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The Southern Stock Mutual Insurance Co., Greensboro, N. C.

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Are the wide awake Racket Store people of the city by the sea. We have in the last month received a goodly sum of hard cash from the damage we received by fire in Winston, N. C., 1893.

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Please Notice!

My stock of Dress Goods must go to make room for Genies' Furishing. To do this I will sacrifice every yard of Dress Goods now occupying my shelves.

Basket Flannel, 48 inch, 37 1/2 yd. Silk warp Henriettas, 45 inches wide, at 75c yard, regular price \$1.25.

Brocade Camel's Hair Serge, 46 inches wide, at 55c, regular price 85c. Henrietta, 42 inches wide, at 75c, original price \$1.25.

Cross-barred Serge, 40 inches wide, worth 85c, at 55c per yard. 34 inch Flannel, all-wool, worth 40c, going at 25c.

Two pieces Black Albatross, all wool, 21 inches wide, at 10c per yd. One piece Serge, 38 inches wide, at 50c, regular price 85c per yard.

Think—All-wool Stripe Flannel in Tan and Grey, to be sold at 20c, regular price 45c.

One piece of light grey plaid Flannel at 35c, regular price 60c. Fancy Plaid Flannel at 35c, regular price 65c.

One piece Drab Bateste, fine stripe, at 12 1/2c, regular price 25c. Come early and secure the bargains. Every article in Dress Goods at a sacrifice.

C. E. Gordon's, N. E. Cor. Market and Front sts. Leaders. We lead others. We are first a work of clean and first in price.

OUTLINES.

Senator Shoup, of Idaho, re-elected to the U. S. Senate. — Postal Telegraph & Cable Co. to issue \$5,000,000 additional stock. — Three hundred and ten negroes on their way to Africa. — The Governor-General of Cuba has demanded the recall of the U. S. Consul-General at Havana. — Strike of coal miners in the Pittsburgh district. — Washington news—amount of gold received at the Treasury on account of the bond issue; amendments to Civil Service rules. — The bodies of two infants and a Chinaman found in the main reservoir of the water-works at Seattle. — Death of a prominent citizen of Jackson, Miss. — The British Postal Telegraph Department. — U. S. steamer Fern badly damaged by fire. — Mexican banks will not purchase drafts on New York unless payable in gold. — Affairs of the American Church Missionary Society. — Two Bay Line steamers in collision—a miraculous escape. — Mysterious disappearance of Rev. John O. Bache, manager of the Union Central Life Insurance Company. — Eventful voyage of the schooner Geo. L. Dixon. — The Grand Jury have indicted the cashier and assistant cashier of the broken Bank of Lexington, Virginia. — Cotton spots and futures. — Chicago grain and provision market. — N. Y. markets: Money on call has been steady at 3 per cent. and closed offering at 2 per cent. cotton steady; middling Gulf 8 1/2 cents; middling uplands 5 1/2 cents; Southern flour dull but steady; common to fair extra \$1.90-\$2.75; good to choice do. \$2.80-\$3.85; wheat dull and lower; No. 3 red in store and at elevator 58 1/2-59 1/2 cts; No. 2 red 60 cents; corn—spot more active and firmer; No. 2 at elevator 49 1/2 cents; No. 3 at 49 1/2 cents; spirits turpentine firm and quiet at 39-39 1/2 cents; rosin quiet at 39; strained common to good \$1.50-\$1.60.

After about sixty-five ballots the Senatorial contest in the Delaware Legislature is still at a deadlock and Addicks holds his solid six.

It is said that Mr. W. W. Astor's experience in running a daily paper in the city of London has cost him \$2,000,000 and that he is sufficiently amused.

The aggregate of appropriations made by the last Congress is estimated at about \$2,000 less than \$500,000,000. The largest item is \$141,351,570 for pensions.

Miss Gould got the Count that she was looking for, and the Count got the Gould that he was looking for. So far neither of them has been disappointed, but in the long count both may be.

Cuba's "revolution" was short-lived. If it was so soon to be done for what was it begun for, or why didn't they wait until Senator Call could put his war paint on and come to the rescue?

A Chicago man killed himself because he was "tired." We do not see why any Chicago man should kill himself to get out of that town when the railroad fare to California is down to 35c.

