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Port Almanac—November 12.

Sun Rises	6.33 A M
Sun Sets	4.55 P M
Day's Length	10 h 22 m
High Water at Southport	.330 P M
High Water at Wilmington	3.17 P M

The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 12.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 48°; 8 p. m., 44°; maximum, 45°; minimum, 43°; mean 44°.

Rainfall for the day .06; rainfall for the month up to date, 1.86.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina and South Carolina, fair, preceded by local showers on the coast; northeasterly winds; slightly warmer in the interior.

The barometer has risen in all districts east of the Mississippi and in the extreme Northwest. It is highest in the Ohio Valley and lowest in Southern California. Fair weather prevails, except in the South Atlantic States where showers continue.

It is colder on the Atlantic Coast and slightly warmer in the upper Lake region and from Minnesota southward to Texas.

Slightly warmer, fair weather will prevail throughout the central Valleys and Lake regions.

OUTLINES

The Supreme Court of the United States has rendered a decision sustaining the Edison incandescent light patent against the claim of the Consolidated Light Company that the Edison system was an infringement on their system. —— Returns to the Agricultural Department show an average yield per acre for the entire cotton belt of 155.6 pounds. —— Turkey's Asiatic provinces are on the eve of a revolt —— French financiers hold a conference to decide upon the best means of preventing a financial panic. —— A mob broke open the jail at Purvis, Miss., and released Will Purvis, who was under sentence of death for murder. —— Yesterday was Illinois day at the Atlanta Exposition, and Illinois visitors received a hearty welcome; speeches were made by several prominent men, among them Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois. —— The cornerstone of the Jefferson Davis monument will be laid next May. —— The Ward Line steamer Niagara ran down and sank the American barque Wm. Hales, off Cape Henlopen; five of the crew of the barque were drowned. —— The South Carolina Convention took up the lynching article yesterday, but postponed further consideration for a week. —— New York markets: Money on call was quoted at 1@2, last loan at 1½ and closing offered at 2½ per cent; cotton quiet—middling gulf 9 cents; middling 8¾ cents; Southern flour dull and easy—common to fair extra $2.10@2.80; good to choice $2.90@3.10; wheat—spot fairly active and lower; No. 2 red in store and at elevator 66½c; afloat 68c; corn—spot was fairly active and easier; No. 2 at elevator 35¾@36½c; afloat 37¼c; spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 28@28½c; rosin firm and quiet—strained common to good $1.70@1.75.

The reported plurality of 15,000 for Bradley (Rep.) for Governor of Kentucky has "swunk" to 6,559.

The Fair will case has been settled out of court. The heirs have agreed to a fair division of the estate, valued at $40,000,000, which is a more sensible procedure than letting it be divided up into lawyers' fees and court costs.

The dear money advocates tell us that free silver is dead as a result of the recent elections. What, dead again? How many lives has it anyway? The 18-karat gold men pronounced it dead long before the November elections.

According to the New York *Times*, there were 40,000 qualified voters in the city of New York who did not register for the last election, and 40,000 who were registered who did not vote. There were 30,000 registered citizens in Chicago who didn't vote.

The Irish potato crop this year is the largest on record for this country, being estimated at 282,148,000 bushels, and right on the heels of this a doctor bobs up to announce that there is a good deal of unhealthfulness under the jacket of a potato.

A doctor in South Dakota has succeeded in splicing the tail of one snake on to another of a different species, producing a very healthy specimen of the composite snake. Great possibilities are opened before that man. He can now supply the shows with snakes with heads on each end, and varied combinations of snakes unique and varied.

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THE MORNING STAR,
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The Only Six-Dollar Daily of its Class in the State.

When Col. Bob Ingersoll was, after the election in Kentucky reminded of a remark he made fifteen years ago that when Kentucky went Republican he would believe in a hell, he replied that Kentucky going Republican went to prove that hell does not exist. That's Bob's dodge, but it may be taken as presumptive evidence that the number of people in that State who do not believe in a hereafter is increasing.

