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WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1901.

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LOCAL DOTS.

— Carpets are being laid in all the private offices on the second floor of the Postoffice building.

— Christian Science services at the Masonic Temple, room No. 10, this evening at 8:15 o'clock.

— The river steamboats *Driver* and *Hurt* cleared early yesterday afternoon for their return trips to Fayetteville.

— The semi-centennial commencement of Horner's Military School, Oxford, N. C., will be held from May 28th-30th, inclusive.

— Have you registered for the bond election to be held June 18th? There must be an entirely new registration. The books close June 7th.

— Wilmington Lodge of Elks is arranging for an informal social session to-night. Only members will participate in the festivities of the evening.

— July 23rd-26th, inclusive, has been chosen as the time for holding the next annual State Firemen's Tournament at Charlotte. The prize list will amount to about \$1,500.

— Passenger train No. 49 from the North on the A. O. L. was about three hours late last night on account of small washouts by reason of the recent rains between Rocky Mount and Norfolk.

— A reception will be given to Rev. E. R. Lane, the retiring pastor at Immanuel Presbyterian church, Thursday evening. Rev. Mr. Lane leaves Saturday for his new charge at Bedford City, Va.

— Howell's Military Academy will close a successful year's work today with informal exercises. Tomorrow the school hopes to go on a fishing excursion to the "rocks" on the steamer *Wilmington*.

— On account of the change on the Carolina Central railroad by which the afternoon passenger train runs through to Charlotte, Capt. W. L. Beery and his crew will lay over in Wilmington every other day. Capt. Stephens will likely be conductor on the train on the day that Capt. Beery is off.

THE HORSE EDITOR GOES WEST.

Various Surmises as to His Destination. Some Say Bird Hunting.

"Go West, young man," and recuperate," said the agricultural editor of the STAR to the horse editor, "your labors on the Hilton Park diamond have been arduous and you need a rest." So, the h. e. boarded the 3:05 train on the "K. S." yesterday afternoon and away he went. Much speculation is indulged in as to his destination. Some think he will play "short-stop" at Maxton, where he will take a post-graduate course in base ball under Prof. Sandy McKinnon, who guarantees to teach the real thing in three easy lessons. Others guess that he has gone to Raleigh, armed *cap a pie*, for the purpose of making divers and sundry air-holes through the corpus of the religious editor of the Post who has been in a state of agonizing sus-Pence ever since he stigmatized the Wilmington Giants as "jobsters." There are others still who believe that he has gone bird hunting; but this theory is exploded by the fact the mating season is now past.

The fact is, nobody around these headquarters knows where the horse editor has gone. It may be that it will (before his return) be "where the woodbine twines." His youth and inexperience render him liable to just such an unhappy fate. It is hoped, however, should he stop in old Robeson, that the fascinating Scotch lassies of that county will deal gently with him, not forgetting that he is "one of the boys."

SECOND REGIMENT BAND.

Held Enthusiastic Business Meeting Last Night—New Members Elected.

A very enthusiastic regular monthly meeting of the Second Regiment Band, N. C. S. G., was held last night at the W. L. I. armory. Mr. J. H. Rehder, the president, in the chair. New members to make out the full regimental band of twenty-two men were elected as follows: Messrs. J. F. Smith, A. Goodman and R. C. Banks.

There are still remaining on the waiting list eight or ten men, who will be added to the band from time to time, according to their musical ability.

A resolution was adopted to the effect that it is the sentiment of the band that it will do no complimentary playing, except in open air concert and for the Wilmington Light Infantry.

The band has started off under most favorable circumstances and has augury of quite a brilliant future. The instruments will be along in a very short time, and then practicing will be the order of the day from the beginning.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DEROSSET.

Conducted With Impressive Ceremony From St. James' Yesterday.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Tallulah Low DeRosset were held yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock from St. James Episcopal church in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives.

The services were by the Rev. Frederick H. T. Horsfield, rector of the parish, and the remains were tenderly laid to rest in Oakdale, where friends offered many beautiful floral tributes in testimony of their very high esteem for the deceased lady.

The following acted as pall bearers upon the sad occasion: Honorary, Mr. John H. Kilder; active, Messrs. George W. Hadden, F. A. Lord, Eugene S. Martin, J. H. Watters, E. P. Bailey and Capt. John L. Boatwright.

EXCURSION LAST NIGHT.

About a hundred young people last night enjoyed themselves greatly upon the occasion of the first moonlight excursion of the season to Carolina Beach on the splendid steamer *Wilmington*. The party left the city early in the evening and returned last midnight. There was music band dancing at Sedgley Hall club house.

