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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The shooting of President McKinley upset the New York stock market, but the banks came to the rescue and relieved the pressure. —— The Venezuelan fleet yesterday bombarded the Colombian town of Rio Hacha. —— Three more alleged anarchists arrested in Chicago. —— Vice President Roosevelt arrived at Buffalo yesterday. —— The would-be assassin of the President admits that he talked the matter over in advance with his friends, but insists that he alone is responsible. —— The North Atlantic squadron is coaling at Newport News. —— New York markets: Money on call firm at 4 per cent., the last loan being at 4 per cent.; cotton steady, middling uplands 8⅝c; flour unsettled and closed easy; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 72⅝c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 61¼c; oats—spot dull, No. 2 38c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 7.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 68 degrees; 8 P. M., 75 degrees; maximum, 78 degrees; minimum, 66 degrees; mean 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .—; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, .71

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 6.5 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

The temperatures have been somewhat high in the western and moderate in the eastern districts. Local rains have fallen on the West Gulf coast and in Alabama.

STORM WARNING.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Northeast storm warning, 3 P. M., Wilmington, Delaware Breakwater, Norfolk, Section, Norfolk, Fort Monroe and West Point. A disturbance evidently of considerable strength is apparently approaching the North Carolina coast. Fresh to northeast gales are probable tonight and Sunday from North Carolina to the Delaware capes

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—For North Carolina: Showers Sunday; northerly winds, probably high on the north coast. Monday fair.

Sun and Almanac September 8.

Sun rises	5.36 A. M.
Sun sets	6.18 P. M.
Length of day	12 H. 53 M.
Water at Southport.	3 51 P. M.
Water at Wilmington.	6 21 P. M.

It is said that the Navy Department is very anxious to have Admiral Howison on the Schley Court of Inquiry. Assistant Hackett evidently is.

One of the objections raised to J. Pope Brown, candidate for governor, by some of the Georgians, is that he parts his name in the middle; but he parts his hair behind.

The most expert handlers of money in the Treasury Department at Washington are women. Some of them are so clever that they can detect a counterfeit bill in the dark by touch.

The Morgan bituminous coal combination recently formed will control a tonnage whose output last year was 7,000,000 tons, or, about three-fifths of the entire output of all the mines in the country.

A contract has been recently signed for the delivery of 100,000 tons of kaolin at New York from Georgia, America, while there are immense deposits of this stuff in this country in the Southern States.

"Every woman has come to the front as a perpetual light," and thinks she can revolutionize the light business without making light of this statement. Chicago is a great place to invent a contrivance as that.

A woman died in Pennsylvania a few days ago in her 24th year. Her height was 36 inches. She was perfect in proportions. She had numerous offers to go into business, but declined to exhibit herself as a freak.

The French have coined a new word, "neige," the Alpine snow. They call it "white coal," because in supplying the streams with electricity is generated by machinery, and thus takes the place of black coal.

The brother of M. Santos-Dumont, the balloon inventor, who is living in Paris, is a wealthy coffee planter in Brazil. He also has children, of whom Santos Dumont is the eldest. Santos spends his fortune himself in his sky sailing.

Yet reciprocity is not dead. Gen. Kilchener by issuing a proclamation threatening to shoot British soldier caught in civil clothes, after the 15th of September, has caught down a pretty good chance of being shot before this proclamation.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Sam. Heide returned to Chapel Hill yesterday.

— Mr. B. F. Penny got home last night from a Northern trip.

— Mr. Sam Bear, Jr., returned last night from a Northern trip.

— Mr. L. T. Cottingham, of Maxton, was in the city yesterday.

— Mr. Thos. R. Post is spending some time at Pompton, New Jersey.

— Mr Walter Brem, of Charlotte, was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

— Mr. Percy Munson got home last night from an extended business trip.

— Mr. A. Shoaf, of Jacksonville, N. C., made business calls in the city yesterday.

— Messrs. P. H. and Sam Omahundro, of Sanford, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

— Miss Elizabeth Payne left yesterday morning for Raleigh to visit her sister, Mrs. Cameron MacRae.

— Mr. H. DeLeon Southerland, of Atlanta, is expected to-day to spend a part of his vacation at his old home.

— Miss Mary Tayloe, of Washington, N. C., arrived last evening to visit Miss McFarlane, No. 414 North Front street.

— Mrs. F. Rheinstein and children returned to New York yesterday from Wrightsville Beach, where they spent the past Summer.

