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The condition of the miners in some of the coal mines in Pennsylvania is very little removed from absolute slavery. They are compelled to buy what they need from the company stores, which charge them what they see fit, and the result frequently is that after working a month and setting up the miner is in the company's debt. That was the case at Latimer, where the shooting of these striking miners occurred.

There is a factory being built in Davenport, Iowa, to convert soft coals into hard coal. The soft coal is crushed, the non-burn-producing elements eliminated and the dust compressed into small blocks. It is said that the product for heat giving purposes will be far superior to the best hard coal and can be sold much cheaper.

Mr. Hennis Taylor has achieved more celebrity by his "Review of the Cuban Question" in the *North American Review* than he did as Minister to Spain. There may be some question as to the propriety of his writing that paper, but there is no question that he hit Spain's sorest points hard and made a tippit argument for Cuba.

Attention is called to the fact that so far in all the yellow fever area in this country there have been only 49, 621 deaths. That may be a pretty small showing for yellow fever, but it is just 4,521 too many from a disease which with proper care is preventable.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

—The United States District Court will reassemble at noon on Monday, the 9th inst.

—Two Assyrian men, one with a bag-pipe and the other with a horn, struck the city yesterday.

—Fowler, the advertising expert, says: "An advertisement in the morning paper is worth more than an acre of circulars."

—Dr. N. M. Calbreth, of Whiteville, was in the city yesterday. The STAR is informed that he contemplates locating here.

—Boiler and hull inspectors, Messrs. Gannon and Groom, of Charlotte, were here yesterday and inspected the *Frank Sessoms*.

—The Wilmington and Weldon train due here at 5:45 p. m. did not arrive last evening until 7:30 p. m. The delay was due to waiting at Wilson for train 32.

—A full attendance of all interested in the organization of a Men's Guild for St. James' church is requested. The meeting will be held to-night in the Parish House at 8 o'clock.

—The Wilmington Iron Works make an announcement in the STAR this morning about the Maxim light. They claim that it is better and cheaper than either the Webbs or Salnigh.

—The STAR was mistaken in the article yesterday about the death of Major James C. Mann. A gentleman who knows the family well, says that she is still living.

—Yesterday was one of the most disagreeable days of the season. The wind blew fiercely all day, and people on the streets suffered as little from the dust, which came in clouds from almost every quarter.

—The contractors who have been engaged by the *Ceresda Water Works Company* to bore the artesian well are nearly ready to begin drilling. The work on the derrick is not quite completed, but the drill will soon be making progress in the direction of *Catois*.

—The alarm of fire from box 49, Fifth and Castle streets, about 7:30 o'clock last night, was caused by a fire being discovered on the roof of a one-story frame dwelling on Castle street, between Third and Fourth. The flames were suppressed before the arrival of the Fire Department.

—Real estate agents here say the demand for small houses for renters is greater than at any period for several years. As an example, one agent has a sixteen house owned by one individual, and every one is occupied. These houses, with three exceptions, have four rooms each.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.
Receipts of Naval Stores and Cottons Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—440 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 74 bbls rosin, 7 bbls tar, 2 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—1,235 bales cotton, 15 casks spirits turpentine, 31 bbls rosin, 74 bbls tar, 10 bbls crude turpentine.

Carolina Central R. R.—534 bales cotton, 33 casks spirits turpentine, 163 bbls rosin, 670 bbls tar, 15 bbls crude turpentine.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—398 bales cotton, 35 casks spirits turpentine, 31 bbls rosin, 50 bbls tar.

Seamer W. T. Daggett—18 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 5 bbls tar.

Sch. Mary Whisler—45 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 75 bbls rosin, 18 bbls tar.

Total receipts—Cotton, 5,643 bales; spirits turpentine, 94 casks; rosin, 553 bbls; tar, 318 bbls; crude turpentine, 84 bbls.

Before U. S. Commissioner Stanton:
David Neal, colored, was arraigned in United States Commissioner R. H. Bunting's court yesterday, charged with being implicated in stealing lead from the U. S. cutter *Lot M. Merrill*. Last week in the United States District Court Amos Jones was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in jail for stealing lead from the *Merrill* and Neal was charged with being engaged in the same action. After hearing all the testimony in the case Commissioner Bunting bound the defendant over to the U. S. District Court in the sum of \$100. Neal failed to give the bond required and was committed to jail.

