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Weather Report.
Wilmington, N. C., April 23.—For North Carolina: Partly cloudy, with showers. Temperature, 55 to 75. Wind, light to moderate, variable. Rainfall, .10 inch.

Local Dots.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
Warren—To housekeepers.
J. H. Hardin—To our patrons.
Carolina Yacht Club—Meeting.

BUSINESS LOCALS.
Travelling Salesman—Place wanted.

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LOST TO RICHMOND.

The Grays Took the Giants into Camp After Game Was Won by the Latter.

WARREN'S COSTLY ERROR.

Saffie Hit When His Meant Runs—Those of Wilmington Numerous, But Scattered—Exhibition Was Magnificent—General Notes.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Wilmington, 5; Richmond, 5.
Raleigh, (no game, rain.)
Norfolk, (no game, rain.)

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.
Richmond at Wilmington,
Portsmouth at Raleigh,
Newport News at Norfolk.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.
Wm. Loss Percent.
Norfolk..... 6 0 1.000
Richmond..... 3 3 .500
Wilmington..... 3 4 .428
Newport News..... 3 4 .428
Raleigh..... 3 4 .428
Portsmouth..... 2 5 .285

Wilmington drops to third place in the base ball per centage column and in that position is on an equality with Raleigh and Newport News.

Richmond takes her place in space No. 2 from the top.

Of course yesterday afternoon's game did it—the weather gods didn't favor us with a shower—and here's how it was done:

It was in the eighth inning and Wilmington had the game with every chance in her favor.

Each team had scored in the second inning and Wilmington had scored again in the fifth.

In the eighth, the Giants had their turn at the bat. Allen had hit to short and was thrown out at first.

Delaney bunted to third and was thrown out. Clayton hit to left field fence for three bags but Foreman was thrown out from second, leaving him on third.

Richmond then took her turn with the stick and accomplished the ruin of Wilmington—for that game at least.

Warner walked, but was thrown out by Manners' safe hit to short; Bishop hit to left for two bags; Bigbie hit to short, and Manners was thrown out at home.

Bishop hit to third, upon whose error Foreman was thrown out.

Trager walked, and Saffie hit to left field fence for three bags, scoring the three men on bases.

Kain was thrown out from third, and the side retired after four Richmond runs had crossed the home plate.

The weather was fairly good, but a trifle too cold for base ball. The attendance was about 700, and enthusiasm ran high until Warren's costly error in the eighth contributed largely to the defeat of the Giants.

His error upon this occasion, though very disastrous, was partially excusable; a base man in that position at about that stage of the game is invariably blinded by the sun, and though it is expected that base ball men should have cast iron senses and refrain from making "goo goo" eyes, Warren's offence is the first and is excusable.

The game was called promptly at 4 o'clock. Warren fanned; Cranston walked and stole second and third; Crockett hit out to first; Stafford walked and McGinnis went out to right.

For Richmond, Bigbie hit to right; Tillman was hit and took his base but attempted to steal second and was put out; Trager was thrown out from short.

In the second Allen was hit by the ball and according to the Umpire went out; Delaney hit safe to right and was thrown out in trying to purloin second; Clayton hit for a home run to left field and the rootless went crazy.

(wild is normal). Foreman fanned. For the Grays Saffie hit to right but was retired by a beautiful catch by Delaney; Kain hit safe to right; Thomas fanned second; Warner hit safe over second scoring Kain; Manners hit safe to right and Warner was thrown out at third.

In the third inning Warren fanned; Cranston walked, but was forced out at second by safe hit of Crockett to short; Stafford flew out to right. For Richmond Bishop and Bigbie were thrown out from second; Tillman walked and Trager fanned.

In the fourth, McGinnis hit out to left; Allen fanned; Delaney singled over second and Clayton to right but Foreman went out to centre. Saffie and Kain for Richmond were thrown out from third and short. Warren fanned.

In the fifth Warren was thrown out from second; Cranston from short; Crockett singled to centre and Stafford hit to deep centre for three bags; scoring Cranston. McGinnis was thrown out from the pitcher. Warner and Manners for Richmond went out from short and Bishop flew out to centre.

In the sixth Allen fanned; Delaney hit for three bags to left field fence; Clayton flew out to second and Foreman went out to first. For Richmond Bigbie was thrown out from third; Tillman and Trager fanned.

