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Ma ir Handy, our Commissioner to the Paris Exposition, is dissatisfied Will the space allotted to the United States, and threatens to withdraw. The Major requires a good deal of that for himself, to prevent his whiskers from being crowded.

THE MORNING STAR.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT Attention is called to the following REDUCED RATES of Subscription

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The 13th day of November, 1899, is the date which a Vienna comforter has fixed upon when a comet will take a header for the earth and hit it plump in the girth and cover it with poisonous gas so thick that even a Chicago man accustomed to the odors of the Chicago river couldn't live in it. But maybe that new planet that the sun is getting ready to harl into space, which according to some of the astronomers may fly at any time and hit the earth and do it up, may save us from the foul smelling gas.

According to the Baltimore Sun Postmaster General Gary has a long record as a station agent. Fortyfour years ago he was appointed a station agent on the Baltimore & Ohto Railroad and his name still remains on the pay roll. Like all Republicans Mr. Gary seems to be a pretty good sticker, even on small

When Baron Humboldt got to be an old man he complained that he found it hard to get along and work on less than three or four hours' sleep, while when a young man he never wasted more than two hours With -Wr R. C. Hoffman of the night that way. Edison is willing to compromise on about four.

The North Pole has its uses. It enables some of the hunters to rake in lots of money. Nansen has made a fortune out of it and now it is said he is coming to this country with a guarantee of \$65,000 for fifty lectures. By and by the S. P. will be | Beeeipts of Naval Stores and Com getting in its work.

About 100,000 people visited the big German Steamer Kuiser Wilhelm at Hoboken last Wednesday.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OPERA House -- The Last Stroke. J.W.MURCHISON Magic beat's stoves. MERTING-St. Paul's Ev. L. Church.

SEW DUBLESES LOCALS.

J. H. HANSY-For rest. M. C. BENSON - Removed. FOUND - White silk sunshade.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

- The price of tar west up yesterday from \$1.35 to \$1.30 per barrel. Rosse is the only article in naval stores that is not considerably higher than it was on the same day last year. - The building on Water street,

natil recently occupied by Messra. Peschau & Co., ship brokers, is being repaired and will be occupied by Mr. D. McEschers, wholesale grocer. - The cotton market had a more

hopeful aspect yesterday, and middling was quoted firm at 6 cents. The same grade was quoted yesterday in both Savannah and Charleston at 5% cents

- On account of "Yom Kipper" the meeting of the Merchants' Association, scheduled to be held to-night, has been postposed until to-morrow night at \$30 o'clock, in the Red Men's hall.

- The drought is causing other injuries than that to the crops-it is ed l'acw eredt tedt eldedorg ti gatalem as many partridges in this section as it was hoped there would be. The birds can't get water to drink, and of course

- The British steamship Kirkkill, Captain Watson, arrived in port yesterday and is consigned to Mesers. Heide & Co. She came from Hamburg, Germany, via Port Royal, S. C., with a cargo of muriate of potash, kainit and manure salt for the Navasea Guano Company The Kirkkill will load cotton from the Wilmington Compress Company.

The Nickal Plate Stow. Harris' Nickel Plate Show closed its two days' engagement last night. Yesterday two performances were given, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock at night, both of which were well attended and gave perfect satisfaction to every one. While Mr. Harris does not have much outside display, yet the performances which he gives are well worth seeing, as many daring and skillful acts by artists of merit, if not of fame, are included in the afternoon and evening's programme (of entertainment.

yesterday was consumed in the trial of the case of T. B. Barnett vs. W., N. & N. Railway Co. Most of the evidence was given in yesterday, and argument by counsel will probably commence this farmers around here to be one-third afternoon. Court took recess at 6

o'clock until 10 o'clock this morning. Last Monday, counsel for the plaintiffs trial, which was dealed by the Court | cent a word. But no ad. taken for

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed. - Gov. Russell returned to Ra-

leigh yesterday. - Mr. Moses Britton, of Cameron, N. C., is among the visitors in the city.