Police Couldn't Catch Parrot.
So far the police have been unsuccessful in their efforts to capture John Faircloth, colored, who severely stabbed a knife Walter Blanks colored, yesterday morning about 12:30 o'clock at the corner of Frost and Princess streets. It was reported at the City Hall yesterday about 8 o'clock that Faircloth was at Frost street market, but if Faircloth was there the police were unable to find him, although they made a thorough search.

New Bookkeeper and Cashier for Armour Packing Company.
Mr. J. E. McKoy, of Knoxville, Tenn., is bookkeeper and cashier for the Armour Packing Company here. Vice Mr. Crothwaite, who in a week or so will take a place in the Macon, Ga., branch, the largest Southern office of the company. Mr. McKoy arrived last evening accompanied by his wife and child. They are stopping at Mr. A. S. Holden's, 118 Mulberry street.

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 30 cents.

COIRA VAN TASSELL COMPANY.

In Trouble at Goldsboro and Faye's Mills — Management of Wilmington Cancelled.

The Coira Van Tassell Company will not play a week's engagement at the Opera House, commencing on the evening of the 9th inst., as booked. The troupe lately have been seining rough times; last week in Greensboro Miss Van Tassell worked herself into a state of nervousness over a dressing room assigned for her at the Academy of Music and was unable to go upon the stage the first night of her engagement. Matters were pitched up and the company then played a three night's engagement in Fayetteville, ending Saturday night last. The Fayetteville *Observer* of Monday afternoon contained an account of how Manager Frank W. Lane, of the company, absconded and left the troupe stranded at that place. The article went on to state that the company would resume their tour playing at Goldsboro last night. Their engagement in this city will not, however, be filled as Manager Schloss, of the Opera House, received a postal card from Frank W. Lane, dated Norfolk, Va., the 7th inst., cancelling the company's engagement in this city. Lane blames Miss Van Tassell for his and the company's trouble. So, as Manager Schloss' contract was made with Lane, the engagement will be declared off.

Mr. Schloss states that he will on no account allow the Van Tassell Company to renew their engagement, and he is in hopes of booking a much superior attraction for that week now open.

TO-NIGHT AT THE Y. M. C. A.
The *Chrysanthemum Show*—*Magnificent Display of Flowers*—*Here Entertained*—*Kilbreth*, etc.

The *Chrysanthemum Show* commences at the Young Men's Christian Association to-night and the display of flowers will be magnificent and furnish a wonderful feast to the eye. There will be chrysanthemums from this city and many other places in the State exhibited. The different committees have completed all arrangements, so nothing will be found lacking. The awarding of the prizes will be made just previous to the show to-night, and it will prove a difficult task, as there are so many chrysanthemums of rare variety and beauty.

One of the pleasing features included in the show and for which no extra admission will be charged, will be the entertainment given to-night in the auditorium. To-night this part of the evening's enjoyment will be entirely in charge of Mrs. W. H. Shaw, and the entertainment, which is of a delightful nature, is entitled "Building of the Temple."

To-morrow evening a select programme of music, etc., will be arranged, and among those who will participate are Miss Mary Lilly Kean, Miss Nellie Calder, Miss Lily Payne and Miss Nettie Taylor.

At any time during the evening refreshments can be obtained. The parlors of the building have already been decorated in an artistic manner. The price of admission is only fifteen cents.

ROARING IRISH COMEDY.
"McFee's Matrimonial Bureau" at the Opera House to-night.

"McFee's Matrimonial Bureau," a roaring Irish comedy, will be presented at the Opera House to-night by a cast of twenty five artists of ability.

The *Navville* (Team) *American* of Tuesday morning, October 19th inst., says:

"McFee's Matrimonial Bureau" is one of the cleverest of the divers farces that have honored Nashville during the season; its only *raison d'être* is fun, and the term is well measured to its deal with the doings of two Irish financiers, Messrs. McFee and Barney Maguire, both of whom have a penchant for the far sex and both of whom attempt to carry on a matrimonial business for the benefit of suffering humanity. The consequence misery of the would-be match-makers of the same company will complete against each other in a ride-shoot at Hilton. Arrangements have also been made for a picked team from the ranks of the Light Infantry to contest a shoot on the same day with a team picked from the ranks of the Naval Reserves. A prize will be awarded the victorious team; an exciting shoot; and a close score will, no doubt, be the result.

