



Table with weather forecasts for various locations like Raleigh, Durham, and other parts of North Carolina.

The Weather. U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE WEATHER BUREAU. WILMINGTON, N. C., June 26. Meteorological data for yesterday.

OUTLINES. The Treasury gold reserve is intact again for the first time since December, 1894. It is rumored that the bond syndicate has been released from the obligation to import gold.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. WANTED—Teacher. SHERIFF—State taxes. D. L. GORE—Wanted. THE ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Boston capitalists have bought a whole town in Wisconsin, paid \$2,000,000 and are going to turn it into a tannery.

Germany feels as if she had been bounced in that business between China and Japan, with Russia for the boucco steerer.

The Silver men claim that they were in the majority at the meeting of Republican clubs at Cleveland but were frozen out under the rules.

Gen. McAlpine, President of the Republican Clubs, was robbed of \$1,000 and a gold watch, while at Cleveland. He should have remembered the company he was in and kept his hands on his wallet and watch.

The heirs of one Mr. Dingee, deceased, have put in a claim for property in the State of New York valued at \$500,000. If they have any money to push this claim they may have some fun hearing the lawyers talk.

A Kansas doctor has made the discovery that a little pile of dirt the progress of a potato will stop the new army of rats, that will send a ball through half a dozen thicknesses of plank. As dirt is pretty abundant there is nothing to prevent any fellow from having a little fort of his own in a scrimmage.

On a trial of speed a few days ago on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, with electric locomotives, one of them made eighty miles an hour and could have done better if it hadn't been for hot boxes. Another, hitched to a train of three passenger coaches and a heavy steam locomotive, moved them easily with a speed equal to that of a steam locomotive. The railroad men were pleased with both tests and especially with the prompt starting and stopping.

Gov. Dick Oglesby, of Illinois, refused a 25 cent cigar offered him by a man in Washington, because he said it would ruin him politically if he found out in Illinois that he was smoking 25 cent cigars. Ben Lamar, member of Congress from Indiana, begged some fellows who caught him in a bath-house never to mention it at home, as his constituents would never stand that.

A Buffalo Alderman saved the life of a Pole the other day, for which the Pole was so grateful that he bolted home and hurried back with one of his baby sons which he begged the Alderman to accept as a token of his gratitude. But the unselfish Buffalonian firmly declined to accept reward for the service rendered. He already had assortment enough in his nursery.

It is thought that Lenz, the bicyclist, was shot while wheeling through Armenia, to settle a dispute between two Turkish soldiers as to whether he was a man or a devil. The riders who first venture among the unsophisticated Chinese in the interior have hard work to persuade the natives that they are not devils, and sometimes they have a devil of a time before they do it.

The theory of those who contend that electrocution does not kill gets pretty strong backing by a case in Rochester a few days ago when a man ran foul of an electric wire, got 3,000 volts poured into him and was apparently dead for an hour, but was resuscitated.

The Washington Star says there is a possibility of both the great national political conventions being held in the South this year. There is a possibility of their being held in Alaska, but there is very little probability of it.

If Mr. Cohen who jumped from the Brooklyn Bridge and was picked up unharmed wanted to kill himself why didn't he try that never falling Brooklyn trolley?

WANTED—Teacher. SHERIFF—State taxes. D. L. GORE—Wanted. THE ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK. NEW BUSINESS LOCALS. FOUND—Pointer. MECHANIC'S HOME ASSOCIATION. NELL MCKINNON—Molasses, etc.

Fortunate Paraphs Persuading Principally to People and Politically Printed.

Mr. W. W. Smith of Raleigh, is here on a short visit.

Judge O. P. Meares is holding court in Charlotte this week.

Mr. Owen B. Wightman, of Fayetteville, is a visitor in the city.

Miss Kinzie Hanks, daughter of Mr. A. G. Hanks, has returned home after graduating at school, Berkeley, Va.

Judge Hoke was thrown from a buggy while driving with his sister near Locomotion last Sunday and his right arm broken.

