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OUTLINES.

...l law has been declared at ...ville, Fla.; one hundred and ...ight blocks were burned; the ...mount ten millions; the relief ...ed by citizens of Jacksonville ...ed to $15,000; the Governor has ...$50,000 at disposal of the relief ...ion. —— German soldiers at ...Tientsin fired on a British tug, ...killing two men. —— The British ...ship Blowden stranded off Old ...—— Merchants in Newport ...Va., and in New York city ...ken measures to aid sufferers ...Jacksonville fire. —— The ...and other structures at ...ball grounds in St. Louis ...destroyed by fire; loss $30,000. ...Many persons said to have been ...into the river at Jacksonville ...fire and drowned; sixty people ...ed by the steamer Edith. —— ...War Department has sent a large ...of hospital tents to Jackson ...Fla. —— Gen. Delarey, the ...commander, has four or five ...men facing British forces ...Babbington, and a battle ...imminent. —— President Mc... was at San Antonio, Tex., yes... ...ing in the afternoon for El ...N. Y. markets: Money on call ...per cent; cotton quiet, mid... ...lands 8 3 16c; flour was quiet ...and steady; wheat—spot weaker, ...81½; corn—spot weaker, ...No. 2; oats—spot quiet, No. 2, ...; rosin dull; spirits turpentine ...firm at 55c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., May 4.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 60 degrees; ...10 degrees; maximum, 69 degrees; minimum, 53 degrees; mean, 61 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall ...of the month to date, —.

TOBACCO BELT BULLETIN.

...weather has continued fair and ...in all districts, followed by ...temperature in North Carolina; ...average maximum was 91; mini...

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

...TON, May 4.—For North ...Fair Sunday and Monday, ...winds, mostly fresh south...

...Pilot Time—May 5.

...	5 04 A. M.
...	6 50 P. M.
...ington	13 H. 40 M.
...ow at South port	8 19 A. M.
...ter Wilmington	10.49 A. M.

...ees in Tennessee are pro... ...man got out of one the other ...cords of wood, three gal... ...money and five coons.

...grave diggers in Philadelphia ...strike. This looks like a grave ...the hoodoo. What's the mat... ...the old town, anyway.

...Sugar Trust has agents in ...Cuba, and may soon have its ...on it. It is reported that it ...options on all the best ...plantations.

...Chicago Professor, over thirty ...old, told his class that he had ...married a woman. The prob... ...are that he didn't go out of ...much.

...time ago the billion dollar ...trust took in a lot of the ...Pennsylvania soft coal mines, and ...is reaching out its tentacles ...in the West Virginia mines.

...The "doctor" was arrested in ...the other day for selling ...people bottles of croton ...colored. They fined ...not for practicing fraud ...victims, but for doing it ...license.

...British Secretary of War said ...at a recent banquet that ...would fight to maintain ...on the Nile, or the Yang ...Congo River or the Indus. ...make any better show... ...these other rivers than she ...Orange, she would be glad ...job out before she got ...with it.

...ing to the New York *Her*... ...per cent. of the 3,828 men ...estimated to own in the ag... ...$10,000,000,000 of the $81,... ...wealth of the country ...made men and made their ...selves. But they probably ...help from others, and ...them from the legislation ...helped them.

...Senator Stanley, of Kansas, is in ...He announced when re... ...that he would make presents ...parents of triplets born in the ...during his two years incum... ...His term doesn't fairly be... ...he has already sent out six ...But he will now for ...question require the certificate ...attending physician. A little ...will probably require the ...of the physician. Kansas ...country.

GROCERY SALESMEN.

Travellers for Wilmington Wholesale Dealers Met for Organization Last Night.

ENTHUSIASTIC ATTENDANCE.

Association for Mutual Benefit of Both Members and Houses Which They Represent—Resolutions Adopted and Committee Appointed.

A number of travelling salesmen for wholesale grocery houses in Wilmington and representatives of the jobbers by whom they are employed, met last night in the Merchants' Association rooms in the Seaboard Air Line building for the purpose of organizing an association of themselves for mutual benefit.

The meeting was well attended and thoroughly enthusiastic, and was called to order by Mr. W. S. Bunting. Mr. F. A. Lord, was made temporary chairman and Mr. J. Stevenson Brown temporary secretary. The object of the gathering was briefly and concisely stated by the chairman and upon motion of Mr. Bunting it was decided definitely to form the association in view and the following committee was appointed on by laws and constitution: W. S. Bunting, with Hall & Pearsall, incorporated; E. Schulken, with the Adrian Company; and J. S. Brown, with the J. C. Stevenson Company.

