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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
REDUCED TO \$5.00.
BUT NO REDUCTION IN SIZE
OF PAPER,
OR IN QUANTITY OR QUALITY
OF READING MATTER.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

OUR AIR TIGHT

Magic Heating
Stoves

have arrived. This is by long odds
the very best and most economical

Wood Heating Stove

now on the market.

Get the Best for Your Money.

J. W. Murchison,

Orton Building, Wilmington, N. C.

We Want Your Trade,

and will hold it if you send us
your orders. We sell

Provisions.

Sides, Backs, Bellies, &c.

"SHIELD" BRAND.

Finest Family Lard.

We are Agents for the Famous

Cuban Blossoms,

Renown,

Topical Twist,

Union League Cut.

Vollers & Hashagen,

Distributing Agents,

oc 3 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Announcement.

C. D. Foard, Hardware

I desire to announce to the public
that my stock of

Hardware & House Furnishings

has been removed to

No. 29 South Front St.,

The large and commodious Store
formerly occupied by the Alderman
Hardware Company.

You are cordially invited to call
and examine my complete stock of

STOVES,
Ranges, Lamps

and all kinds of House Furnishings.

N. B.—Expert man always on
hand for repairing and putting up
Stoves. If there is anything in my
line that you need it will pay you
to call.

Respectfully,

oc 3 1t C. D. FOARD

Meats.

15,000 Pounds Best Ribs.

10,000 Pounds Plates.

8,000 Pounds Backs.

4,000 Pounds Butts.

4,000 Pounds Leaf Lard.

2,000 Pounds Compound Lard.

1,000 Pounds Shoulders.

1,000 Pounds S. C. Hams.

W. B. COOPER,

oc 3 DAW tf Wilmington, N. C.

OPERA HOUSE,

Wednesday Evening, Oct. 6, 1897.

Jacob Litt's

Magnificent Presentation of the New and Successful
Lamb Drama.

THE LAST STROKE,

Written by I. N. Moris.

A Thrilling Story of Cuba's Gallant Fight for
Freedom.

The complete production with
special scenery as exactly given in
New York.

Schedule on Wilmington Seacoast R. R.

ON AND AFTER SEPT. 27th TRAINS WILL
run as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington at 8:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m.,
Leave Ocean View at 5:30 p. m., and 6:00 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Wilmington at 8:30 p. m., and 6:00 p. m.,
Leave Ocean View at 5:30 p. m., and 6:00 p. m.

R. OSCAR GRANT,
Superintendent.

Removed,

FROM 24 NORTH WATER STREET TO 110
North Water street, the store formerly occupied by
J. A. Montgomery. Growth in business compelled
us to seek more room. We shall be glad to greet our
customers at the new stand. Always get our prices
before buying Wholesale Groceries of any kind.

R. L. LOVIE & BROS.,
Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants.

oc 3 1t

For Rent.

DWELLINGS, STORES AND
OFFICES.

Apply to
D. O'CONNOR,
Real Estate Agent.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Attention is called to the following
REduced Rates of Subscription
to THE MORNING STAR:

TO MAIL SUBSCRIBERS.

Twelve Months.....\$5.00

Six ".....2.50

Three ".....1.25

Two ".....1.00

One "......50

TO CITY SUBSCRIBERS.

The STAR will be delivered by
carrier at any point in the city at 13
cents per week, or 45 cents per
month.

The women of Montreal, Canada,
struck a lot of cheap bicycles lately.

The bishop prohibited his priests
from riding the bike and as the kind
they used are the kind used by
women, they were thrown on the
market cheap.

In a recent election in a New Jersey
township there wasn't a single
vote cast for coroner, although two
candidates were running. This puts
both of these citizens above the sus-
picion of having voted for them-
selves.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

W. B. COOPER—Meats.

THE SNEED CO.—Moving.

D. O'CONNOR—For rent.

W. E. WORTH & CO.—Ice.

MERKEL & EVANS—A card.

HARME—Latest style hats.

A. FRENKEL—Barber shop.

C. D. FOARD—Announcement.

SEACOAST ROAD—Schedule.

R. R. BELLAMY—Tarap seed.

BOSEY & HARPER—Cow peas.

R. R. LOVE & BRO.—Removed.

THE SOUTHERN LUMBER JOURNAL.

KING GROCERY CO.—Ten cents.

WORTH & WORTH—Flour, bacon.