Messrs. John W. Wats, Fayetteville, N. C.; H. S. Tott, New London, N. C.; T. L. Vail, Charlotte, N. C.; J. M. Wilson, Knoxville, N. C.; M. B. Overy, Harrison, N. C.; C. B. M. Weddington, Concord, N. C.; L. Meyers, wife and daughter, Charlotte, N. C.; R. W. Taylor, Charlotte, N. C.; J. W. Kistler, Mooresville, N. C.; W. G. Burkhead, Whitesville, N. C.; W. Freeman, Orangeburg; R. W. Gray, E. R. Gray, Charlotte; G. H. Racy, Egypt, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

First Baptists Church. Rev. W. B. Oliver will leave next week for Kinston, N. C., and on the 18th of July for Baltimore, Md., to attend the Baptist Young People's Union, which meets on the 18th and continues until the 21st. On account of his absence from the city the ordination of baptism will be administered on Thursday evening after prayer meeting, and again next Sunday. The candidates are requested to come prepared on Thursday night.

Colored Baseball Team. The two colored teams, Fear Not, of Charleston, S. C., and Black Stockings of this city, crossed bats again yesterday morning, which resulted in favor of the home team. Score 9 to 0. They play the crack colored team of Charlotte tomorrow afternoon at Hilton Park.

First of the Season. The first cotton bloom of the season reached the STAR office yesterday. It came by mail from Mr. J. B. Weatherly, Maxton, Robeson County, N. C., who says it is the first seen in that section and that it came from a field of Mr. Colin Davis, of Alma, N. C.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

Local forecast for to-day: Fair; light southerly winds.

An excursion from Goldsboro is expected to arrive at 9:30 this morning.

There was six additions to Grace Methodist church Sunday and one to Fifth Street church.

Black river was rising rapidly yesterday, the result of recent rains along the head waters of that stream.

The Wilmington on her three o'clock trip from the city to day will go so far down the river than to the pier for Carolina Beach.

The Mechanics Home Building and Loan Association will open a new series July 10th. The subscription books close on July 6th.

It is rumored that the free coinage Democrats will organize a club in Wilmington within the next fortnight. The promoters of the project, it is said, are trying to secure the attendance of a speaker of national reputation for the occasion.

A STRANGE NEGRO.

Believed to be the Murderer of Lee Jones Lurking in the Woods Near Cronly.

A correspondent of the STAR, writing from Cronly, N. C., June 26th, says there is a strange colored man lurking in the woods between Northwest and Cronly, on the north side of the Carolina Central railroad near the Cape Fear river. He carries a gun and has a dog with him. He was seen last Monday by Howard Perkins (colored) who says that as soon as he saw him the man ran back into the bushes. It is believed by people living in the neighborhood that the stranger is John Dixon, the murderer of Lee Jones, for whom the Commissioners of New Hanover county have offered a reward of \$100, and who has been outlawed by two justices of the Peace of the county. The correspondent adds that the strange negro has been in the neighborhood of Cronly for a week or more. He is a man of about middle age.

APPOINTMENTS WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. S. Bone, P. E. Onslow circuit, at Tabernacle, June 29 and 30. Ocasal Mission, Meadow Bridge, July 1 and 2. Scott's Hill circuit, Prospect, July 6 and 7. Market Street, Bethany, July 13. Wilmington, Grace Church, July 14 and 15. Wilmington, Fifth Street, July 21 and 22. Southport station, July 27 and 28. Waccamaw circuit, Shiloh, August 2 and 3. Brunswick circuit, August 3. Whiteville and Fair Bluff, at Fair Bluff, August 3 and 4. Elizabeth circuit, Bladen Springs, August 10 and 11. Magnolia circuit, Magnolia, August 17 and 18. Wilmington, Bladen Street, night, August 18. Carver's Creek circuit, Carver's Creek, August 24 and 25. Bladen circuit, Antioch, August 31 and September 1. Keanawau circuit, Richlands, September 7 and 8. Brunswick circuit, Shalotte Camp, September 14 and 15. Clinton circuit, Johnson's, September 21 and 22.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Oysters Yesterday.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—78 casks spirits turpentine, 148 bbbls turpentine, 7 bbbls tar, 4 bbbls crude turpentine.

Carolina Central R. R.—78 casks spirits turpentine, 278 bbbls rosin, 41 bbbls tar.

C. F. & V. Y. R. R.—80 casks spirits turpentine, 169 bbbls rosin, 8 bbbls tar. Steamer A. P. Hurt—29 casks spirits turpentine, 699 bbbls rosin, 46 bbbls tar, 14 bbbls crude turpentine.