- Dr. George F. Lucas, of Currie, was a welcome caller at this office yes-..... 1.00 - Sheriff M. J. Ward and J. B. Schulken, Esq. of Whiteville, were in

- Misses Nellie Draper and Mary Lilly Kenan returned last night from a

Northern tour - Miss Bessie Hankins left vesterday for Greensboro to attend the Normal and Industrial School.

- Capt. J. L. Autry, of Autryville, one of the most flourishing towns ou the C. F. and Y. V road, was in the

- Messrs, W. B. Savage and J. J. Sheehan leave this morning on the A. C. L. for Yonkers, N. Y., to accept positions as linemen with Mr. Gouverneur. - Mr. I. T. Alderman, of Toma-

hawk, paid the STAR office a pleasant call yesterday. He is greatly improved in health by his six months stay in the country

- Mrs. Laureigh, who served so satisfactorily as trimmer in Messrs. obasoa & Fore's millinery establishment last spring, returned vesterday to accept the same position this season.

- Among the arrivals in the city yesterday: John W. Cotten, Jr., N.C. L. O. Barnes, Black Creek; A. F. Toon. Whiteville; I. B. Winstead and M. L. Waters, Elm City, J. H. Cowan, Bargaw.

- Seven young ladies of this city left yesterday for Greensboro to attend the Normal College. The party consisted of Misses Lydia Yates. Octavia Boatwright, Leonora Cantwell, Tallulah DeRosset, Mary Borden. Lilly Keathley and Bessie Hankins.

- Dr. K. J. Powers, of Willard, was a visitor at this office yesterday. He confirms the discouraging reports about the condition of the crops. The low price of cotton, together with the injury to crops from the drought, makes the farmers' prospects the least bit gloomy.

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Yesterday. Wilmington & Weldon R. R .- 393 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine 6 bbis crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R R -9 410 bales cotton, 15 casks spirits turpentine, 83 bbls rosin, 71 bbls tar. Carolina Central R. R.-170 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 41 bbls rosin, 37 bbis tar, 35 bbls crude turpen-

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R .-331 bales cotton, 33 casks spirits turpentine, 34 bbls rosin, 7 bbls tar. Total receipts-Cotton, 8 104 bales

spirits turpentine, 50 casks; rosin, 147 bois, tar, 105 bbis, crude turpentine, 31 ---

Mr. M. C. Brason Bamoves His Business to a New Lucation.

Mr. M. C. Brason announces a change of location. He can now be found by his customers at 107 Dick street, a part of the Adrian building, which has been repaired and newly fitted up for his use. Long experience in the commission business enables Mr. Benson to handle country produce to advantage Parties in the country having beef cattie, milch cows or pork that they wish sold to advantage cannot do better than to place them in Mr. Beason's hands.

Expursion from Payetteville. An excursion of about 800 people ar-

rived to the city yesterday at 10 80 o'clock from Fayetteville. It was under the management of Mr. J. A. King. C. F & Y. V. agent at Fayetteville. Most of the excarsionists were colored, the excursion being given by the colored Baptist church of Fayetteville.

but there was a special car for whites and some thirty or forty white people. a mong them several country merchants. took advantage of the low rates to come down to the city. The excursion went out last night at 9 o'clock.

Capt Jacobs, of Savannah, Here on

Capt. J. T. Jacobs, of the tug Wm F McCauley, has arrived in the city from Savannah to visit his family for a few days. Toe McCauley is undergoing repairs and Capt. Jacobs takes advantage of this fact to come to his former home. where a warm welcome always awaits

Country Mershants Here Tosterday. The out of town merchants came in with a rush yesterday. Some of them were W. O. Britt, Hab; A. M. Hall and M. McLamb, Roseboro: A. E. Underwood, Huntley; Rev. K. Barnes, Fair Boff. T. E. Owen, Parkersburg, H. B. Nunery, Cumberland, I. J. Scott, Rose

SAD ACCIDENT ...