Mr. C. D. French suggested the propriety of having the jobbers impress upon their salesmen the desirability and importance of connecting themselves with the proposed association. This was followed by timely suggestions by others present and the following resolutions offered by Mr. J. H. Mallard were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that the committee appointed to submit at the next meeting a constitution and by-laws for the government of this association shall incorporate in this instrument fines for giving rebates, violation of contracts and any discourteous or culpable conduct from one salesman towards another, calculated to reflect upon the character either of the salesman or the house he represents.

Resolved, That the above are some of the fundamental rules upon which this association shall be established, and that until the adoption of the constitution these principles shall be considered in force.

Upon the adoption of these resolutions Mr. C. D. French moved for an adjournment until next Saturday night week, when permanent organization will be effected. It is hoped by this time to have many more applications for membership, and to place the Association upon a sound and beneficial basis to all identified with it. The movement to organize is a result of the recent visit to Wilmington of the president of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, and has every prospect of abundant success.

Among those present last night were: C. D. French, with J. A. Taylor; W. S. Bunting, with Hall & Pearsall; E. S. Lathrop, with J. A. Taylor; G. E. Leftwitch with McNair & Pearsall; L. B. Rogers of the D. L. Gore Company; J. M. Loftin, with W. B. Cooper; W. H. Brown and F. A. Lord, with J. H. Watters; J. H. Mallard and J. S. Brown, with the Stevenson Company; J. S. Hooper, Captain W. R. Kenan; W. W. Roberts, with the Worth Company; E. Schulken, with the Adrian Company Company; J. H. Bunting with Williams Bros.; E. L. Arthur, with S. P. McNair. The following jobbers were present: A. P. Adrian, J. C. Stevenson, C. C. Covington, L. J. Cooper, R. N. Sweet, F. E. Hashagen and B. F. Hall.

WEDDED AT AUGUSTA, GA.

Miss Nellie Scattergood, Well Known in Wilmington, Married Last Week

The Augusta *Chronicle* of May 2nd has the following account of the marriage of a young lady well known in Wilmington:

"Miss Nellie Scattergood and Mr. St. Clair Williams were quietly married at 6 o'clock last afternoon at the First Presbyterian parsonage, Rev. Dr. Plunket impressively officiating at the beautiful ceremony. Miss Scattergood was visiting at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Scarborough, No. 10 Greene street.

"She is an unusually attractive young woman whose charm of manner and superior accomplishments have caused her to be widely admired. Her marriage to Mr. Williams will be a great surprise to her friends in this and other cities. Sincere good wishes accompany her in her future life.

"Mr. Williams is an efficient and popular telegrapher of the Western Union Telegraph Company, and is possessed of a gentlemanly, and courteous demeanor which gains for him the estimation of every one with whom he comes in contact. His hosts of friends will hasten to extend their hearty congratulations upon the announcement of his marriage to such an excellent young woman.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Warren—A. Card.
Star—Press boy wanted.
Notice—Bargain for cash.
Hall & Pearsall—Full lines.
S. J. Davis—Fancy poultry.
S & B. Solomon.—Soft shoes.
N. F. Parke.—Summer needs.
The Mayor—Proposals invited.
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Taylor's Bazaar—20 per cent. off.
C. W. Yates & Co.—Hammocks.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Advantage.
Geo. R. French & Sons—Slippers.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Special bargain.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Any person.
U. C. V.'s—Regular meeting.
P. H. Hayden—Buggies, harness.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The Y. M. C. A. Camera Club will meet to morrow night at 8 o'clock.

— Rev. P. C. Morton will conduct the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon.

— Cape Fear Camp No. 254 U. C. V., will hold its regular monthly meeting to morrow night at 8:15 o'clock.

— Seven United States prisoners sentenced to various terms of confinement in jail at the present term of the Federal Court, were sent up to Rockingham yesterday.

— The annual meeting of lot owners in Bellevue cemetery will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the office of the secretary, Mr. Walter E. Yopp, No. 206 Princess street.

— "Ten men out of all languages and nations shall take hold of the skirt of Him that is a Jew, saying, we will go with you for we have heard that God is with you," will be Dr. Blackwell's text to-night.

