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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Delicate Perfumeries!

prepared by the best manufacturers are shown in attractive styles, being displayed in our front show cases.

A perfectly elegant line of Jewelry, tempting to the eye and beautiful to look upon, is tastily arranged in the centre show cases.

While you are in, supply yourself with what you need.

These things are very nice to look at, but when cold weather is upon you remember that our Flannel and Underwear Department comprises an elegant line of Gents' all-wool Scarlet Shirts and Drawers.

Gents' Sanitary native wool Shirts and Drawers.

Gents' Australian Wool Shirts and Drawers.

Ladies' all-wool Scarlet and White Pants and Vests.

Ladies' Scarlet Lambs' Wool Shirts and White Merino Shirts and Pants.

A full line of Children's and Misses' Underwear.

BROWN & RODDICK, No. 9 North Front Street.

A NOVELTY IN UNDERWEAR. THE PATENT ELASTIC SEAM DRAWERS

which are provided with an improvement consisting of an elastic seam which gives elasticity in movement and comfort in fit.

Munson & Co. 109 Princess St. - Smith Building.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 12, 1891. HAVING BOUGHT THE GOOD WILL AND OFFICE FURNITURE of the late Mr. Louis J. Poisson, and his brother, Mr. Du'Tra's' class, I will occupy the old stand and continue the Real Estate business established by them.

The Unlucky Corner!

CRANBERRIES AND LOOSE OLIVES. L. L. Raisins and Shelled Almonds, FERRIS' HAMS, TONGUES and STRIPS.

S. W. SANDERS & CO. ALBION PATENT WHITE DOVE.

USE THE BEST. Apply to HALL & PEARSALL, DEALER IN GOOD FLOUR, nov 17 D'Wt No. 11 & 13 South Water St.

ORANGES AT AUCTION. THIS DAY, (SATURDAY), AT 10 O'CLOCK.

will sell by public auction, on Board Br. Sch. Mabel Darling, lying at Custom House wharf, 80,000 oranges, and what few PINEs are on board. CROSLY & MORRIS, Auctioneers.

The Chattanooga News man asks "What is hell?" A strange question for a Tennessee editor to ask with the woods full of released convicts.

Last Saturday the Chilean Minister when presented to the President, assured him that Chili thought ever so much of the United States, and Mr. Harrison assured Mr. Montt, in return, that the United States thought ever so much of Chili, all of which being so, there should be no difficulty in fixing up that little Valparaiso affair satisfactorily all round.

A Wisconsin farmer was choked to death by swallowing his false teeth while eating. A Wisconsin farmer who didn't have sense enough to take out his false teeth and hang 'em up while eating couldn't expect any better luck.

The antics of Fonseca in Brazil are calculated to give a pretty vigorous boom to the monarchical movement, if there be such a one started.

NOTICE—To tax-payers. W. C. A. R. R.—Schedule. HALL & PEARSALL—White dove. S. W. SANDERS & Co.—Raisins, etc.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Primarily to People and Pointedly Printed.

Messrs. W. H. Pyke, C. L. Stevens, Southport; Selden Jones, Jonesboro; W. H. Pemberton, Fayetteville; W. D. Campbell, Ivanhoe; U. M. Robinson, city, were among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday.

Mr. H. P. Caraci, the drummer who was taken sick with typhoid fever about six weeks ago in this city, left last night for Jacksonville, Fla. He speaks very highly of Wilmington and her hospitable people.

Frederick Ward, The Eminent Tragedian. Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 24th and 25th, the eminent tragedian Frederick Ward and his superb organization will appear at the Opera House.

Gov. McKinney, of Virginia, announces that he will not remove the political disabilities of any man who has been convicted of theft. Gov. McKinney has no idea of increasing the Republican vote of his State.

Europe has ninety-four people to the square mile, Asia forty-seven and Africa fourteen, while America has only eight. With only eight people to the square mile great care should be had lest the tin-plate manufacturing business be overdone.

A Philadelphia coroner's jury called to hold an inquest on a man who was run over and killed, desired to be perfectly impartial and struck the happy medium by holding the railroad people and the man who was killed equally guilty of "gross negligence."

Some Iowa lovers are entirely too demonstrative. A young lady near the town of Anderson is now laid up with one or more fractured ribs, as the result of the too vigorous leaving-taking of her fellow. When his brawny arm encircled her he forgot that she was not steel armored.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted. — Rev. Sam. Jones is announced to begin his big anti-bar-room fight this week in Atlanta, Ga.