DISMAL P. O. SAMPSON CO. N. C., Oct. 4.

EDITOR STAR-A sad accident happened near here on October 8d. Mrs. Mary Rayner, aged about 80 years, who was living alone, fell in the fire and was so badly burned that she died about 3 The entire time of the Superior Court o'clock p. m. She was a Miss Butler, of Sampson county, and married a man by the name of Rayner, from Pitt county. N. C. who died several years ago. It is very dry in this section just now. The cotton crop is reported by the best

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you in the suit of The B. F. Mitchell Co. vz. | don't want? Advertise it in the C. M. Whitlock, made motion for a new | Business Locals of the STAR. One less than 20 cents.

BOARD OF AUDIT AND FINANCE.

The Board of Audit and Finance met in regular semi-monthly session yesterday, there being present W. H. Chadbourn (chairman), C. W. Yates, J. H. Webber and H. C. McQueen.

The clerk submitted a statement of the treasurer and tax-collector for the month of August, 1897, showing cash on hand August 1, \$1,686.63; receipts for month of August, \$9,074.59. Disbursements in the month of August, \$5,281.83; balance to September account, \$5 479 88. Total, \$10,711.91.

A communication was received from the Board of Aldermen transmitting action had by them at meeting October

1. The sam of \$4,000 was appropriated to defray the expenses of driving an artesian well as contracted for by special committee of Board of Al-On motion, consideration of the mat-

ter was deferred by the Board of Audit and Finance until the next meeting. 3 The sum of \$200 was ordered refunded to Mr. Joo. F. Garrell, and \$100 to Mr. C. S. Garrell, the same being moneys paid to the city treasurer for private markets, but not having complied with that provition of the market ordinance, requiring permission of the Board of Aldermen and having opened in portions of the city believed by the Board of Aldermen to be improper

Oa motion, the action of the Board of Aldermen was approved, provided that upon return of the money the licenses

places, the money was ordered refund-

A bill, presented by the Wilmington Faslight Company, for four months and twenty days' interest, \$18 97, on warrant No. 106, drawn for \$818 90, was disap-

For current expenses, \$7.784 14. For refunded taxes to Water Works Company, being a part of the contract

Bills were audited and approved as

made with the city, real estate tax for 1897, \$450; notes, \$3,500. The board then adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

SAILORS' FREE READING ROOM The Public Asked to Assist in Providing

Suitable Breding Metter. The Sailors' Free Reading Room In to be re-opened by the Seamen's Friend Society of Wilmington, and the committee, composed of Captain John Cowan, Rev. A. D. McClure and Mr. James Sprunt, beg the assistance of the public in providing suitable reading and pictorial matter. The necessary funds for the maintenance of the reading room have been provided, bût our citizens can belp very materially by reserving for use in the reading room such magazines and papers as the Century, Harper's, McClure's, Godey's, the Northern and Southern newspapers, also any books of travel and other light literature new or old, which would be suitable for such

A line or word addressed to Rev. Dr. Strange, Rev. Mr. McClure, Capt. Cowan or Mr. Sprunt, indicating where and when such contributions are available will receive prompt attention of the anitor, who will call at any place designated for them.

OLD TIMES RECALLED.