— The hearing of the Brittain case before the Superior Court Clerk as to a question of residency was postponed yesterday until 10:30 A. M. tomorrow on account of the sickness of R. G. Grady, Esq., counsel for the plaintiff.

— The half-holiday custom on Saturday in Wilmington during the Spring and Summer is now being agitated among the clerks on the wharf and in some of the up-town dry goods stores the clerks want an early closing during week days.

— Proposals are invited by Mayor Waddell for uniforms for the city police and for the extension of a water system into Fifth Ward, provision for which was recently made by the Aldermen and Audit and Finance Board.

— Mr. P. H. Hayden, the well known carriage and buggy builder, yesterday received from New York for Dr. E. S. Pigford, one of the latest vehicles—a three-wheeled buggy. It was put together yesterday afternoon and created much interest among lovers of nobby rigs.

STREET CAR IMPROVEMENT.

Work of Relaying Front Street Track Progressing—Base Ball Schedule.

Trackmen engaged in laying the heavy rail for the Wilmington Street Railway Company on Front street, now have the work about up to Front and Princess streets, and cars are handled as if the work was not going on, the transfer for the grading being at the junction as usual. Everything will be in perfect readiness for the handling of the base ball crowds this week, and the smooth ride by reason of the new rail to Red Cross street will be noticeable.

General Manager Skelding has every paver he can employ at work in relaying the cobble stone torn up to put in the new track, and the work of getting the street in ship shape again is being done with as much celerity as could be expected. The public will be amply repaid for any temporary inconveniences by reason of the condition of the street, by the improvement of the car service that has come with the laying of the heavier rails.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Number of Sales Recorded in Register of Deeds' Office Yesterday.

The Register of Deeds yesterday received deeds for the following property transfers:

Jno. J. Fowler, commissioner to W. J. Reaves for $2,500, the Marlborough House property, near Front and Orange, 47x90 feet in size.

W. L. Smith and wife and J. V. Grainger to Adam G. Latta, of New York, for $50, all their title and interest in certain lands on Masonboro sound. Also M. Bellamy, Jr., commissioner, to A. G. Latta for $1,000, the Henning place containing about 70 acres on Masonboro Sound.

Mrs. Elizabeth Vollers to Mrs. Nellie Draper Dick for $2,800, residence and lot on west side of Second street between Ann and Nun, the lot being 66x165 feet in size.

Edward McCabe to James H. Loftin, for $32.70, small tract of land on Wrightsville sound.

A Saloon Change.

Mr. J. C. Boesch, junior member of the firm of J. G. L. Gieschen & Co., has purchased the entire interest in the Acme saloon belonging to the firm at corner of Front and Dock streets and will conduct it in the future. Messrs. Gieschen Bros. will now devote their entire time to the Atlantic Cafe and saloon at corner of Front and Red Cross streets.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the lecture room of the First Baptist church, instead of Wednesday, as at first proposed. Miss Abbott will leave for her home Wednesday, and would be glad to meet all who feel an interest in the Union.

Strawberry Shipments.

Seven solid cars of strawberries went forward yesterday by Fruit Growers Express from points along the Wilmington and Weldon railroad. It is expected that the regular schedule of refrigerator car trains will be put in operation about the middle of this week.

Auction sale of Dingelhoef's stock 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M. Monday and Tuesday. †

GIANTS TOOK GAME.

Norfolk Received Into Camp by the Good Score of Five to Three.

VORHEES' SUPERB GAME.

Base Ball in the Virginia-Carolina League Yesterday—Portsmouth's Franchise Will Not Go Begging—Richmond Lost to Raleigh.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 5; Norfolk, 3.
Raleigh, 8; Richmond, 4.
Newport, 4; Portsmouth, 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-MORROW.

Norfolk at Raleigh.
Newport News at Wilmington.
Richmond at Portsmouth.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost	Per cent.
Norfolk	11	4	.733
Newport News	10	6	.625
Raleigh	9	8	.529
Wilmington	8	9	.470
Richmond	5	11	.312
Portsmouth	5	12	.294

The Wilmington Giants took the game from Norfolk, hands down yesterday afternoon in a score of 5 to 3, and outplayed the Skippers at every point in the contest. Vorhees was in the box for the Giants and proved himself in admirable form. He allowed only five hits while the Wilmington sluggers got ten off Dannehower, who is reported to be Norfolk's very best twirler.