Steamer Linbom—7 casks spirits turpentine, 148 bbbls rosin.

Steamer Daggett—90 bbbls tar, 4 bbbls crude turpentine.

Total receipts—Spirits turpentine, 268 casks; rosin, 1,089 bbbls; tar, 132 bbbls; crude turpentine, 62 bbbls.

Excursion From Onslow.

The excursion train from Charlotte arrived last night at 8 o'clock, via the Wilmington & Weldon railroad. The number of excursionists was variously estimated, from 400 to 700. The excursion is given by the Second Regiment band of Charlotte. The visitors will remain in the city until to-morrow night.

Buy No Others.

All persons are hereby cautioned against buying copies of the STAR offered for sale on the streets unless, in every case, the words "For Transient Sale" are stamped on the margin of the paper. Should any newsboy or carrier offer for sale a copy of the STAR not so stamped he should be promptly reported at this office.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

A Reception Tended Vice Grand Chancellor Catlett by Clarendon Lodge K. of P.—Prominent Pythians Present.

There was a large gathering last night of members of different lodges of the order of Knights of Pythias in the city at the Castle Hall of Clarendon Lodge No. 2, the occasion being a reception tendered by Clarendon Lodge to Prof. Washington Catlett, elected to the position of Vice Grand Chancellor of North Carolina, at the convention held last week at Mount Airy.

The proceedings were interesting. Grand Representative Walker Taylor, of Clarendon Lodge, read his report of the Grand Lodge, which was concise, plain and full, and was listened to with marked attention.

Supreme Representative T. D. Meares spoke in eloquent terms of Prof. Catlett, as well as of all the representatives from this city to the Grand Lodge. He stated that the Grand Lodge had honored Wilmington by electing from this city its Supreme Representative, its Grand Vice Chancellor and the chairman of one of the important standing committees. It had also honored the Uniform Rank by making an appropriation for it. The representatives from all the lodges in Wilmington worked together, thus showing that in unity there is strength. He was glad to see that all worked together in harmony, as this is the only way in which an organization can succeed.

Prof. Catlett made a short address, thanking his fellow members for their kindness and courtesy, and expressing his high appreciation of the honor they had conferred upon him, and hoped to meet by his actions their continued approval and support.

Short speeches were made by Representative Behrens, of Germania Lodge; Representative Woodward, of Jefferson; and E. G. Parmelee, of Clarendon; Representative Greenwood, of Stonewall Lodge, and others present.

After partaking of refreshments provided for the occasion, the proceedings concluded.

BASE BALL.

Game To-day at the Hammocks by High Point and Wilmington Teams.

The base ball grounds at the Hammocks have been put in excellent shape for the game this afternoon. A large force of hands was busy all day yesterday, and last night the work was completed. The visiting team from High Point, which arrived here last night, is an aggregation of the best players in the State, and without the home team plays good ball, they will find it hard to win.

Manager Roberts has secured a first class battery, and promises a game worth seeing. On Thursday Mr. W. P. Oldham, of Chattanooga, Tenn., will be here with a professional pitcher, and as a battery they will be hard to touch.

The following are the players for to-day's game: Wilmington—Dalgreen, catcher; Pearl, pitcher; Furlong, first base; Balde, second base; Stevens, third base; Bray, short stop; Zellars, left field; French, centre field; Delano, right field; Roberts and Rankin, subs.

High Point—King, catcher; Strayhorn, pitcher; Armfield, first base; Watson, second base; Bailey, third base; Ragdale, short stop; Ford, left field; Jones, centre field; Barber, right field; Davis and Hoosier, subs. N. H. Slaughter, manager.

NEAR RESERVES.

Never was there a more enthusiastic meeting of the Naval Reserves held than last night, when Lieutenant Commander Geo. L. Morton and Lieutenant J. C. Morrison made speeches of what the Division had done and what the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and his Lieutenants had said of the efficiency of the State's naval battalion. After address by the above in regard to the cruise of 1895 and what they proposed to do in the near future, Ensign W. R. Morrison read a commission from Commander Winslow of the North Carolina Naval Battalion to Lieutenant J. C. Morrison, appointing seaman John G. Marshall for duty as assistant orderly to Lieut. John W. Harper, navigator and ordnance officer of the Battalion. The boys called on seaman Marshall, who responded, thanking the Naval Battalion for the honor conferred upon him.