An Incident in Washington Cir Which Becalle the Wilmington Fire of

Pebruary, 1886. The Washington correspondent of the North Carolina Christian Advocate writes that the Hebrews of Washington. being without a worshipping place for the approaching holidays, owing to the fact that their new synagogue on the site of the old one is not completed, were kindly offered the use of the handsome and commodious building of the First Congregational church. This incident, a reader of the STAR reminds us, recalls the 31st of February, 1886, when the Front Street Methodist church of Wilmington went down in the flames and the Temple of Israel kindly threw open its doors to the nomeless congregation and for years furnished them a place to worship, a kindness which has never

"THE LAST STROKE." A Play Dealing with Cuba's Fight for Free dom at the Opera House To-night. At the Opera House to night that strong melo-drama "The Last Stroke," will be presented by a company of merit. Of all the melo-dramss produced in New York in the last year or two, only a few achieved success. "The Last Stroke," a play dealing with Cuba's fight for freedom, won more praise perhaps than any other, because of its vigor, freshness and real dramatic strength. It is elaborately staged and it possesses a well told story abounding in scenes of thrilling interest It is the latest venture of that prince of melo-drama, Jacob Litt, and that fact alone is a guarantee that it will be richly and ingeniously staged. Seats are now on sale at Gerken's.

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 90 cent

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

Oerolina Central Stookholdere. The stockholders of the Carolina Cen-

tral railroad will arrive here on a special train at 10 o'clock to-night, going through to Wrightsville Beach to spead the night. Thursday morning they will hold their annual meeting at the Seaboard Air Line office in this city. Maxton Fair.

The Eighth Annual Fair of the Bor-

der Exposition of the Carolinas will be held at Maxton, N. C., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 27, 28, 29. W. B. HARKER. Secretary and Treasurer.

BASE BALL.

The Temple Cup Contest Between Boston and Baltimore-Second Game Won by the Latter-Secre 13 to 11. Game No. 3 of the Temple Cup series was won yesterday by Baltimore on the diamond at Boston. Both Monday and yesterday's score plainly indicates terrific batting or poor playing, but the reports of both games show that the former was the order of the day. The Orioles were victorious yesterday on account of being able to hit altogether at the right time, and because Corbett, although hit hard, was invincible when most needed. In Monday's game it was Jennings, Baltimore's short stop, who gained the main honors; but vesterday t was Herman Long, the Beancater's stort stop. He froze on to a hot grounder from the bat of Doyle, twenty feet behind second bag, and did exactly the same thing for a ball hit by McGraw about to the same point. Stenzel, of Baltimore, also achieved fame, retiring nine Beaneaters on files to center. Klobendarz received a drubbing, and gave way in the fifth to Stivetts, who | hand and the receipts became light, they had just as hard a time as Klobendanz Clarke placed one of Klobendanz's twisters over the fence, and was the first

of poor work in the seventh inning. BALTIMORE Keeler, r f 5 0 2 1 ennings, s s 6 1 1 3 BOSTON.

batter to face Stivetts, whose first ball

pitched up he banged for a home run.

Corbett was wild and hit hard up to the

fourth inning, but then he rallied and

made a noble stand, with the exception

Lowe, 25..... 4 1 2 1 4 Stahl, r f...... 4 1 9 0 0 Daffy, 1 f..... 5 1 2 4 Yeager, c..... 5 1 2 1 1 0 Klobendanz, p...... 2 2 2 0 2 0 Stivetts, p. 2 1 0 0 0 0 Total......40 11 16 27 18 3 Baltimore 1 8 0 7 6 0 1 1 0-13 Boston 0 0 2 6 2 0 1 0 0-11 Earned runs-Baltimore, 8; Boston, 8. Iwo-base hits-Keeler, Kelley, Corbett, Hamilton, Daffy, Yeager, Three-base hits-McGraw, Clarke, Home runs-Reitz, Clarke, Corbett, Long. Stolen bases-Doyle, Hamilton, Stivetts Double plays-Long. Tenny. First base on balls-Off Corbett, 4; off Klobendanz, 4; off Stivetts, 1. Hit by pitched ball-Lowe. Struck out-Corbett, 8. Passed ball-Clarke. Wild pitches-Corbett, 2

WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Klobendanz 1. Time, 1:13. Umpires-

Emslie and Hurst. Attendance, 6,000.