F. T. MILLS—Horses and mules.

C. W. POLYDOR CO.—Does it pay.

J. H. REIDER & CO.—Bargains.

A. D. BROWN—Your opportunity.

J. E. CROW—Dine Oil Company.

MORRIS BEAR & BRO.—For rent.

R. W. HICKS—Cream cheese, etc.

E. VAN LAKE—Pianos and organs.

OPERA HOUSE—The Last Stroke.

OPERA HOUSE—Romeo and Juliet.

W. H. HARRIS—Nickel plate show.

S. W. SANDERS—Washboard, starch.

J. W. MURKIN—Magic hat's stores.

M. P. TAYLOR, JR. & CO.—Removed.

MADISON—Meeting Concord Chapter.

MARY L. ALDERMAN—School opening.

SAM'L BEAR, SR.—Septimber mallets.

VOLLERS & HASHAGEN—We want
your trade.

ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK—Loans
at lowest rates.

WIL SAVINGS & TRUST CO.—Inter-
est paid last year.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. H. JONES—To the public.

P. H. HAYDEN—Baggies, harness.

MRS. H. REIDER—Wholesale.

ATLANTIC TRADING CO.—Something good.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Commodities
Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—491
bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine,
3 bales tar, 30 bales crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—3,857 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits
turpentine, 96 bales rosin, 88 bales tar, 3
bales crude turpentine.

Carolina Central R. R.—978 bales cot-
ton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 33 bales
rosin, 33 bales tar, 13 bales crude turpentine.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—
197 bales cotton, 63 casks spirits turpentine,
85 bales rosin, 74 bales tar.

Sussex & York R. R.—10 casks
spirits turpentine, 100 bales rosin, 39 bales
tar, 19 bales crude turpentine.

Total receipts—Cotton, 3,848 bales,
spirits turpentine, 94 casks; rosin, 308
bales; tar, 170 bales; crude turpentine, 55
bales.

Colored Men Give a Business Head.

Two colored men "scrapped" at the
corner of Front and Orange streets last
night between 10 and 11 o'clock, and
one of them came out of the contest
considerably upset. He bore off as
marks of the conflict several cuts on his
head made by a stone in the hands of
his assailant, who gave him a ball and made
good his escape.

Mr. Jones Is at the Old Stand.

Mr. J. H. Jones announces that he is
still at the old stand, that is, he is with
Mr. S. J. Davis, who succeeds E. G.
Jones & Co. in the livery business at
308 and 310 Market street. This has
been Mr. Jones' stand for a long time
and he has many friends and patrons.
Read his ad.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our
Business Locals' department will be
charged one cent per word for each inser-
tion; but no advertisement, however
short, will be taken for less than 30 cents.

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

Now Instead of Horse.

The Observer is responsible for the
following horrible story:

"Three well known Fayetteville gen-
tlemen went deer hunting this morning.
At noon a telegram was received from
Manchester stating that one of these gen-
tlemen, a popular railroad official,
had killed one of Mr. John Clark's mules,
mistaking it for a deer."

If there is anything you want, ad-
vertise 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 30 cents.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here
and There and Briefly Noted.

See fourth page for other new
advertisements.

The graphophone artist is be-
ginning to put in his work at the street
corners.

The Board of Aldermen will
meet in regular monthly session to-mor-
row afternoon.

Before many moons have waxed
and waned, middling cotton will sell
for more than six cents.

During the absence of Captain
of Police Robert Green, Sergeant Thos.
Lossen is acting captain.

The regular meeting of the
Board of Audit and Finance will be held
at 8 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Spirits turpentine went up an-
other half-cent yesterday. Quotations
at close of market 80 1/2 and 80 cents.

Dr. T. B. Carroll, of this city,
has received a notification of his ap-
pointment as Veterinary Surgeon of the
State Fair.

It was 150 contestants for the
prize watch at Mercer & Evans' shoe
store and not fifty, as stated in the STAR
yesterday.

A special Convocation of Con-
cord Chapter No. 1 R. A. M. is called
by order of the High Priest for to-mor-
row evening at 8 o'clock.

The steamship *Maverick*, with a
Standard Oil barge in tow, arrived at
Seacoast yesterday. The barge passed
up today by a tug, and the steamship
anchored below.

The train leaving the city
daily at 10:10 o'clock a. m., and its re-
turn leaving Ocean View at 11:30 a. m.,
on the Wilmington Seacoast railroad,
has been discontinued.

