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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The President has issued his Thanksgiving Proclamation, fixing Thursday, Nov. 28, as the day. The government of Nicaragua has terminated the treaty under which the United States was empowered to contract a canal across the territory of Nicaragua. A London dispatch says that Lord Pauncefote carries with him to the United States the draft of a new treaty in relation to the isthmian canal, abrogating the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. The Pekin government has decided to recall Wu Ting Fang, Chinese Minister to Washington. Philadelphia capitalists have secured options on large tracts of lands in Spokane county, Va., believed to be rich in oil, gas and coal. The Turkish government has acceded to all demands made by the government of France. The odds are 10 to 8 and 10 to 9 on Low, in betting for Mayor of New York. British steamer St. Jacobs has been labelled at Norfolk, Va., for smuggling. The Ohio campaign has closed; Democrats claim that they will carry the State. The Good Roads Congress at Winston, N. C., closed yesterday. An unsuccessful attempt to assassinate the Dowager Empress of China is reported from Pekin. Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y., closed last night; the financial loss in the neighborhood of \$3,000,000. President Roosevelt has formally accepted the invitation to attend the South Carolina exposition on February 12th. A great falling off is expected in the vote of Nebraska; Democrats claim election of the Fusion ticket by ten to fifteen thousand majority. The New York markets: Money on call steady at 4 per cent; the last loan being at 5 per cent; cotton quiet at 75c; flour firm and steady; wheat spot firm, No. 2 red 77c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 64c; oats—spot steady, No. 2 42c; rosin steady, strained common to good \$1 42 1/2; spirits turpentine quiet at 38 3/4c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 2.
Temperatures: 8 A. M., 56 degrees; 9 P. M., 60 degrees; maximum, 72 degrees; minimum, 56 degrees; mean, 64 degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, .00 inches.
Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 4.4 feet.
FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—For North Carolina: Fair Sunday, Monday fair, probably colder in interior; fresh northerly winds.

Port Almanac—November 3.

Sun Rises, 6:34 A. M.
Sun Sets, 5:03 P. M.
Day's Length, 10 H. 39 M.
High Water at Southport, 12:56 P. M.
High Water Wilmington, 3:36 P. M.

The Cramps are reported to have said the keel of that Turkish cruiser will not be laid until they get the money for it in hand. Turkey is slow pay, and doesn't pay much attention to debts when the ducks are not backed by force.

And now they have struck oil in Illinois. A man boring for water near Canton, a few days ago, didn't strike water, but he did strike a big tank of petroleum, and now the whole country around there has become excited and the ground will be filled with holes.

And now it is said that we are to have another steel combine by the beginning of the next year, a \$2,000,000,000 combine, twice as big as the U. S. Steel combine. Mr. Frick is engineering it. There will probably be some friction between the two concerns, and the steel consumers will be the gainers by it.

Tobin Hanson, in Montreal, murdered a boy for money and when he got only fifty cents got so mad at himself and his luck that he went to a police station, told what he did and gave himself up. The police found the body of the boy at the place designated by the murderer. He was the son of a well known coffee merchant.

The Boers got most of their powder from a factory on Portuguese territory. A ship recently brought the factory 300 tons of saltpeter, and the British consul compelled the factory to send the saltpeter back. But England buys its powder where it sees fit, and its horses and mules where it sees fit. Why shouldn't the Boers have the same right?

It is mighty easy to slide down hill when a fellow starts sliding. Fifteen years ago Frank Bradley was general manager of the Pullman car works at Chicago at a salary of \$20,000 a year. He was detected embezzling the company's money and was sentenced to a term in the penitentiary, which he served. He is now in the Cook county jail, arrested as a pickpocket.

RAIDS ON THE COAST.

Diamond Back Terrapin Beds Looted Generally by Unknown Parties.

THE LOSS WILL BE LARGE.

Capt. W. A. Sanders, of Wilmington, One of Heaviest Losers—Prices This Year Are Good, Which Probably Accounts for the Theft.

Owners in Wilmington have just learned of systematic and very extensive raids that have been made by unknown parties during the past week on the "diamond back" terrapin beds along the Cape Fear coast. Several thousand of the valuable crustaceans, the Northern market for which is just now opening, have been pilfered and a number of owners of pens from which the terrapins have been removed are anxious to learn the identity of the depredators.