— Mr. Lonnie Southerland left yesterday for Goldsboro, where he will spend a couple of days before going to Washington.

— A. W. McLean, Esq., and Superintendent T. C. McNeely, of the Carolina Northern Railroad, were arrivals in the city yesterday.

— Mrs. C. D. Gilbert, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hair, of Cumberland county, has returned to the city.

— Mr. John W. Gafford, formerly editor of the *Dispatch*, left yesterday for Chapel Hill to enter the literary department of the University.

— Mr. Robt. Siegler, city ticket agent of the Plant System at Jacksonville, Fla., is spending a vacation in Wilmington with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Siegler.

— Rev. Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell returned last night from his vacation spent in Virginia. He will occupy his pulpit as usual at the First Baptist church to-day.

— Mr. Andrew Moreland, cashier of the Atlantic National Bank, left yesterday evening for a vacation of a week or ten days, which he will spend at Buffalo and New York.

— Mr. C. W. Polvogt returned last night from the Northern markets. Miss Cressler, who will be head milliner at the store again this season, also returned yesterday evening.

— Miss Lela McIver, one of the popular salesladies at the store of the C. W. Polvogt Co., has returned from a very pleasant vacation spent with friends and relatives at Sanford, N. C.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cooper returned yesterday from Dansville, N. Y., where they have spent some time. Both returned much refreshed and improved by reason of their vacation.

— Miss Sarah Gardner, head milliner at the department store of J. H. Rehder & Co., left last night for the North to assist Mr. Rehder in the purchasing of Fall and Winter goods.

— Mr. W. H. Lane, who attended the Great Council of Red Men at Raleigh, got home last night. He stopped at Burgaw upon his return to spend several days with members of the family.

— Mr. Henry G. Fennell, chief clerk in the Purchasing Department of the Atlantic Coast Line, who has been quite sick during the past week, was reported to be gradually improving yesterday.

Death of Minister's Wife.

Friends in the city yesterday received news of the death of Mrs. McMillan, wife of the Rev. Mr. McMillan, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Lumberton, N. C. Miss Bessie McMillan, daughter of the deceased, is very well known in Wilmington and has many friends here who will learn with great sorrow of her bereavement.

Steamer Wilmington's Trips.

The excursion public is asked not to forget that the steamer *Wilmington* will make two trips to Southport and return to day. The first boat leaves the city at 9:45 A. M. and the last at 2:30 P. M. The fare for the round trip is only twenty-five cents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Frank H. Stedman—Taxes.
Wright—Rent Wright's houses.
S. H. MacRae—Bankrupt notice.
Levi McMillan—Announcement.
S. H. MacRae—Bankrupt notice.
Geo. O. Gaylord—New Fall suits.
Mercer & Evans—Closing out sale.
C. W. Yates & Co.-Exclusive depos'y
S. & B. Solomon—Now's your chance
W. B. Cooper—September mullets.
Hardin's Pharmacy—Whale oil soap
The Atlantic National Bank—Assets $2,000,000.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

For Rent—Seven-room house.
Wanted—Agents.
Wanted—Male help.
Standard Co.—Any person.
Wanted—White housekeeper.
P. H. Hayden—Buggies, harness.

COUNTY ROAD BONDS.

Cleveland Purchasers Want to Abandon Contract On Account of Technicality.

PASSAGE BY LEGISLATURE.

They Say Bill Authorizing the Issue Did Not Pass the First Reading—Probable Suit to Hold Them to the Bargain.

A sensation has been sprung upon the Board of County Commissioners. The recent sale on July 22nd of the $50,000 in New Hanover road bonds to W. J. Hays & Son, of Cleveland, Ohio, who took them at par, bearing four per cent. interest, expected to place the amount of money available within sixty days from date, but now W. J. Hays & Son want to withdraw from the contract upon the ground that the act authorizing the bond issue was not passed constitutionally—that it did not receive the necessary first reading, although they concede that the second and third readings were all right. The best legal authority is said to be on the side of the County Commissioners, however, and it is learned that the courts will be resorted to in order to force the purchasers of the bonds to their contract, although no official announcement to this effect can be secured.

The Board of Commissioners held a private session in the grand jury room at the Court House yesterday afternoon, at which were present Chairman McEachern, Commissioners Holmes, Vollers, Montgomery and County Attorney W. B. McKoy. Although nothing was given out for publication, it is presumed that the bond matter was gone carefully over and a method of procedure laid out.