Mrs. Gracie V. Wood announces
a Fall opening for October 7th. The
store 103 Market street will be open dur-
ing the evening and the ladies are cor-
dially invited to be present.

There was a three pound sweet
potato on exhibition at one of the gro-
cery stores yesterday. But it is a lament-
able fact that the crop will be cut off
very materially by the drought.

Mr. H. Cronenberg, the photo-
grapher, has just finished a picture dis-
playing in full racing costume, the mem-
bers of the Carolina Cycle Club who
participated in the relay race last Tues-
day afternoon.

During the past week marriage
licenses were issued to two white and
three colored couples, and during the
month of September thirty-two marriage
licenses were issued, divided equally
among the whites and colored.

The STAR is pleased to learn
that Lillian Grove No. 3, U. A. O. D.,
has conferred upon "Squire W. B. Bor-
seman" the degree of Past Arch, which
entitles him to a seat in the Grand
Grove of Virginia and North Carolina.

By order of Dr. W. D. McMil-
lin, Superintendent of Health, a force
of hands thoroughly flushed and clean-
ed with a host of the allies in the city
yesterday and then sprinkled around lime.

This was a right step in the right
direction.

Rev. G. M. Tolson, rector of the
Chapel of the Good Shepherd, will be
ordained to the priesthood by Rt. Rev.
Bishop A. A. Watson at the 11 o'clock
service at St. James to-day. Mr. Tolson
was ordained to the deaconate a
year ago.

Yesterday between 3 and 4
o'clock a burglar attempted to break
into the residence of R. B. Reardon,
colored, on Eighth street, between Dock
and Orange, but was discovered and
ran off, followed by three shots from
Reardon's revolver.

The unusually large attendance
upon St. Paul's Lutheran Parochial
school has made it necessary for the
Board of Education to consider the ad-
visability of enlarging the seating ca-
pacity. The teaching force has also been
found to be insufficient for the large
number of pupils and will have to be in-
creased.

Thomas Williams and William
Doe, colored, were before Squire G. W.
Borseman yesterday on the charge of
disorderly conduct. The case against
the former was dismissed, investigation
showing the absence of guilt. Doe sub-
mitted, but as there were some pallia-
ting circumstances, he was released upon
the payment of costs.

Mr. W. P. Toomer has resign-
ed the position of Secretary and Treas-
urer of the Wilmington Seacoast Rail-
road Company, having accepted a posi-
tion with the Navassa Guano Company.
He has been with the Seacoast road for
a period of 8 1/2 years. Mr. F. R. Hawes,
cashier of the National Bank of Wil-
mington, is appointed to the vacancy.

Richard Nelson, colored, arrested by
Deputy Flynn Friday morning on a war-
rant charging willful injury to personal
property by driving a cart, into Dr. D.
W. Ballack's buggy, while on the street,
and breaking an axle, was tried by Jus-
tice McGowan yesterday morning and
was let off upon payment of the cost of
the action and for the repairs to the
buggy. Nelson stated that the horse got
fery and beyond his control at the
time the smash-up occurred.

Cotton Dr. vs Agave.

The cotton market seems never to
make a change now, except for the
worse. The quotation for middling yester-
day was exactly 9 cents per pound
lower than it was on the corresponding
day of 1896. And the prospects are
that it will get lower still. One buyer
remarked yesterday that he wouldn't be
surprised if it got as low as 8 1/2 cents.

For all the late styles in millinery you
want to visit Mrs. Grace V. Wood, 103
Market street.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judgment for the City in One of the Bank
Tax Cases—An Appeal Taken by De-
fendant—Other Business—Cases
Set for Trial To-morrow.

When the Superior Court reassembled
yesterday morning at 10 o'clock the
trial of the case of City of Wilmington
vs. Mrs. R. C. Stoller, et al., suit brought
by plaintiffs to recover back taxes, was
resumed, and argument was made in be-
half of the defendants by Jao. D. Bel-
lamy, Esq., and C. P. Locky, Esq., and in
behalf of the plaintiffs by Geo. Roun-
tree, Esq., A. G. Ricard, Esq., and E. K.
Bryan, Esq. Judgment was given to the
plaintiffs for \$418, taxes for years 1891,
1892 and 1893, with interest from the
time due at 8 per cent. per annum.
Counsel for the defendants appealed
and notice of appeal was waived. The
appeal bond was fixed at \$95 and the
defendants were allowed thirty days in
which to make a statement of the case.