In the seventh Cranston singled to left; Crockett was thrown out from second; Stafford walked and McGinnis went out to second. For Richmond Saffie walked and stole second and third. Kain hit to Warren at third, who threw out Kain at first, doubling home and retiring Saffie. Thomas fanned.

The wonderful story of the eighth inning has been told and in the ninth Warren for Wilmington was thrown out from the pitcher; Cranston hit out to centre; Crockett hit safe to right and on Kain's fumble went to second and third and on another error, to the home plate. Stafford hit out to centre and

the game was ended. Richmond did not take her turn to the bat in the ninth.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

Wilmington	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Warren, 8b.....	5	0	0	1	3	1
Cranston, c.....	5	0	1	9	0	0
Crockett, 2b.....	5	3	2	4	3	0
Stafford, 1b.....	5	0	1	10	6	0
McGinnis, cf.....	4	0	0	1	0	0
Allen, lf.....	4	0	0	0	1	0
Delaney, rf.....	4	0	3	1	0	0
Clayton, s.....	4	1	3	0	5	0
Foreman, p.....	4	0	0	1	1	1
Total.....	40	3	10	27	18	3

Richmond.

AB	R	H	PO	A	E	
Bigbie, cf.....	4	1	0	2	0	0
Filman, lf.....	4	1	0	2	0	0
Trager, 2b.....	4	1	0	1	0	0
Saffie, 2b.....	4	0	1	3	0	0
Kain, rf.....	4	1	1	3	1	1
Thomas, 3b.....	3	0	0	11	0	0
Warner, 3b.....	3	0	0	1	0	0
Manners, c.....	3	0	1	5	0	1
Bishop, p.....	3	1	1	2	7	1
Total.....	32	5	4	27	14	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Wm.	Rich.	R.	H.	E.
1 3 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries: Foreman and Cranston; Bishop and Manners.

Summary. Earned runs, Wilmington 2, Richmond 2. Errors, Wilmington 3, Richmond 3. Three base hits, Wilmington, Stafford, Crockett, Clayton; Richmond, Saffie. Home runs, Clayton. Bases on balls, off Foreman, 4; off Bishop, 4. Struck out by Foreman, 6; by Bishop, 5. Hit by pitched ball, Foreman 1; by Bishop 1. Double play, Warren to Stafford to Cranston. Time of game one hour and thirty minutes. Umpire Clark. Attendance 675.

Notes of the Game.

Foreman pitched a splendid game yesterday—much better than Bishop, who did extremely well. Delaney and Clayton also distinguished themselves and Capt. Stafford moved up a peg or two in the estimation of the "fans." Crockett is always a favorite.

Saffie for Richmond made a beautiful catch at second yesterday, which actually brought forth applause from Wilmington's most ardent spectators—that's saying much.

It is confidently expected that Wilmington will win to-day. If so, she goes back to second place in the league.

There was no game at Raleigh and Norfolk yesterday on account of rain. Allen and either Thackeray or Cranston will compose the battery for the Giants-to-day. Bases and Manners will do the honors for the Grays. Holly wood will likely play left field for Wilmington and Delaney will play in right.

O'Steen, from Greenville, S. C., will probably arrive to-day. He is an A. N. 1 outfielder and is clever with the stick.

Portsmouth will arrive tomorrow over the Norfolk Air Line from Raleigh. Norfolk goes to Newport News and Richmond to Raleigh.

Stafford won the handsome tailor-made suit offered by the Fidelity Clothing Company for the first home run on the Wilmington diamond. He got it at Monday's game.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Col. A. W. Shaffer, of Raleigh, is at the Orton.

—Mr. Jere Connolly, of Washington, D. C., is in the city.

—Mr. W. W. West, of Ammon, N. C., is in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. J. E. O'Donnell, the cash register man, arrived yesterday from Raleigh.

—H. A. Grady, Esq., of Clinton, N. C., is in the city on professional business.

—Mr. A. L. DeRosset, Jr., of Atlanta, is spending a few days in the city with his parents.

—Mrs. Hoke arrived yesterday to join Judge Hoke who is holding the Superior Court. They are guests at The Orton.

—Messrs. M. S. Willard and J. VanB. Metz are attending the Underwriters' meeting at Old Point Comfort this week.

—Mr. J. H. Davis, formerly with the A. C. L. in this city but now of Georgetown, S. C., is in the city for a brief visit.

—Mr. J. A. Murphy, of Atkinson, N. C., is in the city on a business trip. He says he hopes to begin shipping strawberries about May 1st.