Keaty Academy Commencement.

The STAR returns thanks for an invitation from Mr. W. A. Harper to attend the commencement exercises of Keaty Academy, Keaty, N. C., June 9th to 12th. The annual sermon will be by the Rev. A. P. Tyer, of Wilson, and the literary address by Prof. J. B. Carlyle, of Wake Forest College.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

M. E. McFarland, Execut'g-Notice. Culbreth & Rivenbark-Photographs. Wilmington Savings and Trust Co. New interest quarter.

Business Locals.

Found-Key ring and two keys. Returned-To Southport and to sea.

BEACH PROPERTY OWNERS.

They Are Up Against Sewerage Proposition and Appear to be as Badly Divided as Wilmington.

A meeting of Wrightsville Beach property owners was held yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the rooms of the Board of Audit and Finance at the City Hall.

The only question considered was that of the proposed new sewerage system which was up for discussion at the last meeting. At the session yesterday the committee, consisting of Messrs. C. M. Whitlock, B. Solomon and Timothy Donlan, appointed to investigate the practicability of the establishment of the new system, made a report which was in effect that 7,000 feet of pipe would have to be laid and that the entire cost would be between \$3,500 and \$4,000. The detail of the work was gone over at some length but nothing definite was agreed upon, a motion having been made by Mr. J. H. Chadbourn, Jr., to lay the report upon the table. It is quite likely that another meeting will be held soon at which the matter will be taken up again.

VORHEES' FINE WORK.

Made a Shut-Out Possible for the Giants Against the Richmond Grays.

ONLY 28 MEN FACED HIM.

Game Was Much Better Than Day Before. Two Home Runs for Stafford Over Left Field Fence—The Games On Other Diamonds.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 5; Richmond, 0.
Newport News, 6; Portsmouth, 5.
Raleigh, 1; Norfolk, 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Wilmington at Richmond.
Portsmouth at Newport News.
Raleigh at Norfolk.
Stanford at the clubs.

Wilmington..... 22 11 611
Newport News..... 20 13 606
Raleigh..... 20 16 535
Norfolk..... 17 18 488
Portsmouth..... 17 19 472
Richmond..... 9 25 285

"Not that we love Richmond less, but because we love our hold on top of the percentage column infinitely more."

By that way of apology, by the "Hoss Editor" at long range last night, for the terrible drubbing that Wilmington through one Mr. Cyrus Vorhees gave the Grays yesterday afternoon by the score of five to nothing.

Wilmington was not exultant over its defeat of the weak Virginia team last night and would have much preferred the score should have been otherwise, if it were not for the troubled waters up about the top of the league column. It was just a case of "I couldn't stand to see my baby lose," and Capt. Bob and his men proceeded to lay it on Barley Kain in gigantic style. The game was a pretty one and leads the cranks to believe that Richmond is playing better ball and will be in good shape later on.

The following special telegram was received by the STAR last night: "RICHMOND, Va., May 28.—The story of to-day's victory for Wilmington may be summed up in the inability of the Richmond team to hit the ball as delivered by Vorhees. Only thirty-one men came to bat. The condition of the grounds was better than it was yesterday, and both teams played better ball. Cliffwater, an ex-national leaguer, played first base for Richmond and made a good impression. The features of the game were two terrific drives over the left field fence by Capt. Stafford, which brought the crowd to its feet. He was heartily applauded on both occasions. The first, which occurred in the sixth inning, was one of the longest hits ever seen on the home grounds.

"All the boys played gilt edged ball and are popular here in the city.

"Clayton figured in one double play while Stafford had one unassisted and Darby, Soffie and Cliffwater turned the trick for Richmond.

"The Manager is well pleased with the work of the team and looks forward to a successful trip."

SCORE BY INNINGS.

123456789 R H E
Richmond..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3
Wilmington..... 1 0 1 0 2 1 5 1
Batteries—Thomas and Manners; Vorhees and Cranston.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

Richmond..... AB R H PO A E
Darby, ss..... 4 1 3 0 0
Filler, c..... 4 0 1 3 0
Bigbie, cf..... 4 0 4 1 0
Saffie, 2b..... 2 0 1 3 0
Traeger, lf..... 3 0 1 0 0
Cranston, p..... 3 0 1 0 2
Warren, 3b..... 3 0 0 3 4
Manners, c..... 3 0 1 1 1
Thomas, p..... 3 0 0 3 0
Total..... 28 0 1 24 14 8