After thirty-five years of public life, ex-Congressman Holman, of Indiana, retires to his farm, poorer, he says, than when he left it. What a profound contempt the average Republican statesman must have for Mr. Holman's financial tact.

The Chicago man is a hustler, of which Wayne Dixon, aged only 22, is a shining example. He was with a firm only eighteen months as book-keeper but beat it out of \$10,000, and doesn't feel vain over his success either. Perhaps he might if he hadn't got into jail.

A mother's devotion and a woman's pluck were strikingly illustrated in Pennsylvania when a mother aged eighty years started to nurse a sick daughter living at some distance, and finding the trains snow-bound walked eighteen miles through the snow and arrived at the sick bed badly frost-bitten.

Some years ago Steve Elkins, of West Va., lived in Missouri, where he was neighbor and friend of the Younger boys, who afterwards became bandits and went to the penitentiary. Steve went to the U. S. Senate. The experience of the Younger boys shows that young men cannot be too particular as to whom they associate with.

Billy Mahone still retains his interest in that Washington dump pile, although the U. S. Senate voted to pay him \$250,000 for it, a little job which was very properly set down upon by the House, which also killed the bill to buy the Blaine house for \$150,000 to save Senator Cameron from the annoyance of having a theatre too near his house.

The New York Press suggests that Georgia sheriffs should have some instruction in the art of hanging people to avoid the necessity of hanging a man twice, as had recently happened in that State. But it is not clear that the New York method has much to boast of in the way of cleverness, when after being "electrocuted" the doctors have to cut a man up to satisfy themselves that he had been judicially killed sure enough.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HEINSBERGER—Blank books. A. P. LEVY—The French Cafe. W. B. COOPER—To turpentine men.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

New York truck dealers quote kale \$1.00-\$1.30; spinach, \$2.00-\$2.75. — It required nearly 1,000 copies of the STAR "Extra" yesterday to supply the demand for reliable news from Raleigh.

Kinston is not yet dead. She has purchased a Sibley steam fire engine and 2,000 feet of hose. "Better late than never."

There were two lively run-aways yesterday; one on Princess and the other on Market street. Both caused considerable excitement.

Local forecast: It will probably be cloudy and showery in this section for the next two or three days, with slowly rising temperature.

In the City Court yesterday a white tramp, found drunk and down, was ordered to leave the city.

The catch of shad in the Cape Fear is large this season. They sold in market yesterday at 40 cents per pair for backs and 75 cents per pair for roe shad.

It was a son of Rev. Mr. Rawlings who was injured by running his bicycle into a rope tied across Market street, not Rev. Mr. Rawlings as it appeared in the STAR.

The people of Wilmington know now what the Legislature will do with their city government. The STAR has never expected anything better. In fact, it rather feared we would get something worse.

Mr. George Wolfe, who has been an employee of the Orton several years, has voluntarily relinquished his position to return to his home in Baltimore. The management regretted to lose Mr. Wolfe.

Mr. Wm. N. Tillinghast, a Fayetteville merchant of forty-one years of active business, and a man of the highest integrity, has been compelled to make an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. D. H. Ray is assignee.

Mr. L. B. Pennington, who recently purchased the Empire Steam Laundry, has taken possession, and the entire business is now conducted under his proprietorship. The STAR wishes the ex-lightning-bug all manner of success.

Killed on the Rail.

A young white man, supposed to be a tramp, was killed on the C. F. & Y. V. railroad track at Point Peter while attempting to board a freight train yesterday afternoon about five o'clock. As the train pulled out from the depot going West, the man jumped on the ladder on the rear end of one of the cars, but failing to get secure hold of the ladder fell on the track and was run over by the car following, the wheels cutting his body half in two and killing him instantly. Four other tramps who were with the unfortunate man, were questioned in regard to him. They said his name was unknown to them; that he was a Swede by birth, and could not speak English well; was supposed to have been about seventeen years old. The coroner was notified and postponed the inquest until this morning. He had the body removed to the depot.

Like a Cloud-burst.

The rain-storm this morning about half-past one o'clock was like a cloud-burst, sheets of water driving through the streets. There was a high wind from the West and thunder and lightning on an extensive scale during the storm.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., MAR. 8.

Meteorological data for yesterday: Temperature: 8 a. m., 55°; 9 p. m., 50°; maximum, 68°; minimum, 39°; mean, 60°.