The Brooklyn trolley seems to have a nack of killing and maiming people peculiar to itself. It has made a record of 130 killed or maimed within two years. Why the Brooklyn trolley should have so far eclipsed other cities which have the trolley it isn't easy to see, unless the trolley fellows are proud of the distinction and are determined to hold their pre-eminence.

It is said that the main trouble with Eugene Field, the recently deceased journalist and poet, was an unreliable stomach. The stomach is a pretty hard thing for some people to manage, any way. It is always getting them into trouble. They would be much better off if they were equipped with a gizzard, or something of that sort.

The Kentucky Legislature stands 68 Democrats, 68 Republicans and 2 Populists. The Republicans have a majority in the House and will, of course, unseat enough Democrats to give them a majority on joint ballot. This will give another "sound money" partisan Republican to the United States Senate.

Paderewski, the Polish ivory manipulator, took a bang at a New York audience last week and raked in $5,650 in one night, which is said to be the biggest haul ever made by a performer in that town in one night. The combination of Polander, much hair, ivory and nimble fingers is a great thing.

We have always contended that the A P. A. was simply a Republican annex. The late elections show it. It voted for the Republican ticket everywhere. The editor of the *United American*, published in Washington, admits this, and says it was the cause of the Republican sweep.

Mr. Preston, Director of the U. S. Mint, estimates the output of gold for this year at $180,000,000, of which English dependencies will furnish $89,368,000 and the United States $39,500,000.

It cost Coxey, the crank candidate for Governor of Ohio, $75 a week since his campaign opened to find out that there were 60,000 more of his kind of cranks in that State.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

HALL & PEARSALL—Seasonable goods.
MASONIC—Meeting St. John's Lodge.
VETERANS—Atten'n Cape Fear Camp.
J. NAUMBURG—Residence to sub-let.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

WANTED—Salesman.
NOTICE—$75.00 a week.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mr. J. L. Watt, of New York, was registered at the Purcell yesterday.

— Mr. D. W. Alderman, of Alcolu, S. C., is in the city accompanied by his wife.

— The STAR's old friend, Mr. A. B. Nichols, of Nichols, S. C., was in the city yesterday.

— Mr. J. H. Currie, formerly of this city but now of Fayetteville, was among the arrivals here yesterday.

— Mr. Jas. Hooper returned to the city yesterday after an extended business tour through South Carolina and Georgia.

— Capt. D. S. Cowan, of Columbus county, was in the city Sunday on a visit to his son-in-law, Mr. W. G. Pulliam of the A. C. L.

— Messrs. Robert S. Mebane, E. R. Graves, Richmond, Va.; James Martin, Brooklyn, N. Y., were registered at the Purcell yesterday.

— Capt. N. A. Ramsey, of Durham, is here on a brief visit. His many friends, especially the old Confederate veterans, are glad to see him.

— Ex-Judge Henry G. Connor arrived here on important professional business Sunday night. He left last evening for Raleigh, where he appears before the Supreme Court in some of the most important of the Bank of New Hanover cases.

— Messrs. J. A. Brown, Chadbourn; J. J. Royall, Morehead City; Sam Mace, Loris, S. C; John D. Kerr, E. W. Kerr, Clinton; J. A. Westbrook, Mount Olive; E. M. Johnson, Willard; Clif Cohen, Clinton; N. A. Ramsay, Durham; H. U. Butters, Hub; F. W. Isler, Goldsboro; J. G. Hannah, Raleigh; W. H. Pike, Southport, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line "Special" for Atlanta, leaving Wilmington 11.00 p. m. Sunday night, November 17th, will have through sleeping cars and it will be well for parties desiring accommodations to call at General Office, Atlantic Coast Line, and secure accommodations desired in the next few days. †

— There will be a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock of the Second Regiment Band for election of officers.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— Local forecast: Rain, clearing Tuesday; light to fresh northeast, shifting to northwest winds; colder.

— There was 3.1 feet water in the river at Fayetteville Sunday at 8 a. m.; a fall of one tenth of a foot in the previous 24 hours.

