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LOCAL DOTS.

See fourth page for new advertisements. Cape Fear Camp of Veterans will meet Monday night, 7:30 o'clock at the W. L. I. armory.

The Clyde steamer arrived last night from Georgetown and expects to clear to-morrow for New York. The new residence of Mr. C. W. Yates, Fourth street, near Princess, will be one of the prettiest in the city when finally completed.

Three persons were before the Mayor yesterday for failure to pay license tax. They were required to pay only the cost and amount of their delinquency.

Theatre-goers need only be reminded that the Una Clayton Company begins a week's engagement Monday night. The advance sale of seats is unprecedented.

Annual roll call at the First Baptist church this morning. Tonight Dr. Blackwell will preach his second sermon on the "Jews, Israel and the Anglo-Saxons."

Rev. C. H. Matthews, of Onslow county, is in the city and will conduct both services at Southside Baptist church to-day. He will speak to men at the Y. M. C. A. at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Superior Court will convene to-morrow at 10 A. M. Owing to a misunderstanding between Judge Timberlake and the Wilmington attorney no calendar has been decided upon and a day's adjournment Monday will probably result.

A missionary service for the Junior Auxiliaries of St. James' and St. John's churches will be held in St. John's church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Frederick H. T. Hornfield, rector of St. James, will make an address and all are cordially invited.

Schooner Wm. F. Campbell was cleared yesterday for Havana, L. M. Ar, Jamaica, with cargo of lumber and shingles consigned by the Kidder Lumber Company. Schooners C. C. Lane and Ida C. Schoolcraft were cleared for New York and New Haven, respectively, with cargoes of lumber by the Cape Fear Lumber Company.

Thos. Evans and wife by deed filed for record yesterday transferred to the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company a parcel of land on the west side of Northeast river 4,500 feet more or less above the western pier of the railroad bridge, adjoining the lands now owned by the Powers & Gibbs Company; consideration \$500.

THE CONFEDERACY.

Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., Held Its Annual Meeting Yesterday Afternoon.

REPORTS OF ALL OFFICERS.

Kentucky Chapter's Protest Against the Theatrical Production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Warmly Endorsed—Other Notes.

The annual meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, held at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the W. L. I. armory, was attended by much enthusiasm upon the part of the large number of members present.

The important features of the meeting were the reading of the annual reports from officers and committees; the adoption of resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Mrs. W. H. C. Whiting, and an endorsement of the action of the Lexington, Ky., Chapter, U. D. C., in strenuously protesting against the recent dramatic production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in the theatre in that city.

Committee reports were first heard and each of them indicated substantial progress during the past year. The report of Miss Mary F. Meares, the treasurer, showed a very satisfactory condition of the finances of the Chapter, and that of Mrs. John C. James, the secretary, was likewise gratifying to the members present.

Mr. J. J. Hedrick, chairman of the Memorial Committee, made a very complete report, showing what had been accomplished in that respect during the past fiscal year. Miss Mary F. Saunders, registrar of the museum, submitted the report by the Committee on History and Relics, which is as follows:

"MADAME PRESIDENT AND LADIES—During the year just past we have added but little to our Museum collections. We have, however, received a few relics. Maj. Reilly's two swords have been placed there, two photos of Capt. Moffitt and a few other things. The Museum has not been opened weekly as heretofore for several reasons. The public did not take sufficient interest to go there every week and sit the whole afternoon and have no one to call.

"When the W. L. I. had their bazaar we opened the room, and charging 10 cents for admission, we raised six dollars and some cents for them. It was open also two afternoons during the Confederate Veterans' encampment and we had some enthusiastic visitors, and again during the convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

"In regard to the care which the room has had I suppose Mrs. Higgins will give a report, which, as she has done considerable work, ought to be interesting. "I have registered 126 applications during the year, as none had been registered previously. I have nine on hand for the coming year.

"During this year I have received from the Examining Committee 33 original applications and two transfers, examined and approved. "In connection with the above I have received from Mrs. Empe a little pamphlet called 'John Yates Beall,' an account of his thrilling career in the South." MARY F. SAUNDERS, Registrar.

The last report, and perhaps the most important and exhaustive, was that of Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley, the president. It is as follows: "Daughters of Cape Fear Chapter: "A year ago, on Jan. 19th, Cape Fear Chapter took part with the Veterans in the celebration of Lee's birthday. Crosses of Honor were presented to sixty Confederate soldiers, a most beautiful address being made on the occasion by Mrs. Gaston Meares, which has since been printed, the little booklet being given with each cross presented.

"On Memorial Day we had the usual observance, with an exceptionally fine address from Capt. O. B. Denson, of Raleigh, and the presentation of thirty-eight more Crosses of Honor. The graves of eight Confederate soldiers were marked with stones during the year.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

Instructors in County Institutions Met at the Court House Yesterday.