Five hundred people saw the game, the temperature was 80 degress and the weather conditions otherwise were very favorable to the sport. Allen went in left field in place of Delaney, who went to the bench, and played an excellent game. Capt. E. Gilligan, of the Norfolk team, was too unwell to go in the game at first, but in the eighth inning Wolfe went out of right field and was replaced by Morrisey, who was succeeded at second by Capt. Gilligan. The Skippers fought hard to win but the heavy hitters of Wilmington had on their batting clothes and easily made them appear small on the score board.

Wilmington took first at the bat, Cranston, Crockett and McGinnis having gone out in their order. Norfolk did much the same with Spratt who went out to short, Smith, who walked and stole second, Mullen to first and "Reddy" Gilligan on a beautiful fan.

In the second, Stafford hit to left and got second on wild throw; Thackara fanned; Allen hit to third, forcing Stafford; Warren singled past first, sending Allen to third; Warren stole second; Clayton went to centre for two bags, scoring Allen and Warren; Vorhees went out from third. For Norfolk, Nelson hit to right and got second on muff; Morrisey hit to left for two bags, scoring Nelson; McDade fans; Wolfe hit to short and on fumble Morrisey scored; Dannehower fanned and Spratt flew on foul out to third.

In the third, Cranston, McGinnis and Stafford fanned, Crockett in the meantime having singled to right. For Norfolk, Smith singled to left; Mullen sacrificed; "Red" walked; Smith and Nelson went out from third and first.

In the fourth, Thackara, Allen and Warren went out in their order from centre, pitch and left. Morrisey and McDade went out from first and second; Wolfe was hit by pitcher and Dannehower fanned.

In the fifth, Clayton flew out to left Vorhees singled to right; Cranston lined between first and second, hitting Vorhees and retiring him from the game; Cranston was thrown out attempting second. For Norfolk Spratt flew out to left; Smith singled to centre but was thrown out attempting second; Mullen flew out to left.

In the sixth, Crockett flew out to right; McGinnis hit safe to short; Stafford singled to right; Crockett was thrown out at second and on wild throw to third McGinnis scored and Stafford got third but Allen flew out to centre. For Norfolk, Gilligan fanned and Nelson and Morrisey went out from second and short.

In the seventh Wilmington won the game. Warren fanned; Clayton flew to first and on error was called safe, and stole second; Vorhees singled beautifully to centre and Clayton scored; Cranston hit safe to short, advancing Vorhees; Crockett forced Cranston at second, Vorhees going to third; Crockett stole second and McGinnis hit to short, and on slow throw to first Vorhees scored and Crockett got third; McGinnis stole second and Stafford walked; Thackara fanned, retiring the side. For Norfolk, McDade and Dannehower went out from centre and second; Wolfe fanned.

In the eighth, Allen went out from right and Warren and Clayton from short. Spratt and Smith went out from third and short; Mullen fanned.

In the ninth, Vorhees flew out to right; Cranston fanned, Crockett singled to centre and McGinnis was called out on being hit by his batted ball. For Norfolk, "Red" Gilligan got first on Warren's fumble at third; Nelson flew out near centre; Morrisey hit to third and Warren threw Gilligan out at second; McDade walked; Wolfe hit safe to first and on low throw home Morrisey scored; McDade was put out at home plate.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Norfolk	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	5	5
Wilmington	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	5	10	2

Batteries—Dannehower and Nelson; Vorhees and Thackara.

Unofficial summary: Struck out—By Vorhees, 7; by Dannehower, 7. Stolen bases—Smith, Wolfe, Warren, Cranston, Crockett and McGinnis. Two-base hits—Clayton and Morrisey. Sacrifice hits—Mullen. Base on balls—Off Vorhees, 3; Dannehower, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Vorhees, 1. Umpire, Mr. Clark. Time, 1:45.

Notes of the Game.

Old man Vorhees made 'em "Cy." yesterday.

Although the "Giants" lost two of the games with the "Crew of the Mary Jane," the scores, as a whole, show how evenly the two teams are matched.

The Wilmington B. B. lunatics are feeling better now.

Now don't expect the Wilmington "Giants" to win every one of the fifteen games to be played here during the next three weeks. There would be no fun in that. Closely contested games, whichever side wins, is what draws the crowds.