The penning and raising of "diamond backs," as they are commonly called, is an important industry at contiguous points, and as they are very scarce this year the season opened last week at prices ranging from \$10 to \$24 per dozen. The terrapins are kept in a pen near the water, and at this season of the year, when they stop feeding, they bury themselves in the ground and may be stolen without being missed by the owners for several days. The pilfering of beds along the coast last week was general and wholesale, which leads the owners to believe that the work is by organized parties, who are equipped for getting them to market and are fully cognizant of their value and shipping.

Last week Capt. W. A. Sanders received an order from a Baltimore house for a number of "diamond backs" and he went to his pen at Little River, S. C., to procure them for shipment yesterday. He was dismayed to find only one terrapin in his large bed of 353. Not wishing to disappoint his customer, Capt. Sanders hunted a message to Mr. C. E. Wright, keeper of another of his pens at Wrightsville, but that too had been raided and 302 terrapins stolen.

At Middle Sound Mr. Charlie Mason lost 300 a few days ago, and the STAR learns that the depredations have been general all along the coast, the losses perhaps amounting up into the thousands. It is probable that the aid of the State Shell Fish Commission will be invoked. The terrapins belonging to Capt. Sanders were marked by two niches on the lower right hand side of the shell.

SMITH RELEASED ON BOND.

It Was Procured by His Friends Yesterday Afternoon for Preliminary Hearing.
Bond in the sum of \$500 was yesterday given by Mr. N. L. Smith, in jail charged with embezzlement, and he was forthwith released to the great gratification of a number of friends, who had been laboring to this end ever since he was incarcerated. The bond is for his appearance at the preliminary trial in Justice Fowler's court to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the same having been continued to that date, pending the arrival of witnesses for the prosecution from New Haven, Conn. The sureties for Mr. Smith are Mr. H. C. McQueen and Maj. D. O'Connor.

Case of the Foundling.

The police yesterday did nothing more than pursue a quiet investigation of the mysterious disappearance of the hospital of the friendless little infant, which has twice been left at a door of strangers in this city, particulars of which were published in these columns yesterday. The child, not more than four days old, is still at the hospital, from whence it mysteriously disappeared night before last. The police have been informed of the identity of the mother of the foundling and have also a clue to its disappearance from the hospital, but as yet no names are disclosed. Developments are expected later.

Coming of the Circus.

John Robinson's Shows, which will exhibit at Hilton to-morrow, will reach the city in two sections this morning from Camden, S. C. The first section is due to arrive here at 6:30 A. M. and the second section about an hour later. Cars will be run to Hilton to-day for the benefit of those who desire to see the "animals unloaded."

Football on Thanksgiving.

Mr. J. McRee Hatch has received and accepted a challenge to play Red Springs a game of football at Hilton on Thanksgiving, Nov. 28th. Mr. Hatch will soon marshal his famous team of last year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. F. Parker—Furniture, Volland & Haspagon—Do you? Hauey & Dempsey—Notice. At Rehder's—Special sales week. Atlantic Na'nal Bank—Modern bank. Geo. O. Gaylord—A slaughter sale.
BUSINESS LOCALS.
Wanted—Board.
Wanted—Ladies.
Free—Arenas outfit.
Gas Heater—For bathroom.
Wanted—Responsible manager.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. H. C. McQueen returned from Raleigh yesterday morning.
Mr. Willie Smith left yesterday to enter the A. and M. College, Raleigh.

Dr. George F. Lucas, State bank examiner, is in the city on an official visit.

Mr. Vernon Liles, a popular travelling man of Lynchburg, Va., is here to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacRae and son arrived in the city yesterday from Washington, D. C.

Mrs. J. T. Burke returned yesterday from Raleigh, where she has been visiting her mother.

Mrs. J. V. Grainger returned home yesterday morning from a pleasant visit to friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Bland Wallace, after a visit to her son, Mr. R. W. Wallace, returned to her home at Kenansville yesterday.

Mr. E. M. Brogden returned yesterday from a few days' outing at Oronly, N. C., and other points on the S. A. L. railroad.

Mrs. Dickinson, of Beaufort, arrived yesterday to be with her son, Mr. C. L. Dickinson, who is very sick at the residence of Mr. Willie Howell, South Second street.