Promotions and Appointments-The Rifls Team-Pris: Presentation. At the regular drill last night of the W. L. I. at the company's armory, the following promotions and appointments were announced: J. V. B. Metts to be 4th sergeant, vice Bellamy resigned; W A. Wnitney, 5th sergeant, vice Metts promoted: John James. 1st corporal, vice Whitney promoted: N. E. Gillican, 2d corporal, vice James promoted; Robt. Fowler, 8d corporal, vice Gillican pro- tions.

moted; Taos. W. Davis, 4th corporal. The following rifle team was appointed to serve until January 1st, 1898, to represent the company in rifla matches which may be arranged with farce, as only the railroad is held acother organizations, viz: Ex Sergeant Major Willson, reserve corps; Corporal G.llican, Privates Boatwright, Willard and Windley. Alternates: Lieut. Col. Walker Taylor, reserve corps; Capt. D. MacRae: Private J. B. Cooper, reserve

corps; Privates Forshee and Taylor. The appointees, as well as all other members of the company, are urged to practice at the targets as often as possi ble. Record will be kept of all shooting, and by developing superior markmanship men not now on the team may replace those who are.

After the drill, and while the company was drawn up in line on the drill ground in the rear of the armory, Second Lieutenant R. H. Cowan stepped forward and, in a few well chosen and appropriate remarks, presented Private Windley with a solid silver gold-lined cup, a trophy which Private Windley won on the 23 i of last month by making the highest score in a handicap shoot at Hilton range, the new United States regulation target being used. Private Windley gracefully accepted the gift, those made by Lieutenant Cowan. The cup was the gift of Capt. Don McRae, who offered it as a prize for the best marksman.

Wife-Bester Arrested. Yesterday afternoon Deputy Sheriff Flynn arrested and placed in jail Wm. Stevenson, colored, on a warrant charging Stevenson with beating and choking his wife. The trial was set for 10 McGowan, but will no doubt have to be postponed on account of the condition of Stevenson's wife, her throat being badly lacerated and swollen. Deputy Flynn arrested the accused at his (Stevenson's) house, on Grace street, between Second and Third.

Delegates to the Baptist Association.

The following delegates to the Eastern Baptist Association at Kenansville left yesterday: Rev. W. B. Oliver and Messrs. S. G. Hall and G. E. Leftwich. from the First Baptist church; Rev. J. W. Kramer, Rev. J. H. Hildreth and Mr. D. L. Gore from Brooklyn Baptist church, and Rev. F. H. Farrington from Southside Baptist church.

Mrs. Gracie V. Wood announces he, exhibit of Fall and Winter Millinery. Pattern Hats and Novelties Thursdayr October 7th. The ladies are cordially invited. Open during the evening; 103 SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

IT IS EXPLAINED HOW THE PRICE HAS

BEEN FORCED UP. The Antwerp Company's Purchases Re sult in Its Resching the Highest Point Known in More Than Two Years. [Savannah News.]

While the planters of cotton are in a

state of disappointment at the steady decline in the price of the staple, the turpentine farmers are overjoyed at the greatly increased value of their product. It has been a long time since spirits turpentine brought the price at which it is now selling. It is not due to any more urgent demand than usual, as there has scarcely been a day during the past five years when the entire offerings would have been taken at the current price, had the factors been disposed to

For a number of years certain exporters ruled the market to a great extent and when the bulk of the crop was arriving, put the price down to the lowest When they had a full stock on then raised the price in order to secure large profits on their purchases. An attempt was made this season to bear the market It is said that some of the exporters had sold short and expect

ed to buy spirits at about 28 cents. In this they were mistaken. The statistical position of the market was in favor of the producers. The shortage in the crop began to show up in July, when it was seen that the receipts were then about 20 000 casks less than for the same period in 1896.

It was at this time that the Antwerp Naval Stores Company came to the relief of the market, and by purchasing the daily receipts at about 24 to 241/4 cents a gallon soon came in possession of about 85,000 casks, almost the entire stock at Savannah at that time. As soon as other buyers came in the market the Antwerp people continued to make purchases by bidding higher than the other houses, until they cornered the market and were in a position to dictate at what price the product was to sell. In the meantime they made some beavy shipments to Europe and disposed of a quantity of their stock at a good profit.