— There will be a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to-day at 12.15 o'clock p. m., in the director's room of the National Bank of Wilmington.

— Rev. F. T. Wooten will aid Rev. J. B. Harrell, pastor of South Side Baptist Church, corner of Fifth and Wooster streets, in a meeting every night this week. Everybody welcome.

— Employes in the U. S. Engineer Department here were engaged yesterday in burning up some condemned scows at the government yard on the Cape Fear river, just above Point Peter.

—In the City Court yesterday, Ed. Jones, charged with gambling, was required to give bond in the sum of fifty dollars fhr his appearance at the Criminal Court, and in default was committed to jail.

— Rev. W. B. Oliver left here yesterday for Mount Airy, to assist Rev. Mr. Haymore in a series of meetings in the Baptist Church there. Rev. Ed. S. Alderman will supply Mr. Oliver's place in the First Baptist Church here until the return of the latter.

— The Naval Reserves will practice a new drill to-night for the Atlanta trip. It is more than likely they will be joined by Kinston and Elizabeth City here, and meet the Connecticut, Massachusetts and Maryland Reserves in Atlanta for the big parade. A full attendance is desired.

— Mr. George F. Belding, who is travelling in the interest of a publication entitled "One Thousand Miles," issued by the Seaboard Air Line, was a visitor at the STAR office yesterday. It is a pamphlet descriptive of the lands, &c., on the line of the Seaboard system, and its object is to induce immigration.

OPERA HOUSE.

A Select Amateur Entertainment Last Evening.

One of the most refined amateur entertainments that has ever been given in this city was given at the Opera House last night by a party of Wilmington's best talent. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather the house was crowded with a very flattering audience composed principally of ladies and lovers of good music.

The curtains rose promptly at 8.15 o'clock. In part first with the rendition of Adler's beautiful instrumental composition entitled "March de Salon," rendered by Miss Lavender, piano; Messrs. Wilson and Schloss, cornets; Alderman, flute; Martin, violin, and Munson trombone, which was followed by Mr. James D. Smith, who sang in his own pleasant style "Madrienne" Romanza, by Stultz. He was lavishly encored, but failed to respond except with one of his most graceful bows, which evoked thundering applause from the audience.

Miss Henderson then sang "A Summer Night," Thomas, which was greatly enjoyed by the audience, who gave her a hearty encore, for which she sang "Sweetheart Sigh no More" in a very sweet and bewitching manner. Miss Henderson has a very sweet voice and her execution shows great care and study.

The cornet solo—polka—entitled "Belle of the South," by Liberati, rendered by Mr. Sim Schloss, was in keeping with "Sim's" reputation as a cornetist.

Next came that beautiful duet, "Good Night," from Martha, Flotow. This was rendered by four of Wilmington's best and most cultured voices, viz: Mrs. Frank, Miss White and Messrs. Smith and A. S. Holden. They received deafening applause from the audience, which was recognized by their reappearance and a graceful bow.

"Birth of the Roses," a grand instrumental piece, ended the first part, when the curtain fell and the audience was given five minutes between the acts.

Wilmington's popular and accomplished pianist, Miss Cannie Chasten, accompanied the vocalists, and that charming musician, Miss Lavender, presided at the piano in the instrumental parts.

The second part was a beautiful little melo drama, full of wit and humor, entitled "One Too Many for Him," with cast of characters as follows: Mr. De Walker, fond parent, Mr. Carl Schulken; Mr. Cymon Hilton, impetuous bachelor, Mr. Clark; Miss Euphemia De Walker, romantic spinster, Miss Etherige; Isabella, a young lady with no objection to getting married, Miss Annie Dudley; Nancy, a house maid with an independent spirit, Miss Hanby.

The little play was highly enjoyed by the audience. The performers were repeatedly applauded, and each part was rendered in a most acceptable manner. They showed careful preparation and much credit is due them for this most acceptable amateur entertainment.

The committee in charge asks the STAR to express their sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who so ably and generously aided in the entertainment.

Encyclopædia Britannica.