Of course the refusal of the bonds is not the slightest reflection upon the credit of the county under the circumstances, but the problem will likely prove a troublesome one for the county's energetic Board of Commissioners. When the bids for the bonds were originally opened there were three other bidders for the certificates and all were eager for them at par, the only difference in favor of Hays & Co. being that they did not want a commission on the transaction. The bidders besides Hays & Son were Kleyboldte & Co., Feder Holtzeman & Co., and Seasongood & Meyer, all of Cincinnati.

The outcome of the litigation, if there be any, will be awaited with great interest.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

A Number of Transfers Were Recorded Yesterday at the Court House.

The following transfers of city real estate were noted from deeds filed for record yesterday at the Court House:

John A. Orrell and wife to John T. Sholar, house and lot on west side of Second, between Nun and Church streets, the lot being 33x165 feet in size; also a right of way over certain lands of J. A. Orrell; consideration, $1,000.

Thomas H. Wright to J. O. Brock, house and lot on east side of Sixth, between Church and Castle streets, the same being 33x66 feet in size; consideration, $700.

Susan E. Moore, executrix of the late Roger Moore, Parker Quince Moore and Roger Moore, to Alex. D. Garrison, house and lot on west side of Twelfth, between Orange and Ann streets, the same being 33x150 feet in size; consideration, $350.

Thomas Newkirk and wife to the Metropolitan Trust Company, of Wilmington, house and lot on south side of Hanover, between Seventh and Eighth streets, the same being 66x82½ feet; consideration, $525.

FORMER WILMINGTONIAN IN A FIRE.

Editor J. J. Darlington Had a Narrow Escape in Danville, Va.

In the Richmond *Evening Leader* of September 6th, is found a special from Danville, Va., containing an account of a thrilling escape from a burning house by Mr. J. J. Darlington, formerly of this city, but now editor of the Danville Tobacco *Journal*

Mr. Darlington had retired for the night and awoke half suffocated with smoke pouring in from the rear of the building where the fire had evidently been applied by an incendiary. He was too dazed to find the key in the door and pushed back to a window, but could not get it open. Finally he got out by breaking through the panels of the door with his fists, although the key was in the lock. He will be laid up for several weeks.

The house belonging to a landlord was totally destroyed at a loss of $1,500 and the contents burned at a loss of $400 to Mr. Darlington.

Laurence Sprunt's Condition.

The STAR notes with sorrow this morning that the advices from Asheville yesterday as to the condition of Laurence Sprunt were very disappointing, and last night the latest news was discouraging, to say the least of it. Friends, however, hope for more welcome news to-day.

Small Fire Yesterday.

The alarm of fire about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon was on account of a small blaze on the roof of Mr. J. Allen Taylor's residence on Seventh, between Market and Princess streets. The fire originated from sparks from a chimney and the damage was about fifteen dollars.

WHAT BASEBALL PEOPLE ARE SAYING.

High School and Iron Works Played to Standstill — Notes of Ex-League Players—Southern League.

In the eighth inning, with the score one to one, the game at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon between the High School Champions and the Wilmington Iron Works had to be called on account of darkness. Neither side, of course, could claim a victory.

The contest was spirited and really of a high order. Zellers and Zellers formed the battery for the Iron Works and Sellers and Moore for the High School. Zellers struck out eight men and Sellers made the remarkable record of eleven. D. N. Chadwick, Jr., who leaves to-morrow for the University, led in batting, having made three hits out of three times up, and having been hit by pitched ball once.

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

	R	H	E
Iron Works	1	2	5
High School	1	2	3

Batteries: Zellers and Zellers; Sellers and Moore. Umpire Mr. Clayton. Time 1:50. Attendance 100.

— Sorber has been given the Raleigh franchise for next season.

— Jack Sherman, late of the Turtles, has secured the position of night clerk at the old Carollton Hotel, Raleigh.

— Harry Clayton and Ed. McGinnis, of the the late Wilmington team, got home yesterday from Newbern. They recite thrilling experiences of the Kinston game last week.

— Baseball people here say that the idea next year is an Eastern North Carolina league, composed of the cities of Wilmington, Newbern, Goldsboro, Wilson, Kinston and Rocky Mount.

— The Kinston *Free Press* is highly indignant at the Newbern *Journal's* report of the game at Kinston Thursday. It says the Kinston team will not accept Newbern's challenge for the game at Wilmington or Goldsboro.

Southern League Scores Yesterday.

(First game).
Birmingham 3, Little Rock 0.
(Second game).
Birmingham 5, Little Rock 14.
Memphis 4, Selma 9.
(First game).
Nashville 17, New Orleans 5.
(Second game).
Nashville 12, New Orleans 3.
Chattanooga 4, Shreveport 8.