—Supreme Chancellor Fethens and Wilmington's delegation to the Fifth Grand Lodge at Greensboro left yesterday morning via the A. & Y. railroad.

—Rev. D. H. Tuttle arrived from Kingston yesterday and is assisting the pastor, Rev. Jno. H. Hall in the series of revival services at Fifth street M. E. church.

—Dr. J. N. Johnson returned home last evening from Warsaw, where he went several days ago on account of the death of his aunt, afterwards accompanying the remains to Richmond for interment.

—Messrs. Willie Grant and Tom Shepard left yesterday to attend the commencement exercises at James Sprunt Institute, Kenansville. The annual address will be delivered by the Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph. D. of this city.

—Registrations at The Orton yesterday were DeLancey Evans, Goldsboro; D. M. Peggall, Rocky Mount; A. B. Fearnell, Red Springs; T. Q. Hall, Wallace; T. W. Andrews, Charlotte; M. R. Reeves, Greensboro; A. B. Gillespie, Taswell, Va.

VERDICT FOR \$6,000.

Mr. B. F. Penny Recovers That Amount From the Atlantic Coast Line.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Most of Yesterday's Session Consumed in Argument by Counsel—Case of Dorch vs. Bannerman Being Heard.

Some General Notes.

The jury in the case of B. F. Penny against the W. C. & A. Railroad Company, after five and a half hours consideration, came into court at 10:30 o'clock last night and rendered a verdict awarding the plaintiff \$6,000 and costs of the action.

Extended reference was made to the case in yesterday's paper and the public is perfectly familiar with the contentions of both parties to the suit.

The continued hearing was begun first thing upon the convening of the court yesterday morning and lasted until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The defendants introduced no testimony and argument was commenced by counsel. Mr. Junius Davis spoke for the plaintiff, Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy for the defendant, Mr. Eugene S. Martin and Mr. Marsden Bellamy for the plaintiff.

In the afternoon from 3 to 4:15 o'clock, Mr. George Rountree closed the argument for the defence. After a brief but very clear charge by Judge Hoke, the jury retired and did not bring in a verdict until last night as stated. Judge Hoke was telephoned for and he received the verdict in the absence of Col. John D. Taylor, the clerk, who was too unwell to be out of that hour. The first issue, "Was the plaintiff injured by the negligence of the defendant?" was answered in the affirmative and the second as to contributory negligence on the part of plaintiff was answered in the negative. The third as to amount has already been given.

It is believed that a motion will be lodged with the court this morning to have the verdict set aside upon the ground of an excess. It will, in any event, go to the Supreme Court upon motion of one side or the other.

The jury which had the case in hearing is composed as follows: W. R. Smith, E. T. Jewell, J. G. Skipper, C. J. Beaves, C. Schulken, J. S. Candy, W. H. Alderman, Jos. Silvis, R. M. Wescott, Samuel Bear, Sr., Louis Gordon, Thomas H. Mated.

Upon conclusion of a hearing of the case yesterday afternoon the following matters were disposed of: J. H. Sloan vs. J. L. Hines, continued for defendants.

E. B. Douth vs. F. T. Mills, set for first case on first Tuesday of next term.

The case next taken up was that of W. T. Dorch, admr. et al., against W. T. Bannerman. It is one which involves the possession of a tract of land valued at about \$1,400 and situated on the New Hanover and Pender county line. Messrs. Rountree & Carr and A. D. Ward, Esq., of Newbern, appear for the plaintiff and Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and L. V. Grady for the defendant. About an hour was given to the case yesterday in an argument by attorneys as to the law at point and the hearing will be continued to-day, an adjournment having been taken at 6:30 o'clock. The only witness introduced yesterday was Mr. W. W. Larkins, Register of Deeds of Pender county, and he did not conclude his testimony.

The following jury has been selected to hear the evidence and determine upon the issues: J. C. Newton, C. E. Collins, A. P. Merritt, C. A. Tarley, Wm. Tienken, R. G. Holmes, Samuel Hardwick, J. M. Byrd, O. A. Wiglans, John Presson, A. J. Hill and J. R. George.

The case of Northrop vs. Sedgley Hall Crib was set for hearing last week as the second case for hearing to-day, and the case of the National Cash Register Company vs. Lucy J. Farris is set for the third case. There are no other matters upon the calendar to-day but that have been continued. The damage suit of Emlene Mask vs. the City of Wilmington is set for to-morrow with several other suits of minor importance.