— City Hall was hilarious last night with a festival given by St. Stephen's (colored) Church, for a benevolent purpose.

— Dr. Wood will meet his class for Bible study to-night at 8 o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A. building. All are invited to attend.

— Sheriff Rourke, of Brunswick, will be at Mr. Wm. Goodman's store, on Market street, to-day, to receive taxes payable in that county.

— G. S. Palmer, New York, reports green peas from the South selling at \$2.00@3.00 per basket. Sweet potatoes in heavy supply at 75c@1.25 per barrel.

— Mr. Berry Gleaves left Saturday morning for Scotland Neck to join some English friends who were to meet him there, and all will enjoy a week's sport shooting only.

— The trial of D. A. McDougald for the murder of Simeon Conoley, in Robeson county, will begin to-morrow in the Superior Court for Cumberland county at Fayetteville.

— The Board of Audit and Finance at their meeting yesterday audited and approved bills for current expenses amounting to \$642.89; note, money borrowed, \$10,000, and interest \$180.88.

— Another cold wave has developed in the Northwest, says the Weather Bureau. This cold wave will probably move southward to Texas, but will not be felt here before to-morrow (Wednesday).

— Capt. W. H. Bixby went around town yesterday to say good-bye to his many friends. He left last night for his new field of duty at Newport, R. I., and carried with him a hearty God-speed from hosts of well-wishers.

— Now it is whispered that Sam Larkins, mentioned in Sunday's STAR as having been sent to the city hospital to be treated for a burn received from falling in the fire in a fit, was struck on the head with a piece of iron and this was the cause of the fit.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday. Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—881 bales cotton, 37 casks spirits turpentine, 132 bbls. rosin, 13 bbls. tar, 6 bbls. crude turpentine.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—443 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 19 bbls. tar. C. F. & Y. V. R. R.—293 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 734 bbls. rosin, 87 bbls. tar.

Weather Forecasts. The following are the forecasts for to-day: For Virginia, cloudy weather, winds generally southerly, stationary temperature, colder during Tuesday night; colder Wednesday, with probably local snows.

OBITUARY.

Mr. George W. Hardwicke of The Morning Star. George W. Hardwicke died yesterday morning at 1 o'clock at the residence of Dr. F. W. Potter, on Market street between Second and Third, in the sixty-fourth year of his age, after lingering four weeks on a bed of suffering.

The life of Mr. Hardwicke has been eventful in distressing episodes, especially in his latter days, having lost his entire family, consisting of his wife, two daughters and two sons, all of whom were adults, with four grand children surviving him, and in all this time of dire mishaps and sorrow, sufficient to submerge his soul in dark despair, he bore up manfully and with Christian fortitude and bravery born of a noble character.

Geo. W. Hardwicke had a wide and varied experience in newspaper life. He was born in Lynchburg, Va., and for several years, in connection with Major R. H. Glass, a prominent journalist, was one of the editors and owners of the Lynchburg Republican, a leading paper in the State.

About fifteen years ago he moved to Wilmington and during all the years since he has been connected with the MORNING STAR—in a period embracing ten years since his residence here, it has been his misfortune to lay his loved ones in Oakdale Cemetery, leaving him, like the stalwart oak, isolated and alone with his great grief.

Mr. Hardwicke was possessed in an eminent degree with many ennobling qualities of head and heart. Brave as a hero, generous to a fault, he was conscientious and strictly faithful to every trust reposed in him—indeed, fidelity was one of his cardinal virtues. No higher tribute could have been paid to his worth and grandeur of character than that pronounced by one of his attending physicians: "He was the soul of honor."

For a great many years he has been a consistent member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and his death was as peaceful as of one lying down to slumber and rest with the sweet hope of a blissful immortality. Though life was to him, indeed, a "fitful fever," now that it is over he sleeps well.

The funeral services will take place to-day at 10 a. m. from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and the remains will be interred in beautiful Oakdale by the side of his loved ones gone before. The Printers' Union, of which he was a member, will attend in a body.

The Eclipse Sunday Night. Owing to the clouds which unfortunately overspread the sky at the time, the total eclipse of the moon Sunday night was observed imperfectly. The moon rose with a part of its surface involved in the shadow of the earth. This gradually progressed from its eastern to western side, until about 7 o'clock, when the whole surface of the moon was covered by the dark shadow of the earth, and the light of the moon reduced to almost nothing. At this time the clouds completely obscured the moon, and only now and then could a glimpse of its copper-hued face be had.

