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OUTLINES.

Lieut. Commander Hodgson continued his testimony in the Schley court yesterday; there is still doubt as to whether Admiral Sampson will be a witness.—Jas. H. McLeary, of Texas, has been appointed associate justice of the Supreme Court of Porto Rico.—Committee of arrangements for the erection of a Confederate Memorial hall is in session in Richmond, Va.; they have on hand now, \$235,000.—Fire broke out in the kitchen of the Lexington hotel, Richmond, Va., early last evening, the damage will amount to several thousand dollars.—The wedding of Miss Helen Morton and Count Bonon de Perigord was celebrated yesterday in St. Mary's Catholic church, Chelsea, Eng.—Fire at Timpson, Texas, caused losses aggregating \$225,000.—The Fall River strike has been declared off for two weeks.—Two new missionary districts have been constituted by the Episcopal Church in America, the Philippine Islands and the islands of Porto Rico and Vigues.—The labor situation in Tampa continues exciting.—The Shamrock will probably be laid up in New York this winter.—New York markets: Money on call steady at 3 per cent.; prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 8 3/4; flour steady in tone but not active; wheat—spot firm. No. 3 red 7 1/4; corn—spot steady, No. 2 6 3/4; oats—spot steady, No. 2 5 1/2; rye—spot steady, No. 2 5 1/2; flour—spot steady, No. 2 8 1/2; rye—spot steady, No. 2 5 1/2; flour—spot steady, No. 2 8 1/2; rye—spot steady, No. 2 5 1/2; flour—spot steady, No. 2 8 1/2; rye—spot steady, No. 2 5 1/2.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE,
 WEATHER BUREAU,
 WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 5.
 Temperature: 8 A. M., 51 degrees; 3 P. M., 58 degrees; maximum, 66 degrees; minimum, 47 degrees; mean, 56 degrees.
 Rainfall for the day, .12; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, .25 inch.
 COTTON REGION BULLETIN.
 The weather has continued cool over the greater portion of the cotton belt. Local rains have fallen in the Galveston, Little Rock and Oklahoma districts. Minimum temperatures: At Greensboro, 39; Charlotte and Raleigh, 43; Florence, Newbera, Weldon, 44; Wilmington, 41.
 FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.
 WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—For North Carolina: Fair Sunday and Monday; light northeasterly winds.

Port Almanac—October 6.

Sun Rises..... 5:59 A. M.
 Sun Sets..... 5:35 P. M.
 Day's Length..... 11 H. 39 M.
 High Water at Southport..... 2:38 P. M.
 High Water Wilmington..... 4:28 P. M.

If the gushers in the Beaumont oil field were all turned on they would spout 5,000,000 barrels a day. And it is an off day that doesn't "turn in" another gusher.

Russell B. Harrison wants a vindication for the "unfair treatment" he has been subjected to, and will ask President Roosevelt to vindicate him by giving him some soft snap.

If there be, as some bacteriologists inform us, 5,000,000 bacteria in a drop of pure milk, what a menagerie it would be after the milk had been doctored with the water some dairy-men use.

Gov. Stanly, of Kansas, has withdrawn his silver cup offer to the mother of triplets. By the time he had given out his twentieth cup he concluded that that infant industry had been sufficiently fostered.

Two Massachusetts girls have been left a fortune of \$200,000 on condition that they remain single. Ordinarily this would be a severe test but in this case the girls don't mind it, as they are both over sixty.

Texas oil is working its way Northward. Several large manufacturing plants in New York city are preparing to use it for fuel instead of coal. They can get it for 80 cents a barrel, including freight charges.

By persistent experiment the U. S. Department of Agriculture has succeeded in evolving a wheat that will grow in the so-called "arid" lands of the West, and will yield forty bushels to the acre. It makes fine flour, too.

Some of the New York papers suggest that the name of the Philippine Islands be changed to the "McKinley Islands." Some Republicans, however, object to that. One of them writes to the Tribune that such a change would neither fit the islands nor the memory of Mr. McKinley and that if it were adopted we would soon have changes all around and asks how would Otisville sound for Manila and Tattsbury for some other city. Think of running up against Hannatown, Foraker City, and a lot of other such places, to amaze the foreigner and ease the native. The objection is well taken.

THIS IS COURT WEEK.

Both the Superior and United States Terms Will Convene To-morrow.

SALE OF STREET RAILWAY.

Number of Conjectures as to the Probable Purchasers—The Trial Dockets Are Said to be Unusually Heavy. The Jurors Summoned.