Rainfall for the day .14; rainfall for the month up to date .84 inches.

FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY.

For Virginia, light rains, followed by clearing weather, winds shifting to west; slight changes in temperature.

For North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, generally cloudy, with rain; east wind.

COTTON FACTS AND FIGURES.

Receipts here yesterday, 349 bales; same day last year, 148.

New York futures closed firm and 8 to 9 points higher than closing quotations Wednesday, March opened at 5.86 and closed 5.85; April, 5.57 and closed 5.56; May, 5.84 and closed 5.89; June, 5.86 and closed 5.78; July, 5.89 and closed 5.78; August, 5.78 and closed 5.79; September, 5.77 and closed 5.83; October, 5.83 and closed 5.88; November, 5.83 and closed 5.88; December, 5.83 and closed 5.88.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—185 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 14 bbls tar, 15 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—188 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 158 bbls rosin, 138 bbls tar.

C. F. & Y. V. R.—23 bales cotton, 56 casks spirits turpentine, 78 bbls rosin, 78 bbls tar.

Steamer Daggett—1 bale cotton, 87 bbls tar, 9 bbls crude turpentine.

Stmr Frank Sessoms—5 casks spirits turpentine, 49 bbls tar, 73 bbls tar.

Total receipts.—Cotton, 349 bales, spirits turpentine, 91 casks; rosin, 657 bbls; tar, 884 bbls; crude turpentine 13 bbls.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

BILL TO AMEND THE CITY CHARTER OF WILMINGTON PASSED SECOND READING IN THE HOUSE.

Appropriation for the Confederate Monument Passed—Daniel L. Russell One of the Code Commissioners—Brunswick Bridge and Ferry Bill Passed—Other Measures of Interest.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

RALEIGH, N. C., March 7, SENATE.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m. President Doughton in the chair, and prayer was offered by Rev Mr Ammons, of the Senate.

Mr Hamrick introduced a bill to employ contractors to work at the North Carolina School for the Deaf and Dumb. Mr Adams, a bill to provide for convict labor on the roads of Moore county; also, a bill to incorporate Pierce College.

Mr Hurley, a bill to provide for a ferry on Pee Dee river.

Bill to incorporate the town of Swannboro passed third reading.

Bill to incorporate the Southport and Western Railroad Company passed third reading.

Bill to create the office of gamekeeper in Currituck county passed third reading.

Mr Fowler arose to a point of personal privilege, and said that an attempt had been made by Senators to place him in a bad light before the people because he had gone to Newbern on a free pass. He said he had been in Newbern and he had in an address at Newbern thanked the railroads for their courtesy. He declared that he had never condemned any Senator for anything. He referred to the fact that he had introduced nearly all the bills this session affecting railroads. He declared that it was not right for any Senator to impugn the motives of another on such slight cause.

Mr Abell arose and said that Mr Fowler's remarks were probably called forth by something said by himself. He disclaimed any intention to reflect upon Mr Fowler, and Mr Fowler said the explanation was satisfactory.

Bill to provide for graded schools at Washington passed third reading.

Bill to incorporate the Charlotte and Mecklenburg railroad passed third reading.

Bill to provide for the levy of a special tax in Anson county passed second reading.

Bill to allow the Mecklenburg Fair Association to purchase the fair grounds passed third reading.

The bill to amend the charter of the city of Raleigh came up on its third reading. Mr Dowd offered an amendment that it be passed this morning at the city sixty days before the election. The amendment was defeated and the bill then passed third reading by a vote of 27 to 17.

Bill to incorporate the Carolina, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad Company passed third reading.

Bill to incorporate Elizabethtown, in Bladen county, passed third reading.

Bill to incorporate the town of Plashland, in Anson county, passed third reading.

Bill to provide for a stock law in Bladen county passed third reading.

Bill to protect birds in Randolph and Davidson counties passed third reading.

Bill to amend the pay of a juror in Pender county passed third reading.

Bill to incorporate the Norfolk and Camden Railroad Company passed third reading.

Mr Starbuck introduced a bill to elect a board of managers for the Colored Normal School.

Bill to amend the charter of the town of Lincoln passed third reading.

Bill for the relief of Kirby R Polk, of Anson county, placing him on the pension roll, passed third reading.

[Special Star Telegram.]