The STAR Britannica Department is still filling orders for the Encyclopædia Britannica. This is the latest and best edition of this great work. Issued in 25 volumes, bound in cloth or sheep. For full particulars read announcement on hird page, or inquire at the STAR office.

Are you going to Atlanta? Why, of course, I will take advantage of the Atlantic Coast Line's offer and go on the 17th at $5.00 round trip. This line offers the quickest schedule and best service, with through sleeping cars. †

C. F. & Y. V. RAILROAD.

A Succinct Statement of the Plan of Reorganization—Provisions of the Trust Deed That Direct How the Property Shall be Sold Under Foreclosure—To be Offered First as an Entirety.

Messrs. Hambleton & Co., bankers, of Baltimore, Md., in a circular letter of Nov. 9th, 1895, give the following information relative to the proposed reorganization of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley railroad, referred to briefly recently in telegraphic dispatches to the STAR, viz:

The reorganization committee of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company has agreed upon a plan for the reorganization of the property, and has submitted the same for the approval of the bondholders. The plan provides as follows—the property to be sold under foreclosure, and a new company organized with the following capitalization:

Prior lien four and a half per cent. bonds	$ 500,000
General mortgage three and four per cent. bonds	3,400,000
First preferred stock	1,700,000
Second preferred stock	600,000
Common stock	900,000

The general mortgage bonds are payable in gold, run one hundred years, and bear interest at the rate of three per cent. for first four years and four per cent. thereafter:

DISTRIBUTION OF NEW SECURITIES.

Prior lien bonds		$ 500,000
To be used for purpose of reorganization and payment of claims adjudicated as having priority of the mortgage	$ 200,000	
To be held for betterments, ect.	300,000	
		$ 500,000
		$3,400,000
General mortgage bonds		
To holders of Class A bonds	$1,570,000	
To holders of Class B bonds, seventy-five per cent. of $734,000	550,500	
To holders of Class C bonds, seventy-five per cent. of $880,000	615,000	
To North State Improvement Company, in settlement of rolling stock, branch roads, leasehold interest in South Carolina Pacific Railway Company, etc.,	208,000	
Reserved in treasury of Company	531,500	
		$3 400,000
		$1,700,000
First preferred stock		
To holder of $1,000 A bond, with all overdue coupons, four shares,	$ 400	
To holder of $1,000 B bond, with overdue coupons, six shares,	600	
To holder of $1,000 C bond, with overdue coupons, six shares,	600	
Making a total of,	1,532,400	
Reserved in treasury of company	167,600	
		$1,700,000
		$ 600,000
Second preferred stock,		
To be given to holders of present consolidated mortgage bonds, two and one-half shares for each $1,000 bond and overdue coupons,	$ 467,000	
Reserved in treasury of company,	133,000	
		$ 600,000
		$ 900,000
Common stock,		
To be given to the city of Wilmington and other municipalities which have subscribed to the construction of the road,	$ 300,000	
With each new general mortgage bond, two shares,	537,700	
Reserved in treasury of company,	62,300	
		$ 900,000

RECAPITULATION.

For each $1,000 A bond will be given a new general mortgage 3 and 4 per cent. bond for, Four shares first preferred stock and two shares of common stock,	$ 1,000
For each $1,000 B bond, a new general mortgage of 3 and 4 per cent. bond, First preferred stock, six shares; common stock, two shares,	750
For each $1,000 C bond, a new general mortgage 3 and 4 per cent. bond, First preferred stock, six shares; common stock, two shares,	750