Preparations for a Big Travel. The Atlantic Coast Line has completed its arrangements for winter service, at least for the present, by putting on an extra train between New York and Jacksonville, as has been customary at this season of the year. The train will be known as No. 28 coming south, it will leave New York at 9:15 p. m., reach Jacksonville at 6:35 p. m., and reach Jacksonville at 11:30 a. m.

Parties from the North in the last few days report that there is a general anticipation of a severe winter and that larger numbers of people are looking toward the South as a refuge for the winter than ever before. As soon as the cold weather sets in the movement South will be very heavy.

A Very Disorderly Personage. A deaf and dumb white man named M. Hinman, very much under the influence of liquor, and who has been in the city a few days only, created a sensation on Dock street early yesterday morning by forcing his way into the houses of several families living on that street near Fourth and Fifth. At the residence of Mr. Martin he was taken into custody and carried to the City Hall, where he was locked up. Yesterday afternoon he was brought before Mayor Ricard and fined \$20 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Controlling Committee. The following have been constituted the Controlling Committee of the commercial travellers of this city, who are to form a part of the trades' parade: John S. Burnett, chairman; Owen Love, O. P. Cazaux, J. McR. Taylor, W. H. Carr, C. C. Covington and J. D. Bell.

The chairman requests the SCAR to state that all persons who can accommodate boarders during the Welcome Week will please send in their names and locations to any one of the committee.

MARKET ORDINANCES.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen Last Night. A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last night to receive and act upon the report of the Committee on Market and Fees with regard to the petition of citizens praying that the ordinance forbidding meat to be offered for sale at other places than the regular markets, unless the same has been salted seven days, be rescinded.

Alderman Fowler, chairman of the Committee on Markets and Fees, reported for his committee, recommending that the period for exposing meat for sale, other than in the markets, should be that it be salted five days instead of seven, and that the ordinance be amended accordingly; and that pork bones (spare-ribs and back-bones) and sausage, should be sold at any time anywhere.

Alderman Nixon moved that "three" be substituted for five days. This was adopted and the ordinance was amended accordingly.

The following petition was read by the clerk, Mr. W. A. Willson. To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington: We, the undersigned, a committee from and in the name of the Wilmington Light Infantry, hereby petition you to lease the City Hall for such a number of years and under such terms and conditions as may be hereafter agreed upon, Respectfully,

D. MACRAE, JR., W. R. KEAN, P. HINSBERGER, JR. The petition was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings with instructions to report at next meeting. The Board then adjourned.

Perfecting Arrangements for Welcome Week. The Music Committee met last night in the counting room of H. P. West's store. Present: Jas. A. Willson, chairman; T. W. Clawson, secretary, and Messrs. C. H. Robinson, W. A. Martin, and W. W. Hodges.

The chairman, for the committee to confer with the several bands, reported that all arrangements for music during the festive week—December 1st to 5th—had been perfected.

There will be two concerts every day, except parade days, as follows: Tuesday afternoon and night, Wednesday afternoon and night, Thursday afternoon, and at night there will be three bands in the grand trades' parade; Friday, afternoon and night, Saturday, afternoon and night.

The music will be rendered from a stand erected on Market, between Front and Second streets, and it need not be added that the music will be as fine as has ever been heard in the State, and eminently worthy of the grand and glorious occasion.

The Committee on Parade, of which Mr. J. F. Post, Jr., is chairman, were to have met last night at the City Hall, but that being occupied for another purpose, the Committee will meet there at 8 o'clock to-night.

The Board of County Commissioners met in special session yesterday morning to consider bids for building the new County Court house. Chairman Bagg presided at the meeting, and Commissioners Moore, Montgomery and Pearce were present. Only three bids were submitted—all from out of town parties—and the contract was awarded to Messrs. Valentino & Brown, of Brunswick, Ga., on the firm's bid of \$56,500, under conditions that a bond of \$15,000 be required of them and 10 per cent. of the money retained for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Commissioners met again in the afternoon and were engaged in the transaction of routine business.

Criminal Court. Criminal Court for New Hanover county convened yesterday, Judge Meares, presiding. The forenoon was occupied with drawing and empanelling the grand jury, as follows: A. S. Holden, foreman; Duncan Holden, J. S. Mitchell, Seth Walton, A. C. Penton, J. W. Costin, W. Cromwell, R. J. Strickland, G. R. Holt, G. W. Yopp, H. H. Woebse, C. F. W. Bissenger, J. P. Chapman, D. F. Flinn, A. R. Padrick. Two or three cases brought over from the last term of Court were disposed of, and the grand jury presented two bills—one against Geo. Stone, for larceny, and the other against Wm. Taylor, for assault and battery.