Capt. E. C. Cohen returned yesterday from Weldon, where he has been attending the Fair. His month's vacation was "up" yesterday and he has returned to work.

Mr. James M. Hall, the popular internist at the Memorial Hospital, left yesterday for Goldsboro to spend his vacation. It is his first vacation in three years and one eminently deserved.

Hon. Alexander Hamilton, of Petersburg, Va., second vice president of the Atlantic Coast Line, arrived in the city yesterday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Hamilton. They are guests of Col. and Mrs. Warren G. Elliott.

NEWS OF THE THEATRE.

Lillian Tucker Company Postponed Its Coming—Other Opera House Notes.

The Lillian Tucker Company which was billed for a three night's engagement at the Opera House here beginning to-morrow evening, has cancelled its dates and gone to Lynchburg, Va., instead. It will, however, return and play an engagement here three nights, Nov. 21st, 22nd and 23rd. The company did not want to play against the circus on the opening night and were released from their contract by Manager Schloss.

The Herald Square Opera Company is the next offering at the theatre. It comes on Saturday afternoon and night.

Manager Schloss is trying to arrange a date for the appearance here of Blind Tom, the celebrated negro pianist, but has nothing definite yet as to the date.

Blind Tom, was at Camden, S. C., at last Monday, Nov. 12th, theatre goes are to have one of the choice offerings of the season when Howard Kyle in a grand production of Nathan Hale will be seen. Mr. Kyle brings the complete Nat Godwin scenic environment and the company has been unqualifiedly endorsed by Mr. Clyde Fitch, the author of the great play.

A Precautionary Measure.

Capt. Robert Green, chief quarantine officer of the city, left yesterday evening for Mount Olive and other points on the W. & W. railroad to investigate the prevalence of typhoid fever in that section. Captain Green will make a thorough canvass of the community said to be infected and will advise with the Wilmington health authorities as to the advisability of establishing precautionary measures against an introduction of the disease into the city.

Daughters of the Confederacy.

Capt. James I. Metts, commander of Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V., has appointed the following committee to confer with and assist Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, in their convention Nov. 18th: George W. Huggins, Dr. W. D. McMillan, T. D. Meares, G. J. Boney, W. H. Northrop, W. J. Woodward. The committee will meet at 12 M. on Monday at the office of the Fannill Paint Company, Princess street, for the purpose of organizing.

Has Typhoid Fever.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Chadbourne, Jr., and Dr. Charles P. Bolles left yesterday for Chapel Hill in response to a telegram stating that Mr. George Chadbourne, a student at the University, has typhoid fever. His friends here hope for his early recovery.

Unbleaching, 2 1/2 yard, Triot Flannel, Windy Shades, 3c. Ladies' vests 10c this week at Rehder's.

COUNCIL EXECUTED.

Negro at Fayetteville Met Horrible Death Yesterday, Protesting His Innocence.

DISPLAYED GREAT COOLNESS.

Rope Broke and He Fell to the Floor, But Soon Regained His Feet and Walked Again Upon the Trap—Father Marion Attended Him.

From the Fayetteville Observer of yesterday afternoon the STAR takes the following account of the hanging of Lewis Council in that city yesterday morning:

Lewis Council was hanged inside the jail of Cumberland this morning at 10:15 o'clock in the presence of about 25 witnesses who had been formally summoned by Sheriff Burns, and which included Dr. J. D. MacRae, county physician, and Dr. A. S. Rose, county coroner.

The prisoner was attended in his last moments by Rev. Father Marion, of the Roman Catholic Church, who has been throughout faithful in his spiritual ministrations and unwearied in his efforts to procure a commutation of sentence for the wretched man.

A few minutes before the last moments of life, Sheriff Burns permitted the condemned man to come out of his cell; and he walked slowly, but with firm step, by the side of Father Marion, who now and then repeated parts of Holy Scripture or a brief prayer. Then the prisoner knelt at the feet of his spiritual adviser, and prayed fervently. Rising to his feet, he turned to the sheriff, who, at exactly 10 o'clock, read the warrant of death, his only reply being: "I am innocent." Between Sheriff Burns and Father Marion, Council then walked to the foot of the ladder and ascended it without aid, to the top of the line of steel cells, which form a platform, where were grouped about the creature on the verge of death, the sheriff, the priest, officers Ryan, Elia and Monaghan, the last immediately binding Council's feet and arms, his hands being for the moment free, in which he held the cross.