Both the County Superior Court and the United States District and Circuit Courts will be convened in Wilmington to-morrow and will continue throughout the week. The dockets are heavy and a number of interesting cases are set for trial.

The United States Court will not get down to work in earnest until Tuesday, but a number of preliminary matters will be looked after on the opening day. Cases from Cumberland and Columbus counties will be tried on Tuesday; those from Robeson on Wednesday; Brunswick, Bladen, Duplin, Moore, Perdue and Sampson county cases on Thursday, and New Hanover, Richmond and Scotland cases on Friday.

The jurors from New Hanover for the term are Geo. R. Bate, W. H. Yopp, Oscar Pearsall, Thos. A. Watson, James Lauchlin and C. H. Castlen. Those from Brunswick are Richard Dozier, John Stanley, J. C. Brooks, H. K. Ruark and Lindsay Walker.

The New Hanover Superior Court will be held this term by Judge Oliver H. Allen, and will continue two weeks. Monday will be principally taken up with divorce cases, and others will follow according to the calendar published last week in the STAR.

The jurors for the present term of the Superior Court are as follows: First Week—Frank Herbst, W. C. Page, R. B. Register, Thomas J. Pae, Geo. W. Penny, Henry W. Penny, Jesse N. Bowden, D. W. Trask, H. L. Deans, W. H. Turley, M. Roseman, G. W. Parker, Jr., Robert Scott, Geo. H. Hudson, A. G. Alderman, John W. Wilson, Samuel W. Skinner.

Second Week—J. L. Sallings, Clifton Carroll, W. A. Rich, John M. Williams, George T. Grotgen, D. H. McLaughlin, D. G. Westbrook, J. J. Lippitt, J. A. Montgomery, J. J. Woolen, E. T. Conaway, C. L. Fowler, C. Thalley, J. A. Springer, K. W. Jewell, Joe L. Middleton, Joe A. Westbrook, C. O. Byrdly.

Sale of Street Railway.
 An incident to the session of the United States Court will be the sale by Thomas W. Davis, Esq., commissioner, of the Wilmington Street Railway. The sale will take place at noon to-morrow in front of the postoffice building and is pursuant to a former decree of the court. There are a number of conjectures as to the possible purchasers of the property, but the theory most generally advanced is that the sale will be to the parties interested in the Seacoast railroad improvement. Another report, however, is that the bondholders of the road have interested capitalists and that the property will be bid in by them.

IN THEATRICAL CIRCLES.

Manager Schloss Leaves for Greensboro. Mr. James H. Cowan in Charge.

Both of Manager S. A. Schloss' theatres, the one here and the one in Greensboro, will be busy this week. Mr. Schloss leaves for the latter place this morning to personally manage his house there, this being Greensboro's Fair week. Mr. Jas. H. Cowan will manage the house here this week for Mr. Schloss.

Mr. Cowan yesterday accepted charge of the Country Store for the Elks during the carnival. He expects to leave the city about the 21st inst. for his usual theatrical engagement. Before returning to Wilmington Mr. Schloss, accompanied by his wife, who will join him in Washington, D. C., will attend the marriage of Mr. Joseph E. Schloss, now of New York, and Miss Florie Meyers, of Philadelphia, which will take place in the latter city Monday, 14th inst.

Not Mr. Gore's Distillery.

The STAR is informed that Mr. Thos. J. Gore is not the proprietor of the new distillery being established south of Greenfield mill and spoken of in these columns yesterday. A gentleman named Roberts, from one of the upper counties, is said to be behind the enterprise. Mr. E. L. Truelove also says that he has no connection with the distillery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. F. Parker—Furniture.
 W. B. Cooper—Case goods.
 P. M. Asbury—Stieff Pianos.
 Opera House—Field's Minstrels.
 Geo. O. Gaylord—Fall opening.
 People's Savings Bank—Statement.
 A. M. Susman—Up-to-date furniture.
 J. A. Springer & Co.—Coal and wood.
 C. W. Yates & Co.—Exclusive depot.
 Mercer & Evans—Closing out sale.
 J. H. Rehder & Co.—Grand opening.
 Fishplate Clothing Co.—Welcome Elks.
 Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—Statement.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Position.
 Wanted—Male help.
 Ferguson—Outfit free.
 Wanted—Representative.
 Steamer Christmas—Schedule.
 Mrs. J. H. Dreher—Poese party.

LOCAL DOTS.

"A God-led life from pit to throne" will be Dr. Blackwell's subject tonight at the First Baptist church.

Capt. O. D. Barras is now the clever master of the steamer Southport in place of Capt. W. A. Snell.

The schooner *Mecosta* arrived yesterday from Perth Amboy with a cargo of 264 tons of coal for J. A. Springer & Co.