Noted Outlaw Captured.

The Fayetteville *Observer* contains an account of the capture by Sheriff Burns, Deputy Monaghan and special deputies Watson and Ingold of Alex. Gilmore, the notorious Cumberland county outlaw who has been accused of hundreds of crimes and convicted of many. Gilmore was captured at the home of a negro in Cedar Creek where he was dragged from under a bed, offering no resistance at all against the heavy odds. He has been in the penitentiaries of both North and South Carolina several times but has always made his escape shortly after his incarceration. The last crime for which he is wanted is the burglary of the house of Mr. Frank McDaniel in Fayetteville.

Mr. Johnson, Acting Chairman.

In connection with the article in yesterday's STAR regarding the award of the contract for the paving of Princess street it was stated that the award was made by Mayor Waddell, acting as chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee. Alderman Johnson called at the office last night and informed the STAR that he has been acting chairman of that committee in the absence of Mr. Bailey, the regular chairman.

A. & M. College Full.

Master Clyde Piner, son of Capt. E. Piner, has returned from the A. & M. College, Raleigh, where he had a scholarship for the ensuing year. The institution was so crowded that a place could not be found for many of the freshmen and Master Clyde was among them. The attendance at the A. & M. is said to have broken all records.

Marriage at Fayetteville.

Miss Janie Kyle, daughter of Mrs. Annie Kyle, and Mr. H. McD. Robinson, a prominent member of the Cumberland county bar, and both popular young people of Fayetteville, N. C., were married Thursday evening. Both parties have many friends in Wilmington, who will extend congratulations.

Excursion from Lumberton.

Mr. Frank Gough and Dr. R. T. Allen announce their fourth excursion of the year from Lumberton to Wilmington and return on Thursday, September 12th, arriving at 10 o'clock A. M. and returning at 7 P. M. The fare for the round trip is only 98 cents; children, 75 cents.

Two More Excursions.

Hatch Bros., the well known excursion managers, who have already brought this season more than 3,500 people to Wilmington, have only two more trips this season. The remaining excursions will come from Dunn, N. C., on the 16th inst., and Goldsboro on the 17th.

Presiding Elder Sick.

Rev. Jno. H. Hall returned last evening from Rose Hill, where he went to hold quarterly conference for Presiding Elder R. B. John, who is confined to his home here by illness. Mr. Hall will occupy his pulpit as usual to-day at Fifth Street M. E. Church.

FAIR AND CARNIVAL.

Elks Have Had a Busy Week in Working for the Big October Event.

THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE.

It Has Gone Over About One-third of its Territory and Feels Gratified—The Advertising and Transportation Being Looked After.

The week just ended has been one of unusual activity with the Wilmington Lodge of Elks, which is leaving no stone unturned in its very elaborate preparations for the fair and carnival next month. To use the parlance of the cross-roads weather philosopher, "unless all signs fail," there'll be a hot time hereabouts when all the antlered get there horns locked during the gala week.

The week has been an especially busy one for the committees as organizations rather than the lodge of Elks as a whole. The work in this way is systematized and each committee has its own peculiar province with duties incident thereto. Nothing definite as yet has been received from the railroads as to rates, but the transportation committee thinks it has every assurance that its efforts in this direction will be crowned with success.

The advertising committee will get in its most efficient work this week. The advertising sheets are daily expected and Dr. T. B. Carroll, chairman of the advertising committee, has engaged bill board space in the following cities while still others are yet to hear from: Raleigh, Charlotte, Goldsboro Newbern, Greensboro, Winston, Asheville, Wilson, Durham, Marion and Florence, S. C. Of course the smaller towns will be billed in the usual manner.

The subscription committee was out for several days of the past week and met with fairly good success. About one-third of the territory has been covered and next week it hopes to call on every merchant in the city who has not been seen.

The amusement committee has been carefully looking after the matter of parades, etc., and are satisfied that its department will not be lacking when the final round up comes.

A number of the merchants are placing orders for Elks' bunting, flags and other decorations and the city will be in gala attire. The people generally are enthusiastic when it comes to talking the fair and there is no reason to believe that the affair will "come off" short of a complete success.