Thomas W. Alexander, Esq.
The Charlotte Observer of a recent date has the following item concerning Thos. W. Alexander, Esq., who was formerly private secretary to the Hon. John D. Bellamy:

"Mr. Thos. W. Alexander yesterday received an offer of a clerkship in the law department in the land office of the government at Washington. The place pays \$900 a year. Mr. Alexander successfully stood a civil service examination two years ago and the offer is the result of the examination. He will not accept the position."

The Teachers' Assembly.
Messrs. M. W. Jacobi and D. O. Love were yesterday making canvasses of Wilmington business houses for advertisements for the Teachers' Assembly programme, which was one of the inducements required by those who had the fixing of the place of meeting. Messrs. Jacobi and Love met with splendid success yesterday.

City Subscribers.
City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carrier to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery.

STATE TAX COMMISSION CLERK.

Mr. W. C. Wishart, of Maxton, Receives Unanimous Vote for Position. [Raleigh News and Observer.]

The Corporation Commission, which was created a State Tax Commission by the last Legislature, met in that capacity yesterday and elected a Tax Commission clerk. There were a large number of candidates for the place. The successful candidate is Mr. W. C. Wishart, of Maxton, Robeson county. There was no balloting for the position, but after consultation Commissioners McNeill and Rogers agreed upon Mr. Wishart and Dr. Abbott had no candidates, thus making it unanimous for the choice of the two Democratic commissioners.

Mr. Wishart is about thirty years old and has a wife and three children. He was born and raised in Robeson county, and has had a number of years experience in office work. He is the son of Col. S. M. Wishart, who served in the civil war, and who was killed by the Henry Berry Lowry outlaws in the 80's, and a step-son of Mr. W. B. Harker, a prominent citizen of Maxton.

Mr. Wishart was endorsed for the position by leading citizens of Lumberton, Maxton, Wadesboro, Wilmington and other places, besides having testimonials from other sources. He is reported as being well fitted for the duties of the position to which he has been elected.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.
There will be a special meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club, Wednesday, April 24th, 1901, at 8 o'clock P. M. Action will be taken on the Reserve Fund; also, on article 6, section 5 of the By-Laws. Changes in racing rules will be discussed. H. H. SAVAGE, Purser. ap 21 st

To Our Patrons!
While our business has been temporarily suspended by reason of the damage incurred by fire, we are making every effort to get the business in good shape, and we are again ready to serve you, as heretofore, to the best of our ability. Our temporary quarters will be next door to the old stand. Bargains in Soap, Perfumery, Brushes, Combs and many other Toilet articles. J. H. HARDIN, ap 19 st

SUMMER NEEDS.
My store is crowded with Artistic, High Grade, Medium and Cheap Furnishings for our Summer home. A FEW MORE FINE GOODS at factory cost. Cash or Credit, that I don't want to carry over till Fall. N. F. PARKER, Furniture and Furniture Novelties, 111 Market Street, Intra-State ad. ap 23 st

82nd Anniversary.
Independent Order of Odd Fellows: The public is cordially invited to attend the celebration at the Opera House Friday evening, April 26th, in honor of the Eighty-second Anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellowship in America. Oration by Col. Jno. E. Bruton, of Wilson, N. C. Special musical programme arranged for the occasion. W. L. SMITH, Chairman. ap 21 st

To Housekeepers.
Our Cakes are made the same as you make them at home; so save yourself the trouble and Buy them for Easter at WARREN'S STEAM BAKERY AND CAFE, ap 14 st 22 North Front street.

Look Here.
Fresh and Fine Saratoga Chips, Something you have been asking for. Burnham's Ketchup, Mustard, Pickles, Extra quality of Corned Beef, Spiced Pickles, Stuffed Mushrooms, Red Admiral Beans. Have you tried them? If not, you have missed a first class article. For the best Butter—Fox River, Clover Hill. For the Finest Flour—"MYSTERY." S. W. SANDERS, At The Unlucky Corner, or Brooklyn Branch. ap 7 st

DRIED APPLES.
We have about seventeen hundred pounds of choice dried apples. Send us your orders. D. L. GORE CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, ap 20 st Wilmington, N. C.

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WE CAN SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS, 10,000 SACKS. SEED POTATOES of the BEST variety and quality. Seed Oats, Seed Rye. Fertilizers. of all makes and grades. Inquiries and orders solicited. The Worth Co. feb 22 st

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