Council recited the Lord's Prayer, following Father Marion, his confession of faith in the Roman Catholic Church, and again he repeated, "As Christ died for the love of me, I die for the love of Christ."

Then said Father Marion: "Lewis Council, you know now that there is no hope for you, and you have but a minute to live. I want you to tell the reporters of the press and other citizens here assembled whether you are guilty or innocent."

Council, holding up his hands with the cross, "Before you all, in the presence of Christ crucified, I proclaim my innocence." The priest asked: "Do you repent?" "I swear that I am an innocent man."

Taking the cross from the hands of the condemned, Father Marion, after bearing testimony to the prisoner's bravery and grit, and after declaring that he had over and over again urged him to confess if he were guilty, raised the cross toward heaven, and solemnly declared in English and Latin, "I hereby proclaim, in the name of Governor Aycock and that warrant, that this man dies innocent. Good-bye, Lewis," he concluded.

"Have you anything to say to the sheriff?" Council thanked the sheriff and his officers for their kindness to him, declared that he had no hard feelings toward any one and begged for mercy for securing him; that when all came to die they would know he was innocent.

Deputy Sheriff Monaghan adjusted the black cap, the sign of the cross, and the sheriff sprang the trap. Horror of horrors, the rope broke and the body fell to the floor beneath. It was a fearful scene, and the terrible silence was broken by Father Marion, who cried for all to keep cool.

Council was assisted up the stairs, all the while uttering loud cries. He had strength enough, however, to stand alone on the trap while another rope was adjusted around his neck. The trap was again sprung by Sheriff Burns, and this time the rope did not break and he swung into eternity. In fourteen minutes he was pronounced dead by the county physician and the coroner.

Council's courage through all this dreadful scene was wonderful to behold. At 8 o'clock this morning Father Marion visited the prisoner, who was found cool and collected and thoroughly resigned to his death. He apologized him and administered the holy communion to the unfortunate man at the Council was convicted on appeal at the December term, 1900, of the Criminal Court and sentenced to be hung March 5th by Judge Moore. The jury, in reading the verdict, recommended that the Judge request the Governor to commute the sentence to fifteen years' imprisonment. The prisoner's counsel took an appeal, and the Supreme Court found no error. The Governor then set June 24th as the time of execution. Several days before that date he granted a respite to July 15th. Just before that day was reached he again granted a respite to July 22nd. On July 19th came another respite to August 12th. A few days before the day set for the execution came the fourth respite to November 1st. On Monday it was discovered that the death warrant read Saturday, November 1st, which was November 1st. So the Governor issued another death warrant, making the date Saturday, November 2nd, thus granting the fifth respite.

Frenzied pressure was brought to bear on the Governor to act on the recommendation of the jury, by the judge, solicitor, Father Marion and a great many of the leading citizens of Fayetteville. The Governor, however, thought the man guilty and so he had to die.

Shortly after the man was pronounced dead and cut down, Council's father took charge of the body and it was carried to the home near Wade station. Here the funeral will be held to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon. Rev. Father Marion, of St. Patrick's church, will conduct the services.

The rope which was used to hang Council, and which broke, was secured from Wake county, where it had been used on a number of similar occasions. West, the husband of the woman who it was alleged was assaulted, was in the city to-day, but the sheriff would not permit him to witness the execution. He is thoroughly dethroned here and the atmosphere was chilly about him.

MR. BEVERLY TUCKER FRENCH

Well Known Citizen of Wilmington Passed Away Last Night From Attack of Paralysis—The Funeral.

Last night, at his home in this city, No. 11 South Eighth street, Mr. Beverly Tucker French, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Wilmington, entered into rest.

Mr. French had been afflicted for the past five years with paralysis, and since that time had been in feeble health and unable to enter into active life. About three years ago he suffered a second stroke, and the third, which finally caused his death, came on last Thursday. It was seen then that he could live but a short while longer, and while his death was rather expected it brought profound sorrow to many friends, who had known him but a few years ago in apparent enjoyment of the very best health.