Comic Proposed.
The concert, announced to take place at the Young Men's Christian Association Friday night for the benefit of the Catherine Kennedy Home has been postponed for several days. This change was necessary on account of the indisposition of several of the participants. The date when the concert will be given will be announced shortly, and then the public will have an opportunity offered to enjoy a rare musical treat.

Chrysanthemum for the show.
A large box of chrysanthemums was received yesterday from Newberry. They were shipped by Mr. W. H. Oliver, of Newberry, for Mrs. T. A. Green. The lot includes many different varieties, all garden grown.

ANNUAL INSPECTION.

Wilmington Light Infantry and Naval Reserve—By Col. B. S. Royster, Inspector General—Both Commands Highly Complimented.

The annual inspection of the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Naval Reserve, two military organizations which the people of Wilmington feel justly proud of, took place last night, conducted by Col. B. S. Royster, of Oxford, Inspector General, N. C. S. G., who arrived in the city via the Atlantic Coast Line yesterday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock. The inspection of the Light Infantry took place at 8:30 o'clock on the lawn in the rear of the company's handsome armory, Lieutenant Colonel Walker Taylor, of this city, Second Regiment, was present and assisted in the inspection. The W. L. I. boys presented a natty appearance, with full ranks.

After this inspection, Col. Royster, accompanied by Col. Taylor and the officers of the W. L. I., Captain Don McRae, First Lieutenant C. H. White and Second Lieutenant R. H. Cowan went to the armory of the Naval Reserve, where the sailor boys, looking fresh and neat in their spotless suits of white, were inspected. The officers of the Reserves in attendance were Lieutenant Commander H. H. McIlhenny, Ensign H. L. Miller and Junior Lieutenant R. H. McKoy.

The Boys' Brigade of Immanuel Presbyterian church, under command of Col. Taylor, were reviewed by Col. Royster at the W. L. I. armory.

Owing to business engagements Col. John F. Bruton, of Wilson, Second Regiment, State Guard, who was invited by the Wilmington Light Infantry, with which company he is a great favorite, to visit the troops as a guest of the company and be present last night, was absent.

At the W. L. I. armory. While the Naval Reserves were being inspected a scene of jollity was in progress in the handsome assembly hall of the Light Infantry armory. All the privates and non-commissioned officers of the company were present enjoying piano recitals and vocal selections rendered by their comrades. Col. John L. Cantwell was called upon for a speech, and responded in an eloquent manner, paying high tribute to the company, telling of the high stand the company had always possessed throughout its existence, and speaking feelingly of departed members of the company. About this time Capt. McRae, Lieut. White and Lieut. Cowan returned and ushered into the hall Col. S. B. Royster, Col. Walker Taylor, Lieut. H. H. McIlhenny, Ensign H. L. Miller and Junior Lieutenant R. H. McKoy.

Upon being called upon for a speech, Col. Royster responded in a few well chosen and humorous remarks. He said that he was glad to be in Wilmington, as he had in my personal friends here, and when he departed he would feel like he had made more; that the members of the Light Infantry and Naval Reserve had passed a most excellent inspection, and that the people of North Carolina should feel proud of the two military companies New Hanover county possesses. Continuing, Col. Royster said that the Light Infantry had a veteran of many wars in its ranks (pointing to Col. L. Cantwell), and one pleasure he had gained by his visit was meeting that most distinguished gentleman; and that he (Royster) felt gratified at the cordial reception he had received.

Col. Taylor was next called upon and said that he didn't think that he had ever seen the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Naval Reserve pass a more creditable inspection than the one last night, and that he was satisfied that the two companies were in fine shape and would be ready at any time called upon.

A speech was demanded of Lieut. McIlhenny, and he responded briefly but tersely.

About this time Lieut. White brought to mind that a report was spread in the parlors across the hall, and those present repaired there, where refreshments, embracing things of a choice nature, were served. About midnight the party broke up, and another link to the long chain of hospitality of the W. L. I. had been forged.

At the Op House.
The performance at the Opera House last night by the *Georgie* (colored) Minstrel Troupe was creditable in some of the specialties, but rather inferior as a whole. The singing, especially of the sentimental songs, was poor; the dancing good. The dress circle and gallery seats apart last night for the colored people were crowded—the "standing room only" signs, for those parts of the house being put up prior to 8 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A. Entertainment Course.
There will be a rush at 12 o'clock to-day to reserve seats for the Y. M. C. A. entertainment course. Members of the association will present their membership cards for their seats and will have free admission. There still remain a few course tickets to be sold. A record will be kept of the seats reserved so that patrons may be sure of the seats chosen, even should the tickets be lost afterwards.