The reorganization committee has taken the property as they find it, and have built up a plan of reorganization on the present earning capacity of the road and upon a basis of equity and fairness to all in interest. The claim of the A bondholders, that the lien on the division covered by their mortgage possesses a greater value than that securing the bonds of the B and C divisions, is recognized by an allotment of twenty-five per cent. in General Mortgage bonds in excess of the amount given the B and C bondholders, and the B and C bondholders are given an additional amount of first preferred stock, representing the principal of bonds surrendered. It would appear to us that the A bondholders should find it decidedly to their advantage to accept the proffered terms. Although they have a first lien upon the most desirable portion of the property, it is very doubtful whether under any circumstances the courts would permit a dismemberment of the road by a separate sale of the several divisions. All precedents are against such a ruling, and especially noticeable, in this connection is the case of the old Orange & Alexandria Railroad (Virginia Midland) where the same state of affairs existed. The Orange & Alexandria was similarly bonded as to the several separate divisions and the divisional bondholders made an ineffectual effort to have the property sold by divisions. The court refused to permit such dismemberment upon the grounds that the greatest good to the greatest number demanded the preservation of the unity of the property, and that to destroy its unity would be to destroy its value and would be unwise and inequitable. While the trust deed of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Company provides that the A, B and C bonds shall possess a separate lien upon their respective divisions, it also provides in case of foreclosure that the road shall be offered as a whole, and only in case of there not being a satisfactory bid, is a separate sale of the several divisions allowable. At least so it appears to us, and it would also appear that the court is the judge of what may be considered an acceptable bid.

Article 1 of the agreement between the Railroad Company and the Trustee provides that the property shall be held "for the benefit and security of all and every, the persons or bodies corporate who shall at any time be the holders of said bonds, without preference as to priority in the time of issuing the same, but with the *preference and distinction of lien* as regards the several series of bonds as is hereinbefore set forth." Regarding the power of the Trustee to sell the property under foreclosure, the agreement provides that the Trustee shall proceed "to sell and dispose of at public sale all and singular the said railroad, hereby mortgaged or agreed, or intended so to be, to the highest bidder, *offering the same first as an entirety*, and in case no acceptable bidder is forthcoming for the said property as an entirety, then the said Trustee shall proceed to sell *separately the three divisions of the road*, hereinbefore made and upon which the several series of bonds are hereby made or intended to be made *first liens*."

Article 5 provides: "It is further covenated and agreed that the sale of the aforesaid railroad, franchises and appurtenances made under provisions herein, the party of the second part (the Trustee), its successor or successors, may personally or by its agent, *purchase the property so offered for sale on behalf of the holders of the bonds issued hereunder upon such terms as may be equitable and just to the holders of the several series of said bonds*."

Article 18 says: "The right of action under this indenture is vested exclusively in the trustee, and under no circumstances shall any bondholder or number of bondholders have any right to institute an action or other proceeding on or under this indenture for the purpose of enforcing any remedy herein and hereby provided except in case of refusal on the part of the trustee to perform any duty imposed on it by this agreement, etc."

The present fixed charges upon the property are $188,240. The fixed charges under the proposed plan will be in 1900, after the General Mortgage bonds draw four per cent., only $187,240, or $46,000 less than at present. The gross earnings of the Company for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1895, were $495,800, operating expenses $400,000 and net earnings $95,200. During the receivership repairs and betterments have been charged to operating expenses. When the new company is fairly started and the new money provided is expended on the property and equipment, the road can be worked at a much lower percentage and the earning capacity of the property will be largely increased. No receiver's certificates have been issued and there is no car trust. We consider the plan of reorganization does full justice to all interests. It is conservative, practical and equitable and we think the bondholders will find it to their interest to accept the proposed settlement.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

Second Week of the Term—Cases Tried Yesterday.

The United States District Court, Judge Seymour presiding, convened yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock pursuant to adjournment last Saturday, and disposed of the following cases, viz:

W. A. Kendall, retailing liquor without license. Verdict, guilty.

Isham McLamb, illicit distilling. Continued.

John R. McLamb, illicit distilling, Continued.

Wiley Tindall, illicit distilling. Continued.

John Scott, illicit distilling. Verdict guilty.

D. D. Stewart and W. M. Cannon, convicted last week of illicit distilling were sentenced; Stewart to pay $100 fine and imprisonment for four months and Cannon, $100 fine and one month's imprisonment, in Cumberland county jail.

Sim. DeBerry, retailing without license. Not guilty.

Court adjourned in the evening until 9.30 a. m. to-day.