Bills passed the Senate appropriating \$18,000 to the Morganton Deaf and Dumb Asylum; to incorporate the Southport Terminal Improvement Company; to reduce the salary of Superintendent of State Penitentiary; amend charter of Newbern; to create a code commission to revise and codify the laws, to consist of three commissioners named A. L. Russell, of Wilmington, Daniel Guthrie, of Durham, and Spencer Blackburn, of Ashe county, present reading clerk of the Senate.

Mr. George L. Morton and other citizens of Wilmington were before the committee on the State Guard bill today for several hours, and received patient hearing. They will be heard again to-morrow, and the impression prevails that the committee will be favorable to allowing the State Guard appropriation to stand as it is.

Bill to appropriate \$100,000 to the Morganton Insane Asylum passed both the Senate and House.

The Senate accepted a resolution to allow Mrs. Pattie D. Barrington investigation as to certain charges made by her against prominent citizens of the State. The resolution provides for a committee of investigation, to be paid by the State.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House met at 10 o'clock, the Speaker in the chair and prayer was offered by the Rev Mr Babb, doorkeeper of the Senate.

RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS. Mr White, of Bladen, bill to provide improvements at the Normal and Industrial School.

Mr Linney, bill to amend sections 2227-28 of the Code. Relates to the death and blind.

Mr Wooten, bill to amend the charter of Kinston.

Mr Lusk, bill to apportion and equalize taxation.

BILLS ON THEIR PASSAGE. Bill making appropriation for the N C Insane Asylum came up. It appropriates \$65,245 for the support of the institution, \$45 for payment of debts, \$1,000 for fire alarm, \$6,000 for connection with the city water works, and \$8,000 for new pumps and repairs to gas plant. An amendment making a general deduction of \$5,000 was adopted, and then the bill passed its regular reading.

Bill to protect birds in Davidson county.

Bill to amend the charter of the city of Wilmington introduced by Mr French offered two amendments which were adopted as follows:

FIRST AMENDMENT. Amend section 11 as follows: Strike out all after the word "Wilmington" in the fourth line down to and including the words "both Houses" in the eighth line, and insert "the said Board of Commissioners" to consist of Wm H Chadbourne, John R Melton, Silas P Wright, John E Taylor and Frederick B Rice, Also, add to section 11 as follows: "In

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Permanent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Miss Maud Rhoads, of Washington, D. C., is in the city visiting Miss Olivia Penny.

— Mr. S. B. Hall, a prominent merchant of Hallboro, was a visitor at the STAR office yesterday.

— Mr. F. W. Hargett and T. B. Henderson, of Jacksonville, N. C., were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

— Mrs. Frank D. Alexander, after a week pleasantly spent here with relatives and friends, left yesterday for her home in Charlotte.

— Mr. Phil. Townsend, the genial and accomplished telegraph operator of the Southern Associated Press, has gone to New York to spend two weeks with relatives and friends. The STAR wishes him a season of uninterrupted pleasure and a safe return to "the old stand."

— Messrs. C. M. Hawkins, Raleigh; H. B. Short, Lake Waccamaw; Jas. Battle, Nichols; J. J. Crosswell, Fayetteville; H. Butters, Hub; D. G. Pickard, Fayetteville; H. L. Fry, Greensboro; F. T. Mills, Whiteville; W. W. Miller, Rocky Point; D. L. Farror, North Carolina; J. L. Butler, Raleigh; T. M. McKay, Lillington, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

AN "EXTRA" DEMAND.

The People of Wilmington Were Thrilled by the Battle News from Raleigh, and They Got It Through the Star.

At 9 o'clock p. m. yesterday an "Extra" was issued from the STAR office, which, while it contained bad news, was in greater demand here than anything of the kind has been in several years. Everybody was anxious to know what the Legislature would do about our city charter, and some news had been received early in the day through private sources, that aroused a feeling of hopefulness as to the result. This feeling was soon dissipated, however, we are sorry to say, by that contained in the STAR "Extra," referred to above, and which was as follows:

ALAS! FOR WILMINGTON.

Late and Reliable News from Raleigh. [Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, March 7, 1.30 P. M.—The Wilmington City Charter bill passed second reading in the House to-day with Police Commission, and also with amendment for continuing the old Board two years. The vote was 60 to 39. It will be special order for to-morrow on third reading. It is claimed that Russell vanquished Skinner in the Populist caucus last night, and that the bill as passed to-day was as Russell advocated in his office. The Police Commission will elect all the police, city attorney, city treasurer, &c.

