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THE MORNING STAR.

THE CITY.

Mr. Bunting, to increase the number of Superior Court judges to twelve. Referred.

The bill providing for the codification of the laws was taken up as unfinished business.

Mr. Webster moved that the House go into committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering the bill.

The friends of the Virginia Senator state that while he will attend no caucus of either party, he will vote against the Bourbon in the Senate.

The Society of the Army and Navy of the Confederate States for Maryland held its annual banquet in Baltimore on the 22nd.

Mr. Faison, from 160 citizens of Duplin county, to prohibit the sale of liquor within five miles of Warsaw High School, in said county.

Mr. Williamson, of Davis, bill for the better protection of holders of policies in life insurance companies in the State. Referred.

Mr. Green, of Craven, to allow females of the age of eighteen to vote on all questions of prohibition.

Mr. Rowland, for the relief of a late sheriff of Robeson. Referred.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. MURKIN—To-morrow.

Local items. — The receipts of cotton at this port yesterday footed up 569 bales.

— The only foreigner ship yesterday was the schooner Geo. S. Davis, from Matanzas, by Messrs. Worth & Worth, with 275,443 feet of lumber.

— The woods was on fire a little below the "drum tree" yesterday afternoon, which caused a report to get in circulation to some extent, that some steamer or other craft was on fire in that neighborhood.

— Dr. H. S. Noroom has been called to Baltimore to attend his sick brother, Dr. W. A. B. Noroom, of Kenton, N. C., but who has been in Baltimore for some weeks under treatment.

— Mayor Fishplate and City Attorney Darby left for Raleigh yesterday morning, where they go to look after the interest of the city in connection with bills now before the Legislature and to be introduced before that body.

— Dave Mallett, colored, was down with his old complaint, yesterday afternoon, and had to be conveyed to the guard house on a dolly.

— We learn that our friends at Smithville are leading a very quiet and uneventful life since the soldiers left.

— There was quite a good attendance both of skaters and spectators at the City Hall last night, and the occasion was voted a most pleasant one.

THE CITY.

Our Bar and Improvements. In conversation yesterday morning with Capt. W. J. Potter, a Cape Fear Pilot of long experience...

Mr. Fanning's Soiree. A soiree was given at Rankin Hall last evening by Mr. T. O. Fanning, and last were present, in addition to the pupils of his dancing school...

Sentence Commuted. Oliver Hargett, the colored man who was convicted of burglary, with an attempt to commit rape, at a late term of Duplin Superior Court...

Barque Affair called from Gravesend, February 11th for this port. — The Forstele, Knudsen, sailed from Belfast, Ireland, for this port, on the 11th inst.

Cheap life insurance. — Twenty-five cents will buy a box of Dr. Tuttle's pills, and they will restore the functions of the liver, stomach and bowels...

CITY ITEMS. THE MORNING STAR can always be had at the following places in the city: The Purcell House, Harris' News Stand, and the Sea Office.

A RARE BARGAIN. — A well established and prosperous Weekly Newspaper, located in a thriving growing town, on a fine and prominent Railroad, is offered for sale.

A CROSS BABY. — Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a bachelor as stopping for one night at the home of a married and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby.

WHO IS MRS. WINDLOW? — As this question is frequently asked, we will simply say that she is a lady who for upwards of thirty years has untiringly devoted her time and talents as a Female Physician and nurse...

OPER A HOUSE.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY! ONE NIGHT ONLY—WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3. CARRENO'S GRAND OPERATIC AND CONCERT COMPANY.

A great Novelty! Popular Concerts and Grand Italian Opera in a single programme.

Hinson & Blount. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE FORMED A partnership under the firm name of HINSON & BLOUNT, and will carry on a General Commission Business in Cotton and Naval Stores...

Received By Last Steamer. FINNAN HADDIES. Twenty Barrels Baldwin and Gill Apples. Early Rose and Peerless Potatoes.

Jas. C. Stevenson Market Street. L. S. L. NEXT DRAWING OF THE Louisiana State Lottery

Just Received. A FULL ASSORTMENT OF VIOLIN PHOTO Frames and Base, Photo Pictures, etc.