The steamer *Beatrice*, of the Atlantic Fisheries Company, on its first haul Friday made a phenomenally large catch, which betokens well for the season just opened.

W. T. Williams, of Norfolk, Va., transferred by deed filed for record yesterday to J. C. W. H. Bellota, lot in Cape Fear township, on Black River swamp; consideration, \$25.

"Carolina Day" will be observed at all the county schools on Friday after Thanksgiving. All schools which find it impracticable to have the observance on Oct. 14th are asked to celebrate the day on Nov. 23rd.

News comes from the James Sprunt Institute, Kewaneeville, that the enrollment of pupils for the Fall term is larger than ever. Rev. W. M. Shaw, the principal, has just caused for congratulation upon the excellent showing being made.

By deed filed for record yesterday Wm. H. McEachern and wife transferred to Thos. R. Orrell for \$1,800, house and lot on the east side of Sixth between Orange and Ann streets, the lot being 364x133 feet in size.

Miss Hamme's studio, 412 Market street, opposite the W. L. I. Armory, opened last Tuesday under most favorable auspices, and with the largest number of pupils she has ever had since her successful career as a teacher in Wilmington began.

TWO SPLENDID SHOWS.

Will appear at the Opera House Monday and Wednesday Nights of the Present Week.

Two big attractions are on tap for the Opera House this week—"Thelma" to-morrow night and Field's renowned and gigantic minstrel organization Wednesday evening.

"Thelma" is known far and near as the best of all Miss Marie Corelli's popular novels and every woman sympathizes with and loves the character of the heroine; in fact she appeals so strongly to womanly hearts that there has been over five thousand children named for Miss Corelli's famous character. Mr. Chase has made the Viking a very strong and interesting character bringing in the idea of the old Norse mythology which teaches that just before death Valkyrie maidens sent by Odin appears in the air and conveys with the dying. During the action of the play, when the Viking feels that death is near, he takes to his ship, which he sets on fire and then holds converse with the Valkyrie. The company is of the best and the scenery and electrical effects are said to be gorgeous. Seats on sale at Gerken's.

A. M. Susman Furniture Co.

The A. M. Susman Furniture Company, the up-to-date house furnisher, have just moved into their handsome new stores, Nos. 110 and 112 Market street, and invite the attention of STAR readers to an advertisement in another column. The firm, although comparatively young in the city, has an enviable reputation for fair dealing and close profits on goods sold. They not only carry a full and complete stock of furniture, but have a well selected stock of stoves, crockery, lamps, etc., which is offered to the trade during the opening at 15 per cent. discount. A visit to the store is all that is desired.

Progress of Sewerage Work.

Progress made during the past week on the laying of pipe for the Wilmington Sewerage Company by Wm. McLean & Co., the contractors, has been almost phenomenal. About 900 hands have been at work and thus far Castle street has been laid with pipe from the river to Sixth street. Front and Fourth streets, interesting, have also been laid from Castle to Church streets.

FERRARI MIDWAY CO.

Something of the Mammoth Aggregation at Elks' Fair Next Week.

MESSRS. BOSTOCK AND FERRARI

They Are Veteran Showmen Who Have Been On the Road for Years—Carnival Dates, Are October 14th-17th, Inclusive.

In Col. Francis Ferrari, the genius at the head of the Bostock-Ferrari combination at the Elks' Fair next week, is a man who would hardly know how to act away from a show. He was born in the business and has devoted his life to it. The big broad lunged, active and energetic Colonel says he has never known what a permanent home was—that is a cottage and his own door yard. He has lived like a nomad all his life. Col. Ferrari has his chores but they are not sprinkling the lawn and putting the babies to bed. He is the guiding genius of fourteen big shows. Morning, noon and night he is identified with their operation. There isn't five minutes in the day that there is not something to demand his attention. If an employe who is much depended on gets swelled on his importance and quits Col. Ferrari is called and he can't find a substitute he goes on himself. If the lights are faulty or anything goes wrong anywhere a messenger is sent for him. He is here, there and everywhere nearly all the time. But, within, he is master of the situation. He knows the show business from a to, z, and he is always in perfect touch with every detail.

Col. Ferrari was born among the spanglers and the din of the circus and the roar of the animals were his lullabys. He is of English descent. His father was an animal trainer and his mother worked with him. He was born in France, where the show his father was with exhibiting.

As soon as he was big enough he was pressed into service and at six years of age was doing turns with his father and mother in the animal cages. He travelled as a child with the show over England and Ireland and the continent, and when he attained manhood followed his father's footsteps as an animal trainer. Fourteen years ago, his father having died, he came to this country and was employed with shows as a wild beast trainer.