There are two or three cases yet on the criminal docket to be disposed of, when cases in the Circuit Court will be called. The first of these, which will probably come up to-day, is the suit of heirs of the late W. P. Elliott for $5,000, the amount of a life insurance policy held by deceased in an accident insurance company of Louisville, Ky.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—564 bales cotton, 60 bbls tar, 3 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—926 bales cotton, 26 casks spirits turpentine, 110 bbls rosin, 30 bbls tar, 48 bbls crude turpentine.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—23 bales cotton, 28 casks spirits turpentine, 461 bbls rosin, 62 bbls tar.

Steamer Frank Sessoms—19 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 144 bbls rosin, 159 bbls tar, 62 bbls crude turpentine.

Total receipts—Cotton, 1,532 bales; spirits turpentine, 56 casks; rosin, 715 bbls; tar, 311 bbls; crude turpentine, 62 bbls.

Death of Mrs. Hartsell.

The many friends of Capt. James S. Hartsell of the A. C. L. will regret to learn of the death of his mother at Florence, S. C., yesterday morning at one o'clock. She was an estimable lady, residing in Goldsboro, but at the time of her death was on a visit to her son-in-law, Mr. L. W. Lake, of Florence. Her remains passed through the city yesterday, being carried to Goldsboro, where the funeral and interment will take place today.

Magistrate's Court.

H. L. Holden, arrested on a peace warrant, was arraigned yesterday in Justice John J. Fowler's Court. He gave bond in the sum of $50 to keep the peace for six months and was discharged.

W. J. King, charged with assault and battery on Elijah Hardison, was adjudged not guilty, and the prosecutor was taxed with the costs.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our "Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents.

This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to advertisers, who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

Cotton Notes.

Spot cotton quoted firm in Wilmington at 8¼c; quiet in Charleston at 8c, and quiet in Savannah at 8 5-16c.

Receipts of cotton here yesterday 1,532 bales; same day last year 1,748.

New York futures closed 11 to 12 points lower than closing Saturday.

Port receipts yesterday were 38,187 bales, against 80,159 last year.

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.

Housekeepers who want servants are in the habit of supplying their needs from the STAR's want column. Are you looking for a situation? The STAR's want column will bring you the best results. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents tf

That new stock which I purchased since returning from Atlanta is all in and selling low down. I have a complete line of gentlemen's suits, pants, collars, shirts, neckwear and underwear. I lead in goods and prices; call and see me and be rewarded by receiving kind attention and low prices. I. Shrier, corner Front and Princess streets, Davis & Zoeller's old stand. †

RALEIGH NEWS BUDGET.

THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY RELAYING TRACK OF THE N. C. RAILROAD.

Chrysanthemum Show—Cold Weather—Passenger Traffic on the A. C. L.—Losses at the Reidsville Races—Gov. Carr and Family—Supreme Court—Cotton Bales Lighter Than Usual This Season—Fire Near the Yarborough House.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 11.

The Southern Railway begins active preparations to reach their deep water terminus at Norfolk by replacing the track of the North Carolina Railroad between Greensboro and Goldsboro with heavier rails. The work is now full, under way. At present the laying of the new rails will not extend beyond Nelson, a point 20 miles beyond Raleigh. The reason for this is that the Southern has a supply of 60-pound rails which they desire to utilize and they are placing it to the best advantage. Next year still heavier rails will be placed on the road between Greensboro and Selma. The terminal work at Pinners Point and Portsmouth will soon be completed. The line of vessels which go to West Point will likely change their route on the first of January making Norfolk the objective point.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Bradley, the recently elected Republican Governor of Kentucky, who is being urged so persistently and so early in the game for the Vice Presidential nomination, is an old North Carolina favorite in Republican circles. In 1888 Loge Harris nominated Mr. Bradley as a Southern Republican for the Vice Presidency. He was quite a young man then, and is still so, Mr. Harris says. Mr. Bradley received the solid vote of the North Carolina delegation for the Vice Presidency.