The most interesting period of the boom in the spirits turpentine market has been during the past week, when the price steadily rose from 2914 cents to 31 cents a gallon. The market closed yesterday at the latter price, with a good demand for the day's receipts. During the recent advance the Antwerp company, after making a daily bld for the offerings, has held out and allowed other houses to make purchases at a higher price. In this way the price has been advanced, while the holdings of the company have been enhanced in

The price at which spirits turpentine is now selling is higher, by 4 to 5 cents, than it has been in nearly three years. The last time that the price reached 31 cents was in April, 1895, and then the market held good only a day or two. It is now holding this price pretty well, and the Autwerp people seem to be in a position to do some dictating in the market. Those who have sold short find them selves in somewhat of a hold, as they will either have to produce the stuff or

pay the losses. RALEIGH NEWS ITEMS.

Frand Jary Presentments for Violation c the Free Pass Law-Eight Bales of Cotton and a Gin D;stroyed by Fire.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., October 5. It is a fact that nearly every State official rides on a free pass. Justice Walter Clark is one of the few excep-

The presentment by the grand jury of Wake of two railroads for violation o the free pass act will develop some in teresting information which the public does not possess. The law itself is a countable. Certainly the State official who accepts a pass should be equally guilty of crime as the railroad that issues it, if crime there is. Mr. George Mitchener, a well known

citizen of Wake county, lost his cotton gin and eight bales of cotton by fire this morning. The origin of the fire has not been ascertained. Col. Francis D. Winston, of Bertie, is n the city. Mr. Stanboro Harris, a son of Mr. T.

C. Harris, who graduated at the Uni-

versity in June, has accepted a position

as chemist with the Old Dominion Guano Company of Norfolk, Va. TO HELP WALSER.

Two New Attorneys Added to the Counsel for the State in the W. U. T. Isjanetion Case. [Raleigh News and Observer.] Gov. Russell has added two more attorneys to the four he employs to appear for the State at the hearing in the case in which the Western Union Telegraph Company tries to prevent the enforcement of the Railway Commission's order making 15 cents the rate for ten word day messages. The new attorneys are Col. John W. Hinsdale and Mr. W. C. Douglass. The counsel for the State making a few happy remarks in reply to | now consists of Attorney General Walser. Chas. A. Cook. of Warren; Edwards & Royster, of Oxford, and John W. Hinsdale and W. C. Douglass, of Ra-

> This cause will be heard in Wilmington at the next term of the United States District Court which will convene on the 1st of November, The Western Union Telegraph Company will produce a strong array of counsel. More About the Priscilla Scribner.

Monday's New York Herald has the following dispatch giving additional news about the Priscilla Scribner, which, as stated in the STAR yesterday, was lost at sea and which was well known at this port : Nothing has been heard of the crew of the schooner Priscilla Scribner, the

cargo, is floating ashore off St. Augurtine. The probability is that all have been lost at sea. The yawl that came ashore on North Beach indicates that an effort had been made to launch it. Part of the davits are attached, together with about 200 feet of line and the ship's lead. The bow of the yawl is stove in. Board of Managers of Produce Exchange,

wreckage of which, together with her

The Board of Managers of the Produce Exchange met yesterday at noon. Besides routine business transacted, the following action was taken: Resolved. That all amendments to Rules 56 and 57 are hereby repealed, and all cotton bills shall be due and

payable the third day after the rendi-

tion of bills; the day of rendition to

count as the first day.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Congregational Meeting

OF ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHeran Church. A special meeting will be held Wednesday, ('ctober 6th, 8 p. m., in Memorial Hall, to consider our pastor's resignation connected with same, oct 5

L. HANSEN, Vice President.

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