Mr. Bostock is about Mr. Ferrari's age and was of the same profession. They were working in the same show together. They had a little means with which they started out in business together. They were successful from the start and soon acquired a pretentious animal show. This they exhibited in the East, and in 1892 took it abroad. They returned the next year and exhibited their animals at the World's Fair.

Bostock is known as the animal king. He is accounted the most fearless man in the business. He and Ferrari confined their attraction exclusively to wild animals until a few years ago, they added other features and began playing carnivals and entertainments like the Elks' Fair. They have two aggregations. One of them Mr. Bostock has in the Pan-American Exposition now. While Col. Ferrari does not work the animals now, being too busy with the management of his aggregation, he is true to his first love. He superintends every detail of the animal show and makes his home with it. The animal show is his pride and he spends a small fortune annually in maintaining it at the high standard Wilmington people will find it.

All the other shows are arranged on plans similar to the animal show. Two, and in some instances three, wagons form the front of each show. The performers and people in charge of these shows live in these wagons and live well, too. All are neatly fitted up and the visitors would be surprised at the many evidences that women in the show business do not forget their desire for pretty trinkets and nice little room ornaments. The rest of the employes are equipped with cots and sleep in the various tents.

Opening days next Wednesday and Thursday at Behder's. Don't fail to visit it.
 Over 200 Trimmings Hats will be displayed at The Polvogt Co.'s opening on Tuesday, Tuesday night and Wednesday.
 Self opening Umbrellas \$1 at Behder's.



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City Schools Open To-morrow.

All the city schools, both for white and for colored children, will open to-morrow and the indications are for a very large attendance. The facilities of the several institutions are equipped practically the same as last year, when the schools closed one of the most successful seasons in their history.

Millinery and Dry Goods opening.

Millinery and Dry Goods opening Tuesday and Wednesday at The C. W. Polvogt Co.
 Five dollar Wool Blankets at \$3.50 at Behder's.
 See Store decorations of the C. W. Polvogt Co. Opening Tuesday and Wednesday.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. H. K. Nash, Jr., returned last evening from a visit to Tarboro.

—Mr. J. W. Cashwell, of Rosedale, N. C., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Miss Mamie Faison, of Kenansville, arrived last evening to spend Sunday with the family of Col. W. A. Johnson.

—Friends will regret to know that Mr. C. L. Cowles, the tailor, is very sick at his home, No. 815 Chestnut street.

—Mr. P. M. Asbury, factory representative of the famous Stieff pianos, has returned from a business visit through a portion of his territory.

—Friends of Col. W. A. Johnson, who is ill in New York, will be glad to know that his condition is somewhat improved. Mrs. Johnson is still with him.

—Mrs. N. M. Culbreth was summoned by telegraph to Richmond, Va., yesterday on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Van Lear.

—Mrs. Emma Maffitt, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Borden, and son, Mr. C. D. Maffitt, will leave to-morrow evening to attend the Maffitt-Pachetau nuptials on Thursday.

Rev. John Huske, son of the late Rev. Joseph C. Huske, of Fayetteville, accepts the appointment by Bishop Chebire as arch-deacon of the convocation of Raleigh, a missionary district comprising seventeen contiguous counties. He has been for quite a while assistant minister at St. Thomas church, New York.

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For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXSPORATORY.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

Death Sentence of John DeBerry; Colored, of Richmond County, Commuted.

MARSHALS FOR STATE FAIR.

Col. Waddell, Col. Morton and Mr. Metts Appointed—Those Licensed to Practice Law—New Hanesover Has a Representative.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 5.—Governor Aycock to-day commuted the death sentence of John DeBerry, colored, of Richmond county, to life imprisonment. DeBerry was to be hanged on October 10th for the crime of criminal assault upon a six-year old negro girl. The parents of the outraged girl are among those who asked for commutation. DeBerry is only fifteen years old.

Gen. W. H. Roberts, chief marshal of the State Fair, in progress here October 22nd to 26th, announced the appointment of his assistants to-day. Among them are Col. A. M. Waddell, special marshal, and Messrs. Geo. L. Morton and J. Van B. Metts, of Wilmington, active.

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DAMAGE SUIT AT SOUTHPORT

Longest Trial in History of Brunswick County Now Drawing to a Close. Verdict Expected To-day.

The suit of Moore vs Navassa Guano Company, which has been in hearing at Southport since Thursday a week ago, had not been concluded last night when a number of the attorneys interested in the case came up on the steamer *Wilmington*.

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