SAD DEATH AT BURGAW, N. C

Miss Mary McNeill, a Popular Young Lady, Passed Away Friday Evening.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

BURGAW, N. C., Sept. 7.—Miss Mary McNeill, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McNeill, of this town, died yesterday evening after an illness of several months. She was twenty years of age and was just entering upon the threshold of a noble young womanhood. Besides the heartbroken parents the deceased is survived by a sister, Miss Katie McNeill, and four brothers, Messrs W. W., W. L., A. S., and L. McNeill.

She was conscious up to the time of her death and among her last words, she offered a beautiful prayer and told her loved ones around her bedside that she was "going to live with Jesus." She called them to her and told them that she could not stay with them longer but was waiting for Jesus to come and take her away.

She was always a consecrated Christian and did much good in the community and was a member of the Baptist church here. She was a student at the Womans' College, Richmond, Va., during the session of 1898–99. The following year she attended the Baptist Female University, at Raleigh, and at both places she drew to her a host of friends, who will learn with sorrow the sad news of her death.

In the school at Burgaw, of which she was a member of the faculty, she will be remembered as an able teacher and a maker of many friends who have already shown the high esteem in which she was held by their special interest in her during her continued illness. She was sick for months, and bore her trouble nobly.

The funeral took place here at 4 o'clock this evening in the presence of a concourse of friends, the Rev. M. C. Walton officiating. The pall bearers were: Honorary: Messrs. W. M. Hand, Rev. Mr. Martin, J. G. Bradshaw and H. I. Bowen; active: Messrs. Bruce Black, T. F. Croom, Empie Taylor, R. Sanderson, Loftin Larkins and Dr. Thompson.

Death of Mrs. Fannie Gilchrist Baker.

The Fayetteville *Observer* of this week copied from the current number of the *Presbyterian Herald* a notice of the death of Mrs. Fannie Gilchrist Baker, for years a popular belle of Fayetteville:

"She was born in Waltourville, S. C., and was the third daughter of the Rev. Adam Gilchrist, who for twenty-three years was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Fayetteville, and Mary Blaine, his wife, of Carlisle, Pa. She was also the widow of the late Judge James M. Baker, of Jacksonville, Fla., where her long and useful married life was spent. Leaving home in apparently good health, she succumbed after a brief illness, with only two of her beloved children at her bedside."

Wilmington Fox Club.

Capt. R. O. Grant has been elected president and Mr. W. T. Sears, secretary, of the Wilmington Fox Club. The membership is as follows: Messrs. R. O. Grant, E. H. Sneed, F. T. Mills, F. H. Fechtig, W. T. Sears, Dick Stokley, R. B. Mason, S. J. Davis, W. B. McClellan and Walter Williamson. The club is having a kennel built near the Angola Lumber Company's plant and some fine blooded hounds will be kept by club members.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Arrangements are being made for an excursion to Charlotte on September 23rd.

— There is talk of a meeting of the Board of Aldermen to-morrow afternoon.

— The annual election of officers of the Boys' Brigade will take place to-morrow night.

— "Atheism and Anarchy" will be Dr. Blackwell's subject to night at the First Baptist Church.

— Wright, the real estate agent, has an announcement of interest in the advertising columns of to-day's STAR. Read it.

— As the STAR employs no travelling agents, bills are sent direct to subscribers. These bills should receive prompt attention.

— Rev. P. C. Morton will speak at the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon in place of Rev. R. B. John, who is sick.

— Sheriff Frank H. Stedman gives notice in an advertisement in to-day's STAR that State and county taxes are now due and payable.

— Goldsboro *Argus*, 5th: "Misses Mamie and Carrie Hilker gave a party last night at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hilker, in honor of their guest, Miss Lucile Banck, of Wilmington."

— License for the marriage of five colored couples were issued during the past week. Two were issued yesterday: Randall Mayo and Nancy Jones and Silas Washington and Mary Anna Wilson.

— An item left in the office Friday stated that Miss Olivia Pridgen, of Caintuck township, Pender county, had died. It should have been stated that she was married to Mr. F. A. Pridgen, the Rev. R. H. Hewlett officiating.

A Fayetteville Engagement.

Fayetteville *Observer*: "The engagement of Mr. E. A. Johnston and Miss Janie W. McDiarmid, of Manchester, was announced to-day. They are to be married this Winter in the Presbyterian church of this city. Mr. Johnston is the son of Mr. William Johnston, the millionaire ship owner, of Liverpool, England, and head of the great Johnston line of steamers which ply to almost every port in the world. Miss McDiarmid, who is a daughter of our esteemed countyman, Mr. A. K. McDiarmid, is one of the most popular young ladies in this whole section, and one of the State's loveliest daughters."