If Charlotte comes into the league, as seems more than possible, it would add to the gaiety of the season. The Charlotters are said to be going base ball crazy, and if they get a team they would turn out big crowds at the home grounds.

Every dead game sport will go to Hilton Park next week; and they'll all get the worth of their money, too.

A special to the Richmond *Dispatch* from Norfolk says: "The story to the effect that the Portsmouth club will disband, and that this may result in the wreck of the Virginia Carolina League, is without foundation. It is reliably stated that Portsmouth will be backed by new capital for awhile longer, and if the club does not pay, the franchise and players will be transferred to Charlotte, N. C., which, like Raleigh and Wilmington, is base ball mad. The Charlotte people are very anxious to enter the league, and at the first chance will buy a franchise. The prospects for a successful base ball season is very bright."

Under National League Rules.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—President N. E. Young, of the National League Base Base Clubs, announced to-day that the following organizations had qualified and paid for protection under the national agreement for 1901: The Southern Association, Class B, R. T. Kent, president; the Virginia-North Carolina League, Class C, E. H. Cunningham, president.

The Games Here This Week.

The Giants will arrive home on the A. C. L. train this evening, and will most likely be accompanied by Ashenback's aggregation from Newport News, who have three games here with the locals, beginning Monday. Thursday Norfolk begins three games here, and Newport goes to Raleigh; then the first of next week Wilmington goes to Raleigh for three games, and Raleigh returns with Wilmington here for three games the last half of that week. Then the following week Richmond comes for three games, and the last half of same week Portsmouth comes. Then Wilmington goes to Richmond for three games, and Newport and Norfolk return for three games each.

It is hoped that Umpire Clark will be here for the games this week.

Games on Other Diamonds.

At Newport News—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Newport News	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	7	3
Portsmouth	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	6	5

Batteries—High and Ashenback; Volts and Westlake.

At Richmond—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Richmond	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	5	6
Raleigh	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	9	9	4

Batteries—Hooker and Gans; Person and LeGrande.

At Raleigh (college ball)—

Agricultural and Mechanical College, 15; Horner's Military School, 5.

ANNUAL GOLF TOURNEY.

Played Yesterday Afternoon On the Hilton Links—Mr. Blair Was the Successful Contestant.

The mens' annual handicap tournament was played on the links of the Cape Fear Golf Club yesterday afternoon. The prize was a silver cup given by the club, and was won by Mr. J. J. Blair, gross score 89, handicaps 0, net score 89. Mr. A. S. Williams was second with a gross score of 100, handicap 9, net score 91.

The other scores were as follows:

	gross score	handicap	net score
Mr. J. Reinberg	109	14	95
" Geo. Rountree	96	0	96
" W. W. Murell	112	9	103
" T. M. Emerson	104	0	104
" H. MacRae	113	9	104
" Chas McMillan	107	0	107
" W. A. Risch	120	9	111
" S. W. Merrell	128	14	114
Capt. Van C. Lucas	124	9	115
Mr. T. W. Davis	134	14	120
" C. Giles, Jr.	148	18	130
" D. MacRae	84	18	...

There will be a mens' handicaps tournament next Saturday for a silver cup given by a member of the club.

To Mountain and Seashore Resorts Via SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY.

Before completing arrangements for your Summer trips or deciding upon places at which to spend the Summer, you should call on Ticket Agents and Passenger Representatives of the Seaboard Air Line Railway. They are specially prepared to furnish information as to lowest rates, quickest schedules and most attractive routes to the Mountain Resorts in Western North Carolina and Southwest Virginia, also to the Seashore Resorts of Ocean View, Virginia Beach, Old Point Comfort, the great Eastern Resorts along the Jersey Coast and other places reached via the Seaboard Air Line Railway. This Company is offering lower rates than ever with perfect train service and fast through schedules. It will interest and benefit you to call on Seaboard Air Line Railway Agents.

Auction sale of Dingelhoef's stock 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M. Monday and Tuesday. †

CASE OF H. T. ALLEN.

Laurinburg Printer Gets Eighteen Months in Penitentiary and $100 Fine.

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAILS.

Trial Consumed Greater Portion of the Day in Federal Court, Which Continues to This Week—Number of Uninteresting Matters.

The Federal Court was engaged for a greater portion of yesterday in the trial of H. T. Allen, of Laurinburg, charged with fraudulent use of the mails. It was 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon when the jury took the case and within about five minutes it rendered a verdict of guilty, although the defendant had plead not guilty.