COTTON FACTS AND FIGURES.

Receipts of cotton here yesterday were 2,658 bales; receipts same date last year 1,184 bales. — Spot cotton dull in New York yesterday at 8 1-16c for middling—a decline of 1-16th on opening quotations.

— Market dull and nominal in Wilmington, at 7 3/4c per pound for middling; quotations last year, at same date, 9 1/2c. — Futures closed quiet and steady in New York; November \$7.60@7.68; December \$7.65@7.70; January \$7.81@7.82.

— Savannah News: There is no doubt that the cotton crop in this section is about all harvested and that the receipts at the South Atlantic ports will shortly begin to drop off heavily. Reports are received from all sides that the fields are bare and the picking season is practically over. The crop was light, and though the staple was very fine, the low price received by no means compensated the farmers, a large portion of whom are left in debt.

The complaint is general from the country districts that the renters and croppers, especially the colored farmers, failed to pay out, and a general retrenchment on this line will be the order next year. Merchants are refusing to sell except for cash, and many of the farmers have not the money with which to buy.

— Boston Bulletin: Low water is causing a great many mills to run on short time or shut down altogether. The large manufacturing concerns at Lowell, Fall River and Manchester are depending almost entirely on their steam power. The situation is beginning to assume an alarming aspect, and unless heavy rains come in a few days many mills in New England that depend on water power will have to stop. Aside from the water troubles the business outlook of manufacturing is fairly good.

SHOT FROM AMBUSH. A Colored Man Murdered in an Ox-Cart Near Raleigh.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—At a late hour last Saturday night, the corner of this county received a dispatch stating that a colored man had been found dead in a cart near Hall Springs, about twelve miles from the city. The coroner went to the scene yesterday, and the following facts were elicited at the inquest: About 7 o'clock last Saturday afternoon, a colored man named Simeon Atkins, residing on a farm about one and a half miles from Holly Springs, started to the mill about two miles distant. Between 8 and 9 o'clock, the ox-cart in which he was returned to the farm, the animal drawing the cart into the open field. This attracted the attention of the owner of the farm. He examined the cart in which was found the body of Atkins, with two bullet-holes in his head, and shot in other portions of the body. It was evident that the victim had been shot from ambush, but there was no evidence whatever to fix the crime upon any particular person.

Much excitement exists in the neighborhood. Atkins was regarded as an inoffensive man, of good habits, and industrious.

Wilmington's Welcome Week—November 30, December 5, 1891. The C. F. & Y. V. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Wilmington, N. C., at the rate of one cent per mile travelled on account of Wilmington's Welcome Week, November 30th to December 5th, 1891. General limit December 7th, 1891. The following rates will govern from competitive points: Fayetteville \$1 65; Greensboro, \$3 60; Maxton, \$1 75; Sanford, \$3 40; Winston-Salem, \$4 20; Rural Hall, \$4 45.

Lumber for the West Indies. Schr. M. A. Achorn cleared yesterday for Santiago de Cuba with 277,751 feet of lumber valued at \$3,127.13. Vessel by Geo. Harris, Son & Co., cargo by S. & W. H. Northrop. Schr. Nettie Shipman cleared for Kingston, Ja., with 289,874 feet of lumber and 100,000 shingles, valued at \$4,839.29, shipped by Messrs. Jas. H. Chadbourne & Co.

DIED. HARDWICKE—In this city, at 1 o'clock on Monday morning, November 16th, 1891, Mr. GEO. W. HARDWICKE, in the 64th year of his age. Funeral this morning at 10 o'clock, from St. Paul's Church, thence to Oakdale Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend. Lynchburg and Richmond, Va., papers please copy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M. REGULAR MONTHLY COMMUNICATION this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Inviting brethren and guests invited to attend. nov 17 It THOS. F. BAGLEY, Sec'y.

W. T. U. No. 228. TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF Wilmington Typographical Union No. 228. You are hereby ordered to meet at the Hall at 3:15 this morning, to attend the funeral of our late brother, G. W. Hardwicke. By order of the President, VANCE NORWOOD, Sec'y. nov 17 It

Notice to Tax-Payers. MR. W. A. ROURK, SHERIFF OF BRUNSWICK COUNTY, will be at Mr. Wm. Goodman's Store on Market between 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. to-day, for the purpose of collecting Brunswick County Taxes. nov 17 It

Cut Rates in Photographs. CALL AT MY GALLERY FOR SPECIAL PRICES. First-class work in all that pertains to the Photographic art. nov 17 It H. CRONENBURG.