Deceased was a native of Robeson county, N. C., and was in the 66th year of his age. He was a son of the late Judge French, of this State, and possessed many traits of sterling character and manhood which endeared him to a wide circle of friends.

He removed to Wilmington about 25 years ago and was engaged in various commercial pursuits until the first stroke of paralysis unfitted him for active employment. During his long period of suffering he bore with great fortitude his affliction and always greeted his friends with a smile. His death, though relieving him of great suffering, is deplored by all.

Mr. French is survived in the immediate family by a heart-broken wife, two sons, Messrs. Reid and Clarence French, and two daughters, Miss May Beverly French and Miss Ella French. He is also survived by two brothers, Messrs. W. R. and Brooke French, and two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Taylor and Miss Mollie French.

The funeral will be conducted to-morrow morning from St. James' Episcopal Church at 10 o'clock and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

Lady Managers Appointed for Charleston Exposition—Report On Condition of State Banks—A Forged Check.

(Special Star Telegram.)
RALEIGH, N. C., November 2.—Governor Aycock to-day announced the appointment of sixty-six ladies, of all parts of the State, as North Carolina managers of the woman's department of the Charleston Exposition. Notable ladies in Eastern North Carolina are: Messdames George Rountree, B. L. Bridgers, Wilmington; Mrs. J. H. Small, Washington; Mrs. Arnold Borden, Goldsboro; Mrs. Henry W. Lilly, Fayetteville; Mrs. N. A. McLean, Lumberton; Mrs. E. H. Evans, Laurinburg; Mrs. J. P. Leake, Mrs. Hall Ledbetter, Rockingham; Mrs. W. P. Burns, Newbern; Mrs. Jacob Batt, Rocky Mount; Mrs. E. F. Aydt, Elizabeth City; Mrs. Thomas C. Skinner, Hertford; Mrs. F. Adams, Goldsboro; Mrs. Albert Anderson, Mrs. F. A. Woodward, Wilson; Mrs. T. J. Jarvis, Greenville.

The North Carolina Corporation Commission to-day issued a summary of reports on the condition of State, private and savings banks at the close of business Sept. 30th. Reports show total resources of State banks, \$13,097,118.44; private banks, \$1,624,951.81; saving banks, \$2,546,077.37. Total resources, \$17,357,776.92.

A comparison with the last report, July 15th, shows a gain of \$986,408.88; the total resources of all three classes of banks at that time being \$11,801,368.04.

Several weeks as a New York Journal writer, and more lately as a special detective, disappeared yesterday and is discovered to-day to have forged a check for fifty dollars on United States Commissioner Jan. Nichols. He induced Jacob Rosenberg, clothier, to cash the check. Sylvester is now believed to be responsible for burglaries committed recently. A reward is offered for his arrest. He weighs 120 pounds, is five feet high, dark skin, through which his beard shows plainly.

Reformation Day Services.
The services at St. Paul's Lutheran Church this evening will be in commemoration of the Reformation of the Sixteenth Century. Reformation Day proper comes on October 31st but the nearest Sunday to that date is annually observed by the Lutherans all over the world. There will be a special sermon by the pastor, Rev. Dr. A. G. Voigt, and a special programme of music. The public is cordially invited.

Meeting at First Baptist Church.

Revival services at the First Baptist Church to-day at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Mr. Greenwood will speak and sing at both hours. The meetings will continue through the week. No services were held yesterday on account of the day being Saturday.

Nearly every lady will visit Rehder's this week.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use OHEENEY'S EXPECTORANT.
For sale by Harbin's Palace Pharmacy.

THE SUPERIOR COURT

One Week Term of Trial of Criminal Cases Only Convened To-morrow.

SOLICITOR DUFFY IS HERE.

Judge Oliver H. Allen Will Preside—About Seventy-five Matters for Trial, Several of Them Being Important. Jurors for the Term.

To-morrow morning at 10 o'clock the New Hanover Superior Court, for the trial of criminal cases only, will be convened and continue in session for a week. Judge Oliver H. Allen will preside and Solicitor Rodolph Duffy, who arrived yesterday afternoon, will prosecute. Judge Allen will arrive on the morning train from Goldsboro to-morrow.