The case was taken up at 11 A. M., Jno. H. Cook, Esq., of Marion, appearing for the defence and District Attorney Bernard and Assistant Attorney Spears conducting the prosecution. Postoffice Inspector Jere Connally, who worked up the case with exceeding cleverness, was the first witness and gave substantially the same testimony as that printed in these columns soon after the arrest. Of his trip to Laurinburg he said he found no laboratory, no "Doctor Allen," but an ordinary printer, who had assumed the prefix "Dr." for business purposes. He also testified as to having seen no "Station A" at Laurinburg and also as to his methods of collecting the evidence. The next witnesses were W. S. Booth, of Rochester, N. Y.; L. H. Petty, of Parson, Tenn., who made purchases of recipes and Confederate money from Allen; J. H. Gregory, of Morris Plains, N. J., who sent $2 to the defendant simultaneously with an inquiry to the postmaster at Laurinburg as to Allen's standing and who received a return of his money upon the postmaster's inquiry of Allen; Ira S. Cleary, of Columbus, Ga., who received circulars but did not purchase; R. W. Cavaness, of Southern Pines, N. C., who purchased recipes and Condfederate money; H. J. Channel, of Brookwood, Ala., who sent along $10 and received seventy-five fac simile $5 notes of old continental currency, ten recipes and ten copies of a "Guide to Wealth," price $5 per copy.

Postmaster W. H. Cooper, of Laurinburg, testified as to having 139 receipts for money orders sent to Allen, outside of registered letters and of his having received a fraud order as to Allen from the Postoffice Department. L. H. Matthews, of Teachey's, N. C., and Alfred Prevatt, of Lumberton, testified as to purchases.

After the recess for dinner, Allen went upon the stand and claimed legitimacy for his scheme, and pointed out to the court that he had a large family and received the small salary of $25 per month.

There was argument then by counsel, District Attorney Bernard making an especially strong appeal for the prosecution, and Jno. H. Cook, Esq., for the defence.

The jury in the case was as follows: J. T. McLamb, Jesse Lancaster, Richard Smith, Wm. Daughtry, George E. Brooks, Eugene Philyaw, E. W. Hinson, H. P. Clark, Autry Baggett, J. P. Alderman, W. A. Tillinghast and C. W. Maulsby.

J. M. Ham and W. W. Cocke, defaulting witnesses in the case were each fined $80.

Attorney Cook made an appeal for the defendant as Judge Purnell was about to impose sentence, just before adjournment at 6 o'clock last evening, but Allen was given the extreme penalty—eighteen months in the penitentiary and $100 fine and cost, the place of confinement to be named by the Attorney General. Nashville, Tenn., it is said, will likely be the place.

The following other proceedings were had during the day and a recess taken until to morrow morning:

Daniel David and Wm. Brannon, retailing liquor without license; not guilty.

Jesse Wall, Richmond, retailing; plead guilty and sentenced to 18 months in penitentiary and to pay a fine of $100 and cost.

Sam Wright, Richmond, retailing, plead guilty; sentenced to 60 days in jail and $100 fine and cost.

Kirt Chavis, Richmond, retailing; plead guilty, thirty days in jail, $100 fine and cost.

Thos. Steen, Richmond, receiving and concealing spirits; called and failed.

Phoebe McNeill, Cumberland, retailing; continued.

Sandy Thomas, Scotland, retailing; called and failed; judgment ni si sci fa and capias to next term.

Robt. W. Davis, Esq., of Southport, was admitted to practice in the Circuit and District Courts as attorney and counsellor.

The following jurors were excused for the term: M. M. Moore, Jas. C. Cromartie, Geo. E. Brooks, William Daughtry, J. R. McPhail, J. E. Durham and J. M. Smith.

Special Music at Grace.

A special male quartette composed of Messrs. Frank Westbrook, M. Lester Bussey, W. W. Hodges and J. M. Culbreth with Mrs. M. L. Chasten, accompanist, will furnish the music at both morning and evening service at Grace church to-day, upon the occasion of the opening of the Schoolfield meeting.

— Judge and Mrs. E. K. Bryan are visiting Mr. Bryan's mother at Faison, N. C., since the adjournment of court at Fayetteville last week.

Auction sale of Dingelhoef's stock 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M. Monday and Tuesday. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. W. G. Whitehead left yesterday for New York.

— Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shannon returned to their home at Henderson yesterday.

