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WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1891.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING. One Square One Day..... \$1.00

OUTLINES.

Fire at Newport News destroyed a block of buildings and frightened two ladies and two children to death.

The first bale of new crop Georgia cotton sold in New York by auction at 7 cents per pound.

A battle took place on the Norfolk & Western Railroad between negroes and Italian workmen in which one negro was killed and several were wounded.

In a fight on an excursion train from Johnston, Pa., two men were thrown from the platform of a coach and killed.

A church was struck by lightning Sunday at Greenville, Pa., while services were going on; a panic ensued, but the congregation was soon quieted and no one was hurt.

Three persons were killed and several others wounded in a railroad wreck near Dayton, Ohio.

Two hundred people were either killed or injured in a railroad collision in France.

Advices from China report fresh depredations against missionaries.

Tabiti is now a French colony.

New York markets: Money easy at 1 1/2 @ 2 per cent; cotton quiet; middling uplands 8 cts.

Kaiser William has ascended Cape North, at the northern extreme of Europe.

Eggs are used as currency in some portions of Africa. In this country, too, they are sometimes on special occasions used as a circulating medium.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

A very pleasant German was given at the Island Beach ball room last night.

Germania Cornet Band will play for the veterans at the Encampment next Thursday.

A party from Asheville will be down at the Hammocks this week.

In the Mayor's Court, yesterday, Thos. Barr was fined \$5 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Rev. F. A. DeRosset preached twice on Sunday last, and very acceptably—at St. Mark's Church in the forenoon, and St. Paul's in the evening.

The Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets on account of the annual meeting North Carolina State Firemen's Association at Durham, N. C.

The Sunday services at Carolina Beach commenced a few Sundays ago and are kept up with continued interest.

The Weather Bureau reports heavy rain yesterday throughout the cotton region; heaviest in the Charleston and Little Rock districts.

Most all the "vets" will report by Wednesday morning, or hardly later than Wednesday night.

The Norfolk, Wilmington & Charleston Railroad.

The deepest measurements ever taken in the Atlantic were made by the Challenger expedition eighty miles north of the Virginia Islands.

The Petersburg Grays arrived at home about half past 12 o'clock Saturday night.

AT CAMP FOWLE.

Preparations for the Reception of Confederate Pensioners—Prominent Personalities Expected—Senator Ransom to Deliver an Address.

Col. E. D. Hall was down to Camp Fowle last evening and put everything in readiness for the coming Veterans Encampment.

Much interest is being manifested all over the State in the Encampment and it promised fair to be one of the most pleasant and interesting meetings of its kind ever held in the State.

All the Confederate Generals have been invited and many are expected.

Gen. Robt. Ransom, who will be in command of the camp, will arrive to-day and see that everything lacking in any way will be arranged at once.

Col. Hall says the citizens of Wilmington are acting very generously by them, and some are making very appropriate donations.

The Norfolk, Wilmington & Charleston Railroad.

The deepest soundings ever taken in the Pacific, or, in fact, any place on the globe, prior to 1890, were made in 1885.

The people of Elizabeth City are already moving to have the road touch there. There is some talk of the Norfolk, Wilmington & Charleston utilizing the road-bed of the Dismal Swamp canal from Gilmerton to South Mills.

On this end of the line good progress is being made, there being about 800 hands employed in the work.

Stocks of naval stores at the ports at the close of the week are reported as follows:

Spirits turpentine—New York, 2,534; Wilmington, 3,908; Charleston, 3,911; Savannah, 16,849. Total 24,197 casks.

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DIED.

LUCY K. VICK, eldest daughter of Capt. Sam'l W. Vick.

The funeral will take place this evening at 8.30 o'clock, from the First Presbyterian Church.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. For Rent, LARGE FRONT ROOM, UP STAIRS, NEAR corner Front and Market streets.

Notice to Shippers. STEAMER A. P. HURT, CAPT. ROBESON.

Frog Pond CHILL AND FEVER CURE, THE SURE Egg for Chills.

Noble's Grapes. EXTRA FINE CONCORDS, VERY SWEET. Try a 5-lb. Basket, 25 cents.

Only Three Days IN WHICH TO TAKE ORDERS FOR Suitings to Measure.

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT closes for the month of August.