Magistrate's Court.
Justice Bunting disposed of two cases yesterday:

Archie Robinson, colored, charged with assault and battery, was adjudged guilty, but judgment was suspended upon payment of costs.

Delia Davis, colored, submitted to a charge of assault and battery and was let off upon payment of 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 50 cents. This is a convenience to advertisers who can duplicate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

WILMINGTON MAY COME NEXT.

American Telephone and Telegraph Company May Add This City to its System.

The fact that Norfolk has recently become a subscriber to the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, thereby securing speaking connection with seven thousand other cities all over the country, suggests the inquiry, When will Wilmington's turn come? The company is running its lines southward, coming into Norfolk from Washington and Alexandria, and there would seem to be every reason to expect that Wilmington will be the next city to get the long distance connection.

Another line of the long distance telephones is in process of establishment through the central part of the country, and is completed as far South as Huntsville, Ala. In fact the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. are straggling their wires over the whole country, and there is little doubt that it will at no very distant day spring into sharp competition with the regular telegraph companies. It is claimed that their wires and poles are put up much more securely, and this claim finds its proof in the statement that in the September storm of this year the wires of the telephone company stood up five hours longer, and after being finally blown down were put up a good deal sooner than those of the telegraph companies.

Football Games Friday.
Everybody who wishes to encourage athletic sports should not fail to see the football game Friday between the Wilmington and Greensboro teams.

The Wilmington team has developed wonderfully in the last two weeks, and with the excellent coaching they have received it is easy to predict for them a victory over Greensboro.

This will be the first game of the season, and as the two teams are very nearly equal in strength promises to be very exciting.

The Wilmington team since its organization three years ago has made a record that any one would be proud of, having been defeated only twice in this time.

The boys have gone to considerable expense to arrange games to be played here, and hope to be rewarded by having a large crowd in attendance. They have adopted as their colors white and pink, and it is safe to say their colors will never be trailed in the dust.

MADE CONFESSION.
Ed. Paris, the murderer of Jas. Blackwell, the A. C. L. flagman.

Ed. Paris, the negro tramp in Cumberland county jail under death sentence for the murder of flagman James Blackwell, of the Atlantic Coast Line, has at last confessed to the commission of the crime.

The Fayetteville *Observer* of Monday afternoon says:

Paris, the condemned murderer, has made a confession. He said yesterday to deputy sheriff King that if he had to be hung he was going to tell the whole world about the matter, and that he would have told it upon his trial but that then he was suffering so much from his wound that he did not care what was done with him.

He said that the night of the murder he was drunk and that Ed. Lomax gave him the revolver and told him to shoot flagman Blackwell, and that he did shoot him.

G. F. A. of B. A. L.
It having been reported that Mr. T. J. Anderson, General Passenger Agent of the Seaboard Air Line, was to retire from that system, Mr. E. St. John has made the following announcement:

Poynthaven, Va., Nov. 8, 1897.
The report that Mr. E. St. John is currently circulating to the effect that Mr. T. J. Anderson, our general passenger agent, was soon to be succeeded is erroneous, without foundation and entirely unauthorized.

E. ST. JOHN,
Vice President and General Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
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Chrysanthemum Show.
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OXFORD ORPHAN ASYLUM.

Prizes to be awarded as follows:
\$10.00 For the best exhibit of growing Chrysanthemums.

\$5.00 For the best single growing Chrysanthemum (not exhibited for any other prize).

\$5.00 For the best exhibit of cut Chrysanthemums.

\$5.00 For best miscellaneous exhibit of growing plants and flowers of any kind. (Flowers exhibited for other prizes not to be considered).

Exhibits received up to 10 o'clock, November 10th. Exhibits to be sold for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum are requested to inform the Flower Committee by letter to the Y. M. C. A. building, Wednesday or Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

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W. B. COOPER.
no 7 DAW ft Wilmington, N. C.

Office of the Secretary of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Co.
WILMINGTON, N. C., November 7th, 1897. The sixty-second annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company will be held at the office of the company at Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, November 17th, 1897, at 12 o'clock, p. m.

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We have this day in connection with our other business opened a place to be known as

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