CAROLINA BEACH.

Purchased by a Stock Company—Officers Elected.

Capt. S. W. Skinner has sold the Carolina Beach property to a joint stock company, the members of which met yesterday and organized by electing the following officers: President—S. W. Skinner. Vice President—D. O'Connor. Secretary and Treasurer—Jas. C. Stevenson.

General Manager—L. H. Skinner. Directors—James C. Stevenson, S. W. Skinner, D. O'Connor, L. H. Skinner, H. C. McQueen.

The new company have chartered the steamer Linbom and Italian for a number of years, and will, it is understood, make extensive improvements at this popular Summer resort.

Dividend Declared. At the regular weekly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Atlantic National Bank, held yesterday, a semi-annual dividend of 8 per cent was declared payable to stockholders on and after July 1st, and \$5,000.00 was added to the surplus account out of the earnings of the last six months. This bank has increased its surplus account \$10,000.00, or 8 per cent, besides paying 6 per cent. dividend within the past year, making a net profit to stockholders of 14 per cent. in one year. The bank now has \$53,000.00 surplus.

—There are just as many people looking for houses to rent this year as ever. If you have a vacant house to rent advertise it in the STAR'S Business Locals. Only one cent a word. But no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents.

RALEIGH NEWS BUDGET.

MATTERS OF MORE OR LESS MOMENT AT THE STATE CAPITAL.

Hot Waves Feedered—Bapt Coal—West Point Cadets—"Horse Soup"—Jim Young's Excursion—Appropriation For Colored Normal Schools—Monsieur—Mr. J. F. Bryan's Case—The Arrington Tribunal.

Raleigh, N. C., June 25. Weather Officer Von Herman predicts a scorching hot wave for the remainder of the week.

The experiment station has gotten out the North Carolina weather report for the year 1894. The report consists of the 12 monthly reports of the weather for the year and other interesting statistics and matters on the subject. The report is nicely bound and is quite exhaustive.

The Egypt Coal Company has begun to supply the Seaboard road with one hundred tons of coal per day. This coal is only being used on freight trains at present.

Mr. Richard S. Babee, son of Hon. F. Babee, has returned from the examination before the Board of Examiners. Mr. Chas. M. Cooke's son, of Louisa, stood the examination successfully, and he having the appointment from this district will enter at West Point.

The people talked something yesterday but "horse soup" which is being furnished in abundance by the city authorities. It seems that the horse was thrown over a steep embankment in the city of Raleigh. The horse was thrown the horse overboard, was not aware of the fact that the water found its way into the water-shed from which it had been taken. The horse, which had been removed, though not until after great negligence on the part of some officials. The water company is blamed by many people.

Jim Young's excursion goes to Wilmington Saturday. He says he will carry fourteen coaches well loaded.

The Legislature made an appropriation of \$1,000 to the State Colored Normal School. It develops that there are seven of these schools in the State and the Attorney General has given it as his opinion that the money should be equally divided among all seven. The man who framed the bill did not have sense enough to express his desire. It was intended to divide the amount proportionally among the schools, but there were special bills passed after several normal schools. The one at Fayetteville got \$1,500.

Mr. H. C. Tuttle has presented the Museum with two specimens of specimens of monazite as they are found in their various forms or states in the Western counties. There are all shades and they are quite pretty. The collection is quite valuable.

Mr. J. Frank Williams, formerly of Wilmington, who has been appointed joint inspector of the Southern Steamship Line, is expected to return to the Seaboard Road jointly, has returned to the city after several flying trips up and down the road. His position is that of an arbitrator in any disputes between the two roads. He has nothing to do except settle these disputes.

Deputy Collector T. N. Williams of the Sixth Virginia District, reports that while in Rockingham county, he seized a 100 gallon still, distillery and outfit and 1,000 gallons of beer belonging to Wm. Chilton. Two 90 gallon distilleries, carrying 180 and 200 gallons, were in Rockingham county. A 65 gallon outfit was destroyed by Deputy Collector Smith in Rockingham county.

MR. J. BRYAN'S CASE. The following is a copy of the correspondence between State Auditor Furber and Attorney General Osborne concerning Hon. J. E. Bryan.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 19, 1895. DEAR SIR—I respectfully ask you to state in case of in re Martin, 60th N. C. Reports.