There are seventy-one cases on the docket for trial, but not more than half that number will likely be tried at the court will be held three weeks later and for this reason a number of continuances is expected. There are twenty-five prisoners in the county jail and these defendants will likely be given precedence.

The two most important cases are those against the negro Wallace, charged with the murder of Jim Dudley, also colored, and against H. Hauser, the Swiss watchmaker, who is charged with incendiarism. It is believed that a continuance will be had in the first named case, but the charge against Mr. Hauser will likely be investigated at this term. Fire Commissioner Young, of Raleigh, at whose instance Mr. Hauser was arrested, will be here to-morrow and the case will likely be called on Wednesday.

The defendant is represented by Bellamy & Peschau, and Solicitor Duffy will be aided in the prosecution by City Attorney Bellamy, Bellamy & Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq. Hauser is now out on bond and will be present for the examination.

The following are the jurors for the week: Joseph H. Hanby, J. R. Guthrie, John B. Dempsey, E. S. Connaux, John Thomas, J. E. Hinnant, G. T. Flynn, Anson Allgood, Henry Smith, Elijah Hewlett, J. E. Grier, T. W. Brown, John C. Biggs, R. T. Alford, John D. Cottle, C. F. W. Rehder, Z. E. Murrell, M. J. Corbett, Eugene McKenzie, J. G. Barrentine, Eugene Blossom, J. E. Matthews, L. G. Styne, C. M. Whitlock, Charles D. Meyers, James I. Metts, Wm. Cornwall, D. H. Holland, W. H. Yopp, J. D. Edwards, John E. G. Brown, C. D. Gore, J. F. Edwards, T. E. Heath, R. L. Gates, James M. Smith.

LOCAL DOTS.

The "Duchess" and point lace handwork of Mrs. A. S. Holden, of this city, was awarded a premium at the State Fair just closed.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Wednesday afternoon in the lecture room of the First Baptist church at 4 o'clock. All are invited to be present.

Cumberland Superior Court adjourned yesterday. The jury in the case of W. M. Reed against the A. C. L. gave plaintiff a verdict for \$750 damages.

The services at St. Matthew's Lutheran church this morning and evening will be in celebration of the German Reformation of the Sixteenth Century. The public is cordially invited.

The fifth series of stock in the N. C. Home Building Association matured on Nov. 1st, after having run for 321 weeks. Shareholders have paid in during that time \$80.25 and received a profit from their investment of \$30.10.

The splendid little yacht Roamer, belonging to Capt. Roamer, of the New York Yacht Club, and sailed by him, was in port yesterday on her way to Florida and Cuba. Capt. Roamer visited this port in his trim little boat last season.

The STAR is requested to announce that Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will hold an important meeting Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the W. L. I. armory. A full attendance of members is earnestly desired.

ANNUAL BANK EXAMINATION.

Both of Wilmington's Savings Institutions in Front Ranks of the State.
Dr. George F. Lucas, State Bank Examiner, yesterday made his annual investigation of the affairs of both the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company and the People's Savings Bank of this city. It is needless to say that the affairs of both institutions were found in a most healthy condition and among the safest banks of their character in the State.

Dr. Currie spoke in most complimentary terms of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company. He regards it as a model institution and one in every way worthy of the confidence of the people.

Rehder's Rehder's SPECIAL Sales Week! November 4th to 9th, at REHDER'S, Next Fourth Street Bridge. Greatest Bargains Ever Offered.
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September, 1900, 1,100,000 130,000
September, 1901, 1,400,000 146,000
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J. W. YATES, Asst. Cashier.

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Also we will call your special attention to our new line of Brass Beds, which we have twenty-five different grades.
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200 Cases Standard Peaches.
150 Cases Std. Corn.
50 Cases Std. Baked Beans.
25 Cases Std. Peas.
25 Cases Std. Pineapples.
100 Cases Oysters.
125 Cases Std. Ham.
100 Cases Corn Beef.
15 Cases Tripes.
200 Cases Sardines.
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Also full line of Groceries and Drugs.
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NOTICE.
WALLACE, N. C., Nov. 1, 1901.
This is to certify that we this day have dissolved partnership, and that I, J. B. Dempsey, do renounce all responsibilities of the firm of HANCOCK & DEMPSEY.
J. B. DEMPSEY,
nov 3 1/2

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