— Mr. H. H. Jones, of Pollocksville, N. C., was in the city yesterday on his way to Wallace.

— Mr. E. C. Holt left yesterday afternoon for a visit of some time to Hot Springs, Ark.

— J. O. Carr, Esq., left last evening for Kenansville, N. C., on professional business.

— Capt. J. D. Price returned to Georgetown, S. C., yesterday after spending a week with his family.

— Mr. H. F. Meyer, gardener at McIntire's Glenoe farm in Onslow county, was here yesterday on his way to New York. He will return in June.

Installation Service To-Day.

Rev. R. M. Williams, of Wallace, and Rev. D. P. McGeachy, of Burgaw, arrived in the city yesterday to participate in the installation of Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Wilmington, extended reference to which was made in these columns yesterday. Rev. E. E. Lane and Mr. W. H. Sprunt, as an elder, will also take part in the exercises.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PRESS BOY WANTED.

A steady boy is wanted to feed Job Presses. Must be a resident of Wilmington. One who has had some experience preferred. Apply at the STAR OFFICE. my 4 tf

Street Railway Notice.

On and after June 1st, 1901, cars of the Wilmington Street Railway Company will stop only at the near street corners from the direction the car is proceeding and at red posts in the middle of each block along which the track extends.

A. B. SKELDING, General Manager. ma 1 1m

CITY OF WILMINGTON, Mayor's Office.

Sealed proposals for constructing and laying a line of pipe in Fifth Ward of above city must be submitted by noon, May 20th, 1901, at the Mayor's Office, City Hall. Said construction to consist of cutting out and removal of 442 feet of four inch cast iron water pipe; cutting and relaying of 1045 feet of six inch cast iron water pipe; furnishing and laying 1,628 feet of twelve inch cast iron pipe; 2,046 feet of eight inch cast iron pipe, and 2,745 feet of six inch cast iron pipe, with necessary valves, tees and crosses as shown in plans. Also on said system the erection of ten double nozzle fire hydrants.

Plans and specifications can be seen at City Hall. Right reserved to reject any or all bids.

Wilmington, N. C., May 4th, 1901.

A. M. WADDELL, Mayor. my 4 3t su tu fr

SUMMER NEEDS.

My store is crowded with Artistic, High Grade, Medium and Cheap Furnishings for your Summer home.

A FEW MORE FINE GOODS

At factory cost for Cash, or Credit, that I don't want to carry over till Fall.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties,

111 Market street, Inter-State 421. Bell 'Phone 613. ap 23 tf

A CARD.

Having thoroughly overhauled our large plant, building our ovens larger and putting on more help, we will be able to furnish the trade without trouble. Also, we have added to our Ladies' Cafe some handsome improvements, making it the finest in the State, and the only one in the city for ladies.

WARREN'S STEAM BAKERY AND CAFE,

22 North Front street. ma 5 tf

Full Lines of

Flour, Meal, Grits, Lard, Meat, Molasses, Salt, Iron, Nails,

Soap, Starch, Lye, Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars,

Butter, Cheese, Cakes, Candies, Canned Goods, etc.

Correspondence solicited.

HALL & PEARSALL,
(INCORPORATED.)
WHOLESALE GROCERS,

Nutt and Mulberry ma 5 tf

Look Here.

Fresh and Fine Saratoga Chips, Something you have been asking for. Burnham's Extract Beef Wine and Iron. Extra quality of Corned Beef, Spiced Pickles, Stuffed Mangoes, Red Admiral Beans. Have you tried them? If not, you have missed a treat, sure—melt in your mouth. For the best Butter—Fox River, Clover Hill

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S. W. SANDERS.

At The Unlucky Corner, or Brooklyn Branch. apr 7 tf

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. Both 'Phones, No. 55 ap 18 tf

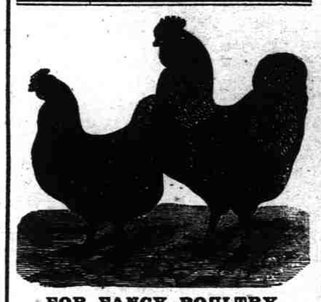
New River Mullets.