Wilmington..... AB R H PO A E
Slaying, lf..... 4 2 1 1 0
Clayton, 2b..... 2 2 0 0 2
Crockett, 2b..... 2 2 0 0 2
Stafford, cf..... 4 2 2 16 0
Devlin, rf..... 4 2 1 0 0
Cranston, p..... 4 0 1 0 2
Warren, 3b..... 4 0 1 0 2
McGinnis, cf..... 2 0 4 0 0
Vorhees, p..... 3 0 1 0 1
Total..... 30 5 8 37 10

Summary—Home runs, Stafford 2. Double plays, Garrett and Cliffwater; Clayton and Stafford; Stafford (unassisted). Struck out by Thomas, Stafford; by Vorhees, Soffie, Cliffwater, Thomas. Bases on balls, off Thomas, two—Crockett and McGinnis; off Vorhees, two—Fillman and Soffie. Hit by pitched ball, Cranston. Time, 1:08. Umpire, Mr. Skayder.

In the Absence of the "Hoss Editor."

"Cy" is all wool and several yards high. Only twenty-eight men faced him according to the tabulated score.

— Two home runs by Bob Stafford! And yet the knockers were almost on to him last week, because he didn't get one every time he came up.

— Sebring got two hits yesterday and one of the five runs.

The tabulated score indicates that "Kid" Clayton is in pretty fair shape, thank you.

— That unassisted double of Bob Stafford must have been a dandy yesterday.

— Young George Allen, the "youthful wonder," will go on the slab for the Giants to-day. He will win his game. Pretty confident assertion, eh?

Games On Other Diamonds.

NORFOLK, May 28.—It was Raleigh's game this afternoon until the fifth inning when Norfolk tied the score. In the sixth she got a lead of two runs and the Red Birds were unable to collect themselves again until the game had been dropped by a score of three to one. Morrisey showed up on the slab after a hibernation of nearly well known here.

THE HEAVY RAINFALL.

Interesting Report by Climate and Crop Service Department, Weather Bureau.

NORTH CAROLINA SECTION.

For Week Ended Monday, May 27th, the Average Fall Was Five Inches for the State—The General Summary of the Results.

The following report for the North Carolina Section, Climate and Crop Service, U. S. Weather Bureau, was issued yesterday, covering the week ended, Monday, May 27th:

All minor features of the crop conditions during the past week are overshadowed by the tremendous loss resulting from the heavy rainfall on the 21st and 22nd. The storm appeared on the coast of Texas on the morning of the 19th, crossed the Gulf States, and thence passed northward over central and western North Carolina. The characteristic feature of the storm was the extensive area covered by an excessive precipitation, which averaged over 6.00 inches for the week of only one inch. At some points the downpour was exceedingly heavy. In Marion, McDowell county, reported 7.25 inches in 24 hours; Statesville, Irredell, 7.40; Chapel Hill and Durham, 5.90; the rainfall diminished eastward to about normal near the coast. The damage caused by the beating rains, high winds and subsequent floods in every creek and river to farm lands, crops, barns, mills, bridges, and railroads cannot at present be estimated. Space will not permit a detailed account here of the loss reported, which seems to have been greatest in McDowell, Buncombe, and Mitchell counties in the west, and Orange and Durham in the central section, but most other portions, except in the extreme east portion, suffered a proportional loss. Lands were badly washed, in some instances whole acres swept perfectly clear; an unusually large area of low-lying lands was submerged, and in the particularly important crops of the finest wheat were covered with sediment or totally destroyed. Corn and cotton in the bottoms were very small, and most of it was to be replanted, which will be the third replanting in many places.

The floods in the Yadkin, Catawba, and most other western rivers, as well as in the Roanoke and Cape Fear, were as high as, or higher than, previously recorded. The dikes protecting the State farms on the lower Roanoke were broken. Many of the temperature was slightly above normal until the latter part of the week, which was again rainy and cool. Crops have become very green, and as they are still backward, and small they need working to prevent being smothered by the grass and weeds. A period of warm, clear weather is needed to dispel the present gloomy outlook.

Wheat and oats generally remain in excellent condition, and where only the rains and cold weather recover, favorable reports were received from southern and eastern counties. Cotton has a fairly good stand, though some is lying in consequence of the much rain and cold weather. Many favorable reports were received from southern and eastern counties. Cotton has a fairly good stand, though some is lying in consequence of the much rain and cold weather. Many favorable reports were received from southern and eastern counties.

THE STRAWBERRY SEASON.

Its End Develops an Increase of Shipments From Chadbourn Section—Prices.

Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, spent last night in the city, having come over yesterday afternoon on business.

Mr. Brown says the strawberry season is practically over in his section and there will be few other shipments this week. Many of the commission men from the North are returning home, and it will be 1902 before the rush of the past few weeks is on again. The prices this year, he says, have been on the whole better than last season, and the yield in what is known as the "Chadbourn belt" has been considerably increased, due mainly to an increase of acreage rather than to an abundant yield to the farm. Last year Mr. Brown's section shipped 180 cars, but this season the number has increased to approximately 200 car loads.

The prices yesterday for the nearby Northern markets ranged from only 6 to 8 cents, with poor demand. In consequence of this, consignments are falling off rapidly. Monday the shipments from all roads amounted to only five cars.

THE W. L. I. ENTERTAINMENT.

Various Details of Arrangement Progressing Satisfactorily—Request of Public.

The committees of ladies having in charge the various departments of the entertainment for the benefit of the encampment fund at the W. L. I. armory to-morrow night, from 8 to 12 o'clock, are busy as bees in making all arrangements and the event promises great success.

Mrs. C. C. Brown, chairman of the refreshment committee, requests all who desire to make contributions of any kind whatsoever to send them to the armory any time during Thursday and they will be received by proper authorities. This step was found necessary as there are so many people who want to contribute and on whom the committee will not have time to call.

All Confederate veterans are cordially invited to attend the exercises and enjoy themselves.

Dr. M. Schwab Dead.

Savannah, News 27th: "Dr. M. Schwab died yesterday morning at about 11 o'clock in Jacksonville, where he went last December to conduct his winter business in optical goods. His death was due to pneumonia, from which he had been ill since last Wednesday. He was to have returned to Savannah June 1st."

— Mr. W. W. Turner, general secretary of the local Young Men's Christian Association, will attend the great Y. M. C. A. "jubilee" at Boston, June 10th to 16th inclusive.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Jno. H. Gore, Jr., Esq., left yesterday for Raleigh on professional business.

— Mr. F. W. Bellois, of Brooklyn N. Y., is here on a visit to his brother, Mr. C. B. Bellois.

— Dr. W. T. Smith returned yesterday from Clinton and left in the afternoon for Clinton on professional business.

— Miss Louisa Porter, a student at the High School, during the past session, has returned to her home at Currie, N. C.

— Mr. T. E. King, of the Fruit Growers' Express, passed through the city yesterday on his way from Charleston to Delaware.

— Mr. Crozier Thompson, of the A. O. L. Auditor's clerical force, left yesterday for his home at Fayetteville to recuperate his health.

— Hon. Jno. E. Woodard, of Wilson, N. C., was here yesterday on his way to Clinton, where he will deliver a commencement address.

— Master Graham Blackley, son of Mr. J. C. Blackley, the well known horseman, returned to Maxton yesterday after a visit of several days to his father.

— Mr. T. F. Darden, of New York, after spending several days in the city very pleasantly, renewing acquaintances and making new ones, left yesterday morning returning home.

— Mr. A. C. Jewett, representing the J. S. Beery Manufacturing Company, leather workers, Cincinnati, Ohio, is in the city calling on the trade. His headquarters are at Richmond, Va.

— Miss Daisy B. Waitt, of Raleigh, and Miss Helen Mabry, of Ridgeway, both of the Wilmington High School faculty, left yesterday afternoon for their homes to spend their vacation.

— Mr. William Schroeder, formerly bookkeeper for the North Carolina Cotton Oil Company, this city, has been promoted to travelling auditor for the general company with headquarters at New York.

THE \$50,000 BOND ISSUE.

Read This If You Are Interested in the Bond Election.

Remember these facts: Unless you register anew your vote will not count either way in the bond election to be held June 18th.

If you wish to vote for the issuance of the bonds for road improvement you must both register and vote.

If you are opposed to the issuance of the bonds (\$50,000) you must register. Then your vote will count against bonds, whether you do or not. It requires a majority of the registered vote, not a majority of the vote cast, to authorize the bond issue.

Do not overlook the fact that an entirely new registration is required for this special election.

STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Gov. Aycock Makes Appointments—The A. & M. College—Sweeping Changes in the Management.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., May 28.—Trustees of the A. & M. College, in annual meeting to-night, ordered sweeping changes in the management of the institution. Instructorships are abolished in five departments—English, civil engineering, mechanical engineering, physics and electric department. The change is in order that the college expenses shall be gotten within range of appropriations of the last General Assembly.