Furniture. 100 DOZEN CHAIRS, ASSORTED, 400 BED ROOMS and Bedsteads, Parlor Pictures, etc.

Agricultural Salt. 200 TONS OF PURE SALT. For Agricultural Purposes.

Cotton Seed. 500 BUSHELS COTTON SEED. For sale at "WILLARD'S."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mineral Water, Vichy, Deep Rock, Haithorn, Buffalo Lithia and Congress Spring Waters.

Hydrolin—Hydrated Oil. SCOTT'S EMULSION, THOMMER'S EXTRACT of Salt, Eucalypti Soluble Crystals, and a full line of Patent Medicines and Perfumery.

Timber Wagons. TWO NEW WAGONS, HARNESSES & MULES, complete and ready for work, for sale.

Wanted—Cypress Ties. 5000 SMALL CYPRESS TIES. For immediate shipment.

Spring Styles! CHOICE SELECTIONS! LOW PRICES! HARRISON & ALLER, Hatters.

Guba Molasses & Salt. 200 Sacks SALT. For sale by KERCHNER & CALDER BROS.

THE LEGISLATURE.

[Raleigh News-Observer Report Continued.] SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 23, 1881. Mr. Faison, from 160 citizens of Duplin county, to prohibit the sale of liquor within five miles of Warsaw High School, in said county.

Bills and resolutions were introduced as follows, appropriately referred or otherwise disposed of: Mr. Williamson, of Davis, bill for the better protection of holders of policies in life insurance companies in the State. Referred.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Mr. Smith introduced a resolution to appoint a committee to investigate the sale of Carteret county's stock in the Western North Carolina railroad.

Mr. Green, of Craven, to allow females of the age of eighteen to vote on all questions of prohibition.

Mr. Rowland, for the relief of a late sheriff of Robeson. Referred.

Spirits Turpentine.

— Katie Putnam played to good houses at Raleigh. — Mr. J. M. Leach delivered a speech at the University on Washington's birthday.

— New Berne Nut Shell: Our fish market is generally well supplied with shad, which sell at 75 cents to \$1.50 per pair.

— Raleigh Visitor: The revival at the First Baptist church continues with unabated interest.

— Kinston Journal: Pneumonia has been making sad havoc among the colored people in this community.

— Wadesboro Times: At the annual election of officers of the Anson Guards, held in Polkton on the 22nd, the following gentlemen were elected: Captain T. J. Cantle, 1st Lieut. J. H. Benton; 2nd Lieut. J. W. Gale; Jr. 2nd. Lieut. M. L. Horn.

Daily Weather Bulletin.

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 3.00 P. M. yesterday, Washington mean time, and also the amount of rainfall in inches, for the twenty four hours ending daily at 8 P. M., except Tuesday, when it is 48 hours, as furnished by Sergeant James W. Watson, Signal Officer at this Station:

Table with columns: Station, Temp., R. F., Weather. Atlanta 67.00 Clear, Augusta 73.00 Hazy, Charleston 70.00 Clear, Charlotte 88.00 Clear, Columbia 82.00 Fair, Galveston 87.00 Fair, Havana 77.00 Clear, Indianapolis 73.00 Fair, Jacksonville 73.00 Fair, Key West 75.00 Fair, Mobile 87.00 Fair, Montgomery 73.00 Clear, New Orleans 70.00 Cloudy, Punta Hessa 73.00 Thing, Savannah 73.00 Clear, Wilmington 88.00 Hazy, Cedar Keys 68.00 Clear, Pensacola 88.00 Clear.

The following are the indications for the South Atlantic States to-day: Fair weather, variable winds, mostly northeasterly, stationary temperature and stationary or rising barometer.

Matters and Things in Raleigh. Gen. Manning, who has just returned from Raleigh, gives it as his opinion that the Legislature will take no action in regard to the Criminal Courts, in consequence of the conflicting influences that have been developed since the matter was brought to the attention of the two houses.

Death of an Old Citizen of Fayetteville. Mr. James Kyle, a well-known and highly respected citizen of Fayetteville, died in that town on Wednesday afternoon last at the advanced age of 78 years.