Cylinder Press Wanted. Mr. W. S. Herbert, editor of the Free Press, whose office and material were totally destroyed in the disastrous fire at Kinston, wishes to buy a good second-hand cylinder press that will print a nine-column folio. Write him at Kinston, with full description and lowest price.

Sneak Thief.

A sneak thief entered the residence of Mr. Sol. Bear, on South Fifth street, Wednesday night and carried off two overcoats and two hats from the hall-ward. The family were at supper in the dining room when the unwelcome visitor called.

ALL FOR ONE DOLLAR.

Twenty-Five Choice Novels for One Dollar and One Dollar—Here the Authors. Examine this list of standard novels. You can get the 25 books for one cent and One Dollar, and they will be sent post-paid to any address. See announcement in another column for coupon and complete list of books.

THESE 25 FOR ONE DOLLAR.

No. 1—A Rogue's Life; By Willie Collins. No. 2—The Red Hood; By Robert S. Brant. No. 3—The Red Hood Tragedy; By Emma D E N Southworth. No. 4—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 5—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 6—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 7—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 8—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 9—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 10—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 11—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 12—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 13—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 14—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 15—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 16—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 17—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 18—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 19—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 20—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 21—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 22—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 23—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 24—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens. No. 25—The Duke's Daughter; By Mrs. Ann S Stephens.

THE KINSTON SUFFERERS.

Kind Offer from the Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Co.

The Kinston Free Press publishes the following:

WILMINGTON, March 4, 1895. T. J. Meacham, Kinston, N. C.

Please say to the Mayor that we have heard with regret of the serious loss to the people of Kinston, and that our traffic department to-day, through you, send instructions as to the movement of any materials that may be wanted for rebuilding.

W. C. KELLOGG, President W. & W. R. R. Co.

WILMINGTON, March 1, 1895. T. J. Meacham, Kinston.

Regret to hear of your disastrous fire. Please say to the Mayor that we have heard with regret of the serious loss to the W. & W. R. R. will contribute 25 per cent of the freight of all shipments to be used in rebuilding the burnt district.

T. M. EMMESON, Traffic Manager.

Shipping Notes.

The German barque Woodan ground on Fryan-pan shoals, was pulled off yesterday and towed to the quarantine station at Southport.

The Woodan sailed from St. Pierre, Martinique, December 27th for this port. On January 15th she was spoken by the Albatross off Ocracoke, and since that time she has been blown back and forth, as the Captain said, from New York to the Bahama Banks, and during his fifteen years experience at sea he never was in worse weather.

The twin-screw steamer Pedro Pablo, from New York for a port in Cuba, put in at Southport Wednesday to make some repairs to one of her engines.

The tug Alexander Jones left Wilmington yesterday for Cape Lookout to tow the leaking schooner Greenleaf Johnson from that place to New York city.

— The American Encyclopedia Dictionary is now complete in 49 Parts. Send in orders at once.

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The dry goods business is full of point of view, for artists have ex in producing novel and exquisite

Spring of '95. Read this Week's Offer

Special. All Silk; Fashions, Latest Conceptions. Delicate and dainty color effects, and exact reproduction of this season's high-price Parisian Novelties.

Taffeta Plisse, 60 & 65c. We have four and five-inch Black Ribbons for Crush Collars and Belts.

Special. 60 in. Cravanette. Waterproof and will not spot, unequalled for skirts, and very thing for Coast wear.

\$1.50 per Yard. We have lovely carved Pearl Buttons, in clear white for Trimming in white, light blue, pale green, tan or pink pique suits.

Special. Those laces we have been telling you about are here in good variety, cheaper and more beautiful than hitherto shown.

We have full Butterfly Neck Ties of Black Satin for men, and the advanced, woman who advocate men's ties.

Special. A special line of Henriettas, Serges and Granites in all colors and in black.

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Rust-Proof Oats & Seed Potatoes. 63 bbls. E. R. POTATOES for seed. 864 bags PEANUTS, all grades. 1299 lbs. Flour. 1469 bags Flour. 1400 bushels R. P. Oats. 30,000 lbs. D. S. Sides. 142 bbls. Molasses, all grades. 1399 Kegs N