MUNSON & CO., GENTS' OUTFITTERS.

BAGGING AND TIES.

PURE CANDIES, FRESH CAKES AND Crackers.

R. W. HICKS, WHOLESALE GROCER.

Pew in St. James' Church FOR SALE AT AUCTION—ON WEDNESDAY 29th INST., AT 12 O'CLOCK M.

Special Bargains IN TOBACCO AND CIGARS. WANTED, CONFEDERATE BOND.

THE MAILS.

The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows:

For North and way stations—W & W R R. 8:15 a.m.

For Charlotte and way stations—C & R R. 8:15 a.m.

For Mt. Airy and way stations—C & Y V R R. 9:00 a.m.

For Southport..... 8:30 p.m.

For Clinton, Magnolia and Goldsboro..... 7:00 p.m.

For Charlotte and way stations..... 6:30 p.m.

For South-W & C & A R R.—Train No. 37..... 6:10 p.m.

For North—W & W R R.—Train No. 14..... 11:00 p.m.

For Brunswick County and Little River, S. C..... 6:00 a.m.

For Cape Fear River Tuesdays and Fridays 1:00 p.m.

For Onslow County Mondays and Fridays 6:30 a.m.

For Onslow County Cape Fear river, Tues. & Fri. 7:30 p.m.

RECEIPTS OF NAVAL STORES AND COTTON YESTERDAY.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—54 casks spirits turpentine, 166 bbls. rosin, 7 bbls. tar, 9 bbls. crude turpentine.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—78 casks spirits turpentine, 219 bbls. rosin, 8 bbls. tar.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—10 casks spirits turpentine, 17 bbls. rosin, 4 bbls. tar.

Jordan's Flat—4 bbls. crude turpentine.

Total receipts—spirits turpentine, 142 casks; rosin, 402 bbls. tar, 19 bbls; crude turpentine, 13 bbls.

Yesterday's Weather. The records of the Weather Bureau give the following report of the range of temperature, etc., yesterday:

At 8 a. m., 71°; 8 p. m., 73°; maximum temperature, 82°; minimum, 67°; average 74°; prevailing wind, southwest.

OBITUARY. Mrs. Nancy Forney Johnston, of Lincoln County, N. C.

Yesterday at Birmingham, Ala., at the green old age of 86, there passed from this life to the realms above, there to dwell in glory forever, one of the brightest old ladies ever reared in this Commonwealth.

Wilmington District—Third Quarterly Meeting. Elizabeth Circuit, Singletary's, July 18 and 19.

Robeson Circuit, Asbury, July 25 and 26.

Carver's Creek, Hebron, July 29 and 30.

Grace Church, August 1 and 2. Cokesbury, McNat's, August 3 and 9. Brunswick Mission, Cedar Bay August 12.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST A VERY FEW of those pretty gallery

JAPANESE FANS LEFT AT BROWN & RODDICK'S. They must be closed out.

Price no object. Come in. Also a few JAPANESE SCREENS at about one-third price.

Serims, Draperies and Silks Cheap. Not many BLAZERS on our counters now.

Come and see if you can get a fit and we will make the price satisfactory.

Crumb Cloths, Oil Cloth, RUGS, MATS, &c. MATTINGS VERY CHEAP.

CARPETS, more than reasonable.

Napier and Cocoa Mattings. We are headquarters for 'above goods: Why? Because we carry five times as much stock as any other house in the city.

BROWN & RODDICK, 9 North Front Street.

SPECIAL BARGAINS TO THE TRADE FOR THE NEXT WEEK. We have made cuts in all departments.

1,000 yards CHALLIS at 4c, worth 5c. 600 yards All-Wool CHALLIS, solid colors, at 19c, worth 20c.

1500 yards SATTEENS at 8c, 86-inch wide, worth 19c. One case FANT'S GOODS 18c, excellent value for 25 cents.

This is a Bona Fide sale. We need the money and you the goods. Respectfully, J. J. HEDRICK, N. E. Cor. Market Street.

For Sale, ONE PAIR OF THOROUGHBRED KENTUCKY MARES—BLOOD BAYS—full sisters, 5 and 6 years old, very stylish, high knee action, very speedy; guaranteed to be sound and gentle enough for any lady to drive alone.