2,780 Pounds N. C. Mullet.
1,100 Pounds White Mullet.
108 Barrels P. R. Molasses.
61 Barrels D. D. Syrup.
190 Dozen Can Syrups.
86⅔ Barrels P. R. Molasses.
31 10 gallon Kegs Molasses.
27 5 gallon Kegs Molasses.
110 Bundles 1⅜ Iron.
87 Bundles 1¼ Iron.
180 Bundles 1-inch Iron.

W. B. COOPER,

Wholesale Grocer. 308, 310, 312 Nutt street. Wilmington, N. C. my 4 tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



FOR FANCY POULTRY,

For sale this week Eggs for hatching: Buff Cochins, Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Plymouth Rocks, Black Minorcas, Buff Leghorns, Brown Leghorns; Game, Duck Wing Grays, Brown Henny, War Horse and Black-breasted Reds. Duck Eggs: White Pekins, Black Cayughan, and White Muscovias. Turkeys: White Holland. Geese: Poland, Peafowls: Light Blue Guineas and Pigeons of all kinds.

THE S. J. DAVIS LIVERY STABLES,

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BARGAIN FOR CASH

To close non-resident estate. For sale as a whole without regard to mineral values. 2,600 acre tract

Improved Farming, Timber and Mineral Lands and valuable Mining and Gold Milling Machinery thereon.

"The Mann-Arrington Gold Mining Estate" at Argo, Nash county, N. C.—In Bright Tobacco Belt—12 miles from Nashville, N. C. Land will be sold without machinery at low farm and timber value. Buyer gets mine, veins and placer, been profitable—now producing some gold by "hand-sluicing." Machinery, all or separately (except subdividing either mill plant) at 25 to 50 per cent of cost. 1,500 to 2,000 acres good timber. Much original growth—mostly yellow pine and oaks, other hardwoods and poplar, etc. Stumpage estimated over $10,000.00. Location healthful, land rolling, well watered and drained. Undeveloped 9 feet fall, water power. 250 acres cultivated, 250 A. partly cleared. Produces and adapted growth good crops corn, cotton tobacco, oats, millet, grasses, etc., vegetables fruits and vines; also suitable for stock or sheep farm. Improvements—40 Frame Buildings, Dwellings one furnished, Store, large Mill and Power House, Barns, Sil, Tobacco Houses, Shops, Chapel, Laborers' Houses, Etc. Machinery—30 stamp Fraser & Chalmers 750 pound stamp mill complete, power for 30 stamps. Two "5-feet Improved Huntington" mills complete. "Marion" Steam Shovel "Style A." "Lidgerwood" the Hoisting (Marion) Engines. "Cameron" etc., Pumps. Power for wood work mill. Air Compressors, Assay outfit. Piping, Tools, Carts, Wagons, Farm Implements, Ensilage Cutter etc. Railroad Link projected near by. Title perfect—principals invited. Examine or correspond. E. W. Lyon, Dukes, Nash county, N. C. my 5 1w

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EAST from the corner of Front, and WEST from corner second and Princess streets will take you to

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Where the public have found; are still finding and will continue to find the BEST GOODS for the LEAST MONEY, any where to be found. A comparison will convince.

Shoes Our Specialty.

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On this rapidly advancing market and satisfied with what we have met—you can buy

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At satisfactory prices. Write us. We hav some stock of

Sardines—½ cans.
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Sardines—in glass jars.

We close out at Bargains.

"Red Seal Lye."
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Easily the best made and makes good profit to the retailer.

Vollers & Hashagen,

Shippers of Grain and Provisions. apr 28 tf

Proposals Invited.

Proposals for furnishing Uniforms for the Police force will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of 11th inst. Sealed bids accompanied with samples of material must be left at the office of City Clerk and Treasurer. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Uniforms must be delivered within thirty days after awardof contract.

Specifications—Coat, single-breasted sack coat, dark Navy Blue Flannel (Middlesex or of equal quality) with rolling collar, to button high in neck, cut square at bottom, in length one inch below crotch, with eyelet holes for five large service buttons.

Waistcoat and Trousers, same material; waistcoat without collar to have eyelet holes for seven small service buttons.

Bids for buttons not invited.

my 5 1t A. M. WADDELL, Mayor.

Election Notice.

In accordance with the laws of 1901 entitled An Act to issue Bonds for road improvement in New Hanover County, an election will be held Friday, May 31st, 1901, and the question submitted as follows:"

"Shall New Hanover County, North Carolina, issue fifty thousand dollars of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to repair, make and improve the public roads in said county."

The ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them "For good roads or agaidst good roads."

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