In the case of Sol Bear & Co. vs. John
Gill, receiver, et al., judgment was given
for the plaintiff.

The suit brought by The B. F. Mitche-
l Co. vs. C. M. Whitlock consumed the
time of the Court for the remainder of
the day. A verdict was rendered for the
defendant.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Court took a
recess until 10 o'clock to-morrow morn-
ing.

T. B. Burrett vs. W. N. & N. Railway
Company, an action brought by the
plaintiff to recover damages sustained
while a passenger on that road, is the
first case docketed to be tried
to-morrow. This case was tried at
the September, 1896, term of
Court, and a judgment given the
plaintiff, but upon an appeal of the
court granted a new trial. C. P. Locky,
Esq., A. J. Marshall, Esq., and Bellamy
& Bellamy will appear for the plaintiff
and Col. A. M. Waddell and Jao. D.
Bellamy, Esq., for the defendants.

There are also several more of the
suits brought by the city of Wilmington
against individuals for the recovery of
back taxes set for trial to-morrow, but it
is stated that all will be continued until
the next term.

OCTOBER MOVING.

Changes in Place of Business Since the
First Issue.

Messrs. Wm. E. Worth & Co., ice
manufacturers, have moved their new
town ice department to No. 10 Dock
street, between Front and Water. The
capacity of their ice plant now is 100
tons daily.

R. R. LOVE & BRO.

Messrs. R. R. Love & Bro. give notice
of the removal of their wholesale gro-
cery and commission business from 24
North Water street to 110 North Water
street, the store formerly occupied by
Mr. J. A. Montgomery. A growing
business compels Messrs. Love & Bro.
to seek more room.

M. P. TAYLOR, JR., & CO.

M. P. Taylor, Jr., & Co. have their bi-
cycle parlors, work shops and renting
department in the old National Bank
building, into which they have moved
in the last few days. This is a good
stand, centrally located, and the "bike"
business ought to thrive there.

C. D. FOARD.

Mr. C. D. Foard has removed his
stock of hardware and house furnishings
to No. 29 South Front street, formerly
occupied by the Alderman Hardware
Company. This has been a hardware
store for some time and is in a good busi-
ness portion of the city. Mr. Foard an-
nounces that he will keep always on
hand a complete stock of everything in
his line.

THE SNEED COMPANY,

as announced previously, will occupy
the large building on the southeast cor-
ner of Second and Market streets, and
will have it fitted up in good shape for
the furniture business.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Full Session Opens at 9 o'clock To-mor-
row—Attendance Promises to be Un-
usually Large—School Buildings
Thoroughly Renovated.

The public schools of the city will
open to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.
From all indications there will be a
large number of pupils in attendance and
there is little likelihood of there being
any vacant seats in any of the schools.

Teachers and pupils have had a four
month's vacation and will resume their
work greatly refreshed by their long rest
from school duties. During the vaca-
tion many of the teachers have been at-
tending the Summer schools in order to
get better fitted for the discharge of
their duties in the school room.

The school committees have had all
of the schools thoroughly renovated
and put in readiness for the session's
work. The superintendent is confi-
dently expecting a prosperous year, and
believes that with diligence and appli-
cation on the part of both pupil and
teacher the session just opening will be
like each of those in the past, an im-
provement on the one preceding it.

As previously, strict order and decor-
um will be aimed at, and no pupil will
be retained in school whose conduct is
not satisfactory.

Nashville Centennial Exposition—German
Day.

E. D. formerly pastor of St. Paul's
Evangelical Lutheran Church, of Wil-
mington, has been invited to deliver an
address in one of the Nashville Ex-
position buildings on Wednesday, October
6th, which will be celebrated as German
Day.

Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee, Hon. J. W.
Thomson, President of the Nashville
Centennial, and Rev. F. W. E. Peschau,
D. D., are each to speak on that day.
The subject to be discussed by Rev. Dr.
Peschau is: "The Germans of America—
Their Trials and Triumphs in Peace and
War."

CITY MARKETS.

The Usual Assortment—Oysters Beginning to
Come In—Fruit Growing Scarce.

There was the usual assortment of
edibles on the city markets yesterday.

In addition, oysters are beginning to be
in abundance. There were a few dressed
birds on sale, rice birds at 40 cents a
dozen and coots at 60 and 60 cents per
dozen. O'fruits, watermelons are play-
ing out and North Carolinians are be-
ginning to be replaced with Northern
fruit. Grapes are still plentiful. Eggs
sold at