Depository for School Books.

The store of Messrs. C. W. Yates & Co., has been made an exclusive depository for school books adopted by the North Carolina Text Book Commission and they have made a 5-year contract with all publishers for the sale of all books adopted by the commission, They are now prepared to fill all orders promptly and ask that patrons send for list giving new prices.

Negro Excursion From Darlington.

An excursion of about 250 negroes reached the city at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning from Darlington, S. C. They came on a special train which left last night at 10 o'clock.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway will sell tickets to Richmond, Va., on account of Carnival and Horse Show, October 7th to 12th, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets from all North Carolina points will be on sale Oct. 7th to 11th, good to return until the 14th. †

DIED.

REILLY—In this city, at 2.10 o'clock this (Sunday) morning, Mrs. CATHARINE THERESA REILLY, wife of Mr. John W. Reilly, aged 48 years.

Notice of funeral will be given in Tuesday's STAR.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TAXES! TAXES!!

The Tax Books are now in my hands and prompt settlement will save costs.

FRANK H. STEDMAN,
sep 8 1t Sheriff.

FOR RENT,

Or will lease for a term of years the Double Store on Water street, between Chesnut and Mulberry, occupied several years by the Willard Bag Manufactory.

D. O'CONNOR,
aug 14 tf Real Estate Agent,

Executor's Notice.

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of John Epps, deceased, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the said estate, are required to present them to the undersigned, properly verified, on or before the 10th day of August, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. LOUIS M. BUNTING,
au 11 6t su Executor of John Epps.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Eastern District of North Carolina: In the matter of Robert Williams, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. To the creditors of Robert Williams, of Rose Hill, in the county of Duplin, in said district, bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1901, the said Robert Williams was adjudged a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, in Fayetteville, in said district, on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1901, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon; at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting. If examination of bankrupt is desired advise me.

Fayetteville, N. C., September 6th, 1901.
Respectfully,
S. H. MacRAE,
sep 8 1t Referee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the matter of Jacob Baron, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. To the creditors of Jacob Baron, of Rose Hill, in the county of Duplin, in said District, bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of September, A. D 1901, the said Jacob Baron was adjudged a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, in Fayetteville, in said district, on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1901, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting. If examination of bankrupt is desired advise me.

Fayetteville, N. C., September 6th, 1901.
Respectfully,
S. H. MacRAE,
sep 8 1t Referee in Bankruptcy.

Exclusive Depository

For School Books Adopted by the North Carolina Text Books Commission,

Having made a FIVE YEAR CONTRACT with all the publishers for the sale of ALL text Books adopted by the State Text Book Commission, we are now prepared to fill orders promptly. Send for list giving new prices. Remember that you can buy all the text books from us at contract price.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.—We carry the largest stock of School supplies in the State and offer the best goods at lowest prices.

Orders from the country filled same day received.

C. W. YATES & CO.,
sep 8 tf Booksellers & Stationers, Wilmington, N. C.

Announcement!

I have purchased the interest of Jno. C. McMillan, Jr.,

In the SHOE business heretofore conducted at Fourth and Campbell streets under the firm name of

LEVI McMILLAN & CO.

The business will be continued by me without change of firm name. Trusting for a continuance of your valued patronage,

I am yours truly,

LEVI McMILLAN.
sep 8 tf

SEASONABLE GOODS

MULLETS, new catch.
Best Cream Cheese.
Martin's Gilt Edge Butter,
Bagging and Ties.
SALT.

A GENERAL LINE OF CASE GOODS DEMAND AT THIS SEASON.

Sole agents for
ROB ROY FLOUR.

McNAIR & PEARSALL.
sep

TRY US.

We have Flour, Sugar, Coffee,
Tea, Cakes,
Crackers, Candies,
Soap, Snuff, Soda,

Starch, Lye, Potash, Lard, Meal, Hominy, Molasses, Nails, Tobacco, Smoking and Chewing,

and a full line of Canned Goods. All of which we offer to the trade at living prices.

Williams Bros.
je 25 tf

F. T. Mills. W. B. McClellan.

NOTICE.

Just arrived car load Horses; several will weigh from 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., and lots of all classes of Stock on hand also. We carry the biggest stock of Buggies and Harness in the city, and at the lowest prices. Balance of this month will sell Buggies at cost to make room for car load due September 15th. For bargains call and see.

Wilmington Live Stock Co.
aug 20 tf

300 Cheese.
100 Boxes Tobacco.
200 Sacks Coffee.
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