col. Roger Moore. Dear Sir—I have your note of this date asking if a point of order was raised and decided against you during the sitting of the New Hanover Democratic Convention.

I do not consider that the point of order was raised or decided against you. When the Convention named the Executive Committee, you moved to substitute two other names for your Ward.

Your statement as made in your card I consider correct, but I understood the Convention did not act on your declining to serve, hoping you would consent, after due consideration, to serve.

We have yet to see wherein we did Col. Moore an injustice in publishing his name in our report of the proceedings of the recent Convention as having been appointed a member of the Executive Committee from the Second Ward, or wherein we were wrong in so doing.

Yours truly, C. H. ROBINSON.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Now BUY UMBRELLAS and RUBBER COATS from MUNSON, Clothier and Merchant Tailor.

Call and See. GERMAN AND DOMESTIC BOLOGNA. Bolognese Fig Feet, Hams, Coccinatos, Oranges, Lemons, Dried Apples, France, Vanilla, Bakers' and German Chocolate, prepared Cocoa, Fresh Cakes and Crackers, a full line of Family Groceries, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., all at Bottom Prices.

Vapo-Cresolene. SPECIFIC FOR WHOOPING-COUGH, DIPHTHERIA, and all Throat and Lung Diseases. A fresh supply just received and for sale by JAMES O. MUNDS, Druggist.

Family Bibles. JUST RECEIVED, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FAMILY BIBLES, at HEINSBERG'S.

Blank Books, PAPER AND ENVELOPES. Gold Pen and Pencils, Inks of all kinds, Inkstands, &c., &c. Just received and for sale cheap at HEINSBERG'S, Live Book and Music Store.

To-Day's Indications. Northwest to southwest winds, rising barometer and warmer clear or clearing weather, are the indications for this section to-day.

LIST OF LETTERS. Remaining in the City Post Office, April 21, 1880, unclaimed: B—Henry Brown, Monroe Bryrd, H. L. Bose, E. T. Burrows, David Bryrd, J. E. Bond.

C—Sarah Conner, Maggie Cyrus, Lizzie Cyrus, Elizabeth Carter, Sandy Callie, R. M. Capps, W. H. Levy.

D—John Dixon, Dennis Dew, Wm DeVaun, Eliza Dudley. E—J. C. Eason, Cary Ellis. F—J. W. Farrar, Eliza Foy, Evalide Frederick.

G—Andrew Gillespie, R. H. Grant, J. B. Hand, Jno Hill, Samuel Hankins, Willie Holmes, James Hall, John J. Hill, H. J. Herling, Fred Hamann, Anne Hall, Jane Houston, Joseph Hawkins, Julia Hooper, Zell Hankins, Col'd, Nancy Hill.

H—Henry King, Louis Kelly. I—W. H. Levy. M—Thos M Moore, Pat Miller, Jas T Mills, John S Malone, John McCothugh, Austin Middleton, R. W. Moore, Violet D Murrell, Catherine May, Ellen Murphy, Frances Mack, Florence Morris, Grace Miller, Lancy Moore, Mary J. Martin.

N—Wesley Nixon, Jordan Nixon. O—Jm Ogburne. P—Andrew Peterson, David Pierce, Jno T Pharrat, T. G. Pickett, Charlotte Poe, Harriet Price, L. Pitts. R—Samuel E. Rush, Lillie Ray, S. E. Rush, Gabel Richardson, F. W. Roenecker, F. H. Hesh.

S—Daniel Shaw, E. F. Suggs, J. H. Smith, L. B. Storn, Ell Smith, Hannah Spier, Martha Spicer, Nanny M. Stewart, Sarah E. Smith. T—Lucy P. Tracy. W—Cornelia Williams, Elizabeth Wood, Balaam W. Wicks, E. A. Watson, Fred Williams, G. W. Wicks, J. K. Willis, J. K. Wright, Levi Wheaton, Robt Washington, Tony White.

Congressional Executive Committee. WILMINGTON, N. C., April 9, 1880. The Executive Committee of the Democratic party for this (Third) Congressional District, will meet at the Purcell House, in Wilmington, on Wednesday, the 21st of April, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Rich! Rare! Racy! ARE THE BUSINESS SUITS OFFERED AT THE LARGEST AND MOST POPULAR CLOTHING HOUSE in North Carolina.

Stylish, Snug-fitting, Superior! ARE OUR NEW THREE BUTTON CUTAWAY ENGLISH WALKING SUITS, a novelty in this market, at A. DAVID'S, Corner Front and Princess Sts.

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Table with 2 columns: Description of advertising rates and prices. Includes 'One Square one day', 'Two Squares one day', etc.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Groceries, &c., at Auction. ON FRIDAY NEXT, 23d INST., at 10 o'clock, we will sell at our Sales Rooms the entire stock of Groceries, Crockery, Glass, Wooden Ware, Tin Ware and Liquors of a party declining business.

Grand Family Excursion. A GRAND FAMILY EXCURSION will take place on the Steam Yacht PASSPORT, on Wednesday next, 21st inst. The boat will stop at Fort Fisher, going and returning, at Smithville, at Bald Head and at Fort Caswell.

Refreshments on Board at City Prices. Fare for round trip 50 cents. Children under 10 years, 25 cents. Boat will leave wharf at 9 o'clock.

Lost. ON 2nd STREET, BETWEEN MISS HART'S School House and St. James Church, on Market street, or on 5th street, a Jet and Pearl Earring set in gold, the owner will suitably reward on leaving the same at THE STAR OFFICE.

Ship Notice. ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY cautioned against harboring or treating any of the crew of the Danish Brig "MARGARITA," Captain J. N. Branch, from St. Vincent, Cape Verde, &c., on board of their contracting will be paid by Captain or Consignee.

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New Stock. CHOICE TIMOTHY HAY. CORN, OATS, WHEAT BRAN, PEAS and FEED, and the "best BOLTED MEAL in the city." PRESTON CUMMING & CO., Mills and Grain Dealers. ap 20 ft