Governor Aycock appoints as State Board of Elections: Wilson G. Lamb, Martin county; Robert T. Claywell, Burke; R. A. Doughton, Alleghany; Clarence Call, Wilkes; A. B. Freeman, Henderson.

Walter H. Neal is commissioned judge and L. D. Robinson, of Anson county, solicitor for the Eighth district.

The Steamer Compton.

The steamer *Compton*, which took the Baptist Sunday school to Southport on its annual excursion yesterday, has lately been on the ways and has received a handsome new coat of paint and her hull has been nicely scraped. A swing has been spread on both the lower and upper deck and she now has accommodations, the enterprising owners say, for from 300 to 400 people. She will be kept here this summer for charter for excursion parties, day or night. An excursion to Southport and to sea is announced for next Sunday, leaving the city at 10 A. M., and returning leave Southport at 4 P. M. The fare for the round trip is only twenty-five cents.

City Subscribers.

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

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Having qualified as executor of the late estate of Mrs. J. H. Miller, I am notified to present the same, duly inventoried and sworn to, to the undersigned or before the public auction on Monday, June 18th, at 12 o'clock, at the estate will please make payment to the undersigned.

MARY E. McFARLAND, Executrix.

FIVE COTTAGES FOR RENT ON WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH. Apply to D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent.

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 intersection of the street and at red posts in the middle of each block along which the track extends.

A. B. SKELDON, General Manager.

Printer Wanted.

Wanted, a first class compositor who has had experience on a daily morning paper. Must have good recommendations as to habits and qualifications.

Apply at, or address the STAR OFFICE.

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale in a certain Deed of Mortgage executed to the North Carolina Building Association by J. H. Miller and wife, Mary E. Miller, on the 26th day of March, 1898, and duly recorded in Book 28, page 28 of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the Court House door of New Hanover County, on Monday, June 18th, at 12 o'clock, the following described property situate in the city of Wilmington, N. C., beginning at a point in the northwesterly intersection of Ninth and City streets, thence thence 100 feet, thence thence East and parallel with Crocker street, 100 feet to Ninth street, thence South with Western line of Ninth street 60 feet to the beginning, being part of lot No. 6, Block 66. This with the day of May, 1901.

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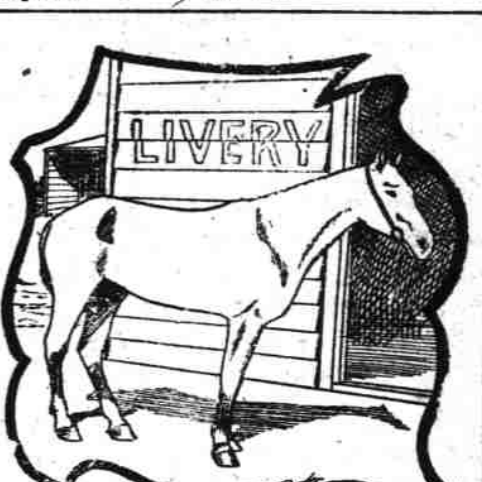
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S. J. DAVIS' STABLES,
Both Phones—184. 208-210 Market Street, my 15 1/2



J. C. BLACKLEY, of the Southern Live Stock Co., has just returned with a car load of nice Kentucky Horses and Mules. In the lot are several first-class saddle and harness Horses. Also some extra nice Mules. If you need anything in the way of a Buggy or Harness, and also want you to have a nice line and will sell as cheap as possible. Call at

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On and After Monday,
May 30, 1901, trains will leave daily on Wilmington Seaboard Railroad:

- Leave Wilmington 10:10 A. M., 3:30 P. M., 8:30 P. M.
- Leave Ocean View 8 A. M., 11:30 A. M., 5 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

- Leave Wilmington 3:30 P. M.
- Leave Ocean View 8 P. M.

On Monday morning there will be a train leaving Wilmington at 6:30 A. M. Regular Summer Schedule of sea trains will go into effect June 5, 1901. E. O. GRANT, Superintendent.

CAROLINA BEACH.

Steamer Wilmington will make a trip to Carolina Beach Sunday evening, May 29th, leaving at 5:30, arriving back 7:15. Fare 25c. Steamer Southport will leave for Southport 10 A. M., connecting with steamer Wilmington at the pier in the evening. Fare, 50 cents.

One trip a day will be made to the Beach until June 15th, leaving 6:40 A. M. Commencing Tuesday, May 29th.

J. W. HARPER.

Schooner "Nellie Floyd"

Will arrive in a few days with a cargo of

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