The chrysanthemum show, which is an annual feature in this city, begins on Wednesday and will last two days.

The weather is cold and disagreeable this morning. Snow is predicted by old-timers. It rained constantly all day Sunday.

It is said that mail clerks will be put on the Southern's regular mail between Greensboro and Goldsboro.

Sheriff Page has gone to the bedside of his daughter, Miss Daisy, who is quite ill of typhoid fever at the Normal College.

Over fifty tickets were sold early this morning at the up-town Seaboard office for Atlanta. The five dollar rate will take away several car loads to-morrow. Yesterday the Atlanta special passed here in two sections. Three hundred people went from Norfolk.

The Reidsville people lost $15,000 on the races, so it is said. The attendance was remarkably small. Joe Patchen, the great racer, is now at Mr. Banks Holt's Alamance farm in company with John R. Gentry. It is said that Mr. Holt will purchase Patchen. It is also asserted that neither horse will ever be put on the track again.

The Governor has returned from Atlanta. Mrs. Carr and the children returned also. Mr. W. K. Carr, son of the Governor, and Miss Lambeth, of Washington, D. C., are visiting at the mansion.

The Supreme Court takes up appeals from the Seventh district this week. The Wilmington Bank cases will likely be reached.

A cotton firm in this city which buys extensively for Southern mills has received several telegrams of late making inquiries about the light weight of the bales of cotton. It is a generally known fact that bales do weigh less this year than last. The firm after inquiring about, learned this to be the case. One ginner remarked that he had not been able to make a heavy bale of cotton this year. This fact is attributed to the drought. Cotton was so light and dry, that it was impossible to get the usual amount baled. The firm in this city after inquiry estimates a deficiency of ten pounds to the bale. At a crop estimate of 7,200,000, there would be a deficiency of 162,000 or something over two per cent. of the crop. Here is a bull argument which has not been brought into account.

A dwelling caught a fire last night on Fayetteville street, just below the Yarborough. It was raining hard and it looked for awhile as if the flames would do a deal of damage. A second alarm was turned in, and the fire was soon out. Damage about $300.

The Oxford and Henderson military companies go to Atlanta this week.

The three weeks' term of court came to a close Saturday.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

Maggie Cline, serving a year's sentence in the penitentiary, was granted a conditional pardon to-day by the Governor. She was taken to Baltimore and will spend a year in a house of refuge. She is a pretty young girl from Haywood county.

J. B. Burwell has made an assignment.

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Regular monthly communication this (TUESDAY) evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

WM. M. POISSON, Secretary.

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Attention Veterans!

MEMBERS OF CAPE FEAR CAMP No. 254, U. C. V. are requested to meet at the Court House this (Tuesday) night at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

By order of the Commander.

HENRY SAVAGE, Adjutant.

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To Sub-Let

THE MODERN TWO-STORY HOUSE No. 105 North Sixth street, occupied by me. It has nine rooms and bath, cistern, hot and cold water, gas and all modern improvements. Apply on premises.

nov 12 tf J. NAUMBURG.

Seasonable Goods,

Such as Butter, Cheese, Cakes and Crackers, Nuts, Candies, &c., &c., are being received daily.

Our Albion Patent Flour is a trade winner. Call or write for prices.

A small lot of 6 inch Shingles at less than dealers' prices.

HALL & PEARSALL,

Nutt and Mulberry streets

nov 12 D&W tf

Hardware

Crockery,

STOVES.

No Merchant tells the truth when he says his goods are better than another. But he can say he has as good.

AS TO PRICES

All we ask is that the people of Wilmington and surrounding country compare our prices with others.

WE WANT TO SELL,
WE MUST SELL, AND WE
ARE GOING TO SELL,

so bring along your cash and we will guarantee you satisfaction. We propose to convince you that this

Advertisement is Not Merely Idle Words,

but is put here not because talking is cheap but to let you know that we

Will Not Be Undersold.

Complete stock Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, Crockery and House Furnishing Goods.

Alderman Hardware Co,

29 South Front Street.

nov 10 tf

COAL,

COAL.