Therein it seems to have been held that the acceptance of one position of trust or profit vacates any other office held by him. Hon. J. E. Bryan was a member of the late General Assembly for Chatham. He was appointed by the Legislature to a committee to investigate the claims of Mrs. P. D. B. Arrington. He qualified as such committee member by attending meetings of the committee on the 14th, 15th and 19th days of the month of June. It has been taken the oath of office as a Director of the Penitentiary under the law passed by the recent Assembly, and claiming to be a member of said Board is suing for a seat as an Auditor.

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SECOND REGIMENT BAND.

The Charlotte Visitors Received and Entertained by the Wilmington Band.

The Second Regiment Band of Charlotte, who arrived here last night, were entertained by the Second Regiment Band of Wilmington. A committee, consisting of Messrs. R. B. Clowe, Jas. W. Monroe and W. W. Hodges, met them at the depot and escorted them to the hotel and thence to their band room. The Wilmington band played two familiar airs, after which President Jas. W. Monroe delivered the following address of welcome:

Gentlemen of Second Regiment Band, N. C.: I have been delegated as President of the Second Regiment Band of Wilmington, to extend to you a heartfelt and cordial welcome to our city by the sea, and the free use of our band room during your stay with us. The latch string to the door will be on the outside, the key temporarily lost; so all you will have to do will be to walk in. We welcome you to our sea breezes; we welcome you to our time-honored and historical Rock Spring, which, according to the legend of the Cape Fear, is that charm fountain, the waters of which once imbued every draws the visitor to drink again. You are welcome to our mosquitoes, if you can find any, and regret that we haven't a well-stocked supply to sell you. We deal in no false praise when we say that the strongest tie of friendship, which has always existed between Wilmington and Charlotte, is highly appreciated by the ties of affection, which I trust will ever remain so. Again, gentlemen, we welcome you, an assurance you will carry with you within our homes as within our hearts.

Mr. Monroe's address was responded to by Drum Major Daniel E. Smith, of Charlotte and Mr. Creswell, of Concord, who both made speeches thanking the band for courtesies and the hospitable reception. Toasts were made, supper was served and a general good feeling and handshaking prevailed. The supper was served in an admirable way by Mr. A. P. Levy. After toasts to the Charlotte band and one to the memory of the late W. Nick Jacobs, a member who was so universally liked, the home band played two selections, which ended the ceremonies.

NEW YORK TRUCK MARKET.

Full and Detailed Reports of Markets For Southern Fruits and Vegetables. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Cherries and plums quiet unless choice. Raspberries steady, better supply. Huckleberries steady. Fancy blackberries firm, others dull. Watermelons selling better. Choice muskmelons in light supply and inquired for. Vegetables in very moderate receipt and fairly active and firm for desirable stock; all others freely offered.

Muskmelons—Florida per barrel \$1.00 to \$1.20; ditto Maryland and Delaware, 10c to 15c. Huckleberries—Virginia and Georgia, per hundred, \$1.00 to \$1.20; ditto car loads, \$1.00 to \$1.25. Apples—Georgia, carrier, \$1.00 to 1.75. Cukes—Charlotte, per basket, 50c to 75c; ditto Savannah, per basket, 25 to 40c; ditto Norfolk, per basket, \$1.00 to 1.25. Cabbages—Norfolk, per barrel, 40c to \$1.00; ditto barrel crate, 40c to 75c. Eggplants—Florida, \$1.50 to 2.00. Onions—Virginia and Georgia, per hundred, \$1.00 to \$1.25; ditto car loads, \$1.00 to 2.00. Potatoes—Rose, \$2.50 per barrel, \$1.00 to \$1.20; ditto Chile red, \$1.75 to 2.50; ditto Chile white, \$1.50 to 2.50; fair, \$1.50 to 2.50; ditto car loads, \$1.50 to 2.50. String beans—Norfolk, wax, per basket, \$1.00 to 1.75; ditto ditto green, per basket, \$1.00 to \$1.50; ditto Maryland, wax, per basket, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Squash—Florida—Marrows, carrier, \$1.00 to 1.25. Tomatoes—Florida, choice, carrier, \$1.25; ditto common, carrier, 50c to \$1.00; ditto Mississippi case, \$1.00 to 1.50.

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