Part of my Coal fleet has arrived, consisting of the following vessels, viz.: Schooners Thos. Clyde, R. S. Graham, Eva Danenhower, A P. Schmidt, Thomas N. Stone and others due to arrive next week as follows: Schooners Eva May, Jno. C. Gregory and the Anna V. Lawson, all loaded with

High Grade Egg, Stove, Chestnut and Furnace Coals.

Also I'm now receiving twelve car-loads of the famous Jellico Coals from Tennessee, the very

Best That Grows.

These goods are for sale and not for big prices.

Don't Be Deceived

by representations that you can buy cheaper elsewhere. Just stick a pin right here and drive it in.

J. A. Springer.

nov 10 tf

The Famous, "Ball Bearing"

BICYCLE SHOES,

From C. H. FARGO & CO.,

Just received and on sale at $3.00 for Men's and $2.50 for Ladies', in both plain and corrugated bottoms. Specialties in

Children's School Shoes,

And Infants' Soft Bottom Shoes. Also full lines of Ladies' and Gents', Misses', Boys' and Men's Fine and Coarse Shoes, at prices to suit these times.

All kinds of Leather. Different grades of Harness and Sole Leather, Calf Skins, Cut Top Lifts, and a full line of

Lasts and Shoe Findings

in general.

Before buying elsewhere please see our stock.

Respectfully,

Mercer & Evans.

nov 10 tf

Office of Secretary W., C. & A. R. R. Co.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 9th, 1895.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

OF the Stockholders of the Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroad Co. will be held at the General office of the Company in Wilmington, N. C., on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of November, 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m.

JAS. F. POST, Jr.,
nov 10 tm Secretary W., C. & A. R. R. C.

R. P. Oats for Seed.

Cow pease for cow feed.
1,300 bushels Rust Proof Oats.
125 bushels Cow Pease.
700 bundles Ties.
300 rolls Bagging.

Also Crackers, Cheese, Paper Bags, Peanuts, Red Oats and other goods.

D. L. GORE,
120, 122, 124 North Water St.,
nov 10 tf Wilmington, N. C.

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The Department

DryGoods

HOUSE

No. 9 North Front St.

KATZ & POLVOGT,

PROPRIETORS,

will open thousands of dollars worth of

Cloaks, Dress Goods and Silks.

This Week:

Our Mr. Polvogt has been scouring the Northern markets this week securing the latest things fashion dictates for feminine wear.

DRESS GOODS,

Novelties in Brocade,

Mohair, Crepons

AND

Cheviot Silks.

Superb assortment in BLACK BROCADES, CHAMELEON effects, in colors.

Cloaks and Capes,

Bound and Plain Cloths at prices astonishing.

CARPETS and Rugs.

Rich Velvets, Moquettes and Brussels in new patterns. All Carpets made and laid without charge.

Shade Department.

King's Scotch Holland, fine Opaque Shades, made to fit special measurements.

LINENS AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

Stellon's fine German Bleached Table Damask without dressing appeals to good housewives.

Be sure and pay us a visit. The handsomest Dry Goods House in the State.

Katz & Polvogt,

No 9 North Front St.,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

nov 10 tf

True Bermuda Easter Lily.

(LILIUM HARRISII.)

THIS MAMMOTH WHITE TRUMPET LILY, with flowers four to five inches long, is the best of all Lilies for winter forcing and flowering, because its grand, trumpet-shaped flowers, which give forth a delicious perfume, are wonderfully beautiful and expressive. As a pot plant it is tall and stately; the spike is thickly studded with bloom, which are lovely as cut flowers, and keep a long time in water.

If you want them to bloom Easter plant them now. Mammoth bulbs 25c.

JAS. D. NUTT,
nov 10 tf The Druggist,

Apples! Apples!

FANCY BALDWIN APPLES, Mixed Nuts, Cheese, Fancy Candies, Onions, Rice, Tobacco, &c., at very low prices.

B. F. KEITH,
138 and 140 North Water Street,
nov 10 tf Wilmington, N. C.