ENTHUSIASTIC CONFERENCE.

Address by Professor Catlett on Modern Methods—Reports from All Districts Were Very Encouraging—Petition for Increased Salaries.

The meeting of the teachers of the various public schools in the county at the office of Prof. Washington Catlett, the superintendent, yesterday morning was fraught with much interest and profit to those who were present.

As a result of the meeting a nucleus was formed for the organization of a Teachers' Association and many other matters of interest were transacted. The exercises were opened by an entertaining and instructive talk by Prof. Catlett on the best method of teaching mathematics and reading.

The subjects were exhaustively treated by Prof. Catlett in an address of more than an hour and a half. He also referred in a general way to all branches taught in the schools. Prof. Catlett's remarks were followed by an informal discussion of general school work in which all the teachers participated and manifested a lively interest. Reports from all sections indicated that never before were the county schools in a more flourishing condition.

Prof. Catlett says he thinks the corps of teachers in New Hanover the best in the State and he never knew enthusiasm to run higher. Nearly all the schools now have libraries started and these are growing daily. Not one cent from the State has been received toward supplying these; in fact, the work of establishing libraries in the schools was instituted in New Hanover before the State took up the question and there has been no occasion thus far to call for the outside assistance.

There is commendable progress in beautifying the grounds of the various schools and the teachers report that the entire county has received inspiration from this source and many country residences are being made more beautiful for the work begun by the children. The school on Middle Sound, District No. 3, has won special distinction in the establishment of its library and improvement of its grounds, and as a reward for the energy of the teacher and pupils a movement is on foot to have the County Board of Education present to that institution a handsome flag.

Perhaps the most important consideration of the meeting yesterday was the question of salaries. There has been much discussion of late in the State in regard to the pay of public school teachers, and yesterday the teachers in joint assembly drew a petition for presentation to the County Board of Education asking that their pay be increased, which will not doubt be done at an early date. The teachers cite that the cost of living has become much higher and that their duties have become more burdensome since the schools have reached the present advanced stage.

Those present at the meeting yesterday were Miss Pattie D. Thorpe, W. H. H. Herring, Myrtle Grove; Miss Augusta Wiggins, Delgado; Miss Reba Myers, Delgado; Miss Newbury, Castle Haynes; Mr. J. P. Herring, Masonboro; Mr. E. C. Herring, Greenville; M. E. D. Bowen, East Wilmington; and Mr. M. Bowen, Acorn Branch.

Prof. Catlett will hold a meeting of the colored teachers of the county in February. Negro State a Pig. John Sharkless, colored, was sent over to jail for the higher court by Mayor Waddell yesterday on the charge of false pretense. Sharkless was arrested by Policeman Frank George at Fourth and Bladen streets in that city, where he went to Market street and Dock, where Mr. A. S. Benton had brought pork to the city for sale, and told him he had been sent for a dressed pig by Mrs. McIntosh, who conducts the Fulton House, where Sharkless was employed about a year ago. Mr. Benton gave him the last pig in his cart, and when he went to collect for same, it was found that no boy had been sent to buy a pig. The police went to work on the case and soon had Sharkless in the toils, though he denies every thing.

Why Not Wilmington? Mr. Geo. A. Hoderness, of Tarboro, President of the Carolina Telegraph and Telephone Company, says that his company has bought the Dan and Smithfield exchanges with their toll lines; that he will run a copper line from Selma to Raleigh, and then a man in Raleigh can telephone over the system from the State capital to Morehead City, Fayetteville, Washington, or any intermediate points in Eastern North Carolina.

Whipcord 38-inch, right new goods and 35c value, shown by the Polvogt Co. for 65c. U. C. Ellis for exquisite photos, on 1902 style cards. Visit the Polvogt Co. this week and see the new goods they are displaying.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

Programme Complete for the Celebration To-morrow—Orders to Military Companies for the Procession.

Arrangements were completed yesterday in detail for the Lee birthday celebration in Wilmington to-morrow afternoon. The chief outward feature of the observance will be the military parade, which will form on Market street, opposite the W. L. I. armory, the right resting on Fourth street. The procession will move promptly at 3 P. M., and the line of march will be: Market to Front street; Front to R. d. Cross; R. d. Cross to Third; Third to Princess and on Princess to the Opera House, where appropriate exercises will be observed.

After the exercises the Ladies of the Daughters of the Confederacy will serve luncheon to those who participated in the parade or who are present wearing the regulation Confederate badges, which may be procured from Sergeant Major Hamme at the armory. No others will be admitted. The procession will be in charge of Capt. James I. Metts, Chief Marshal, and the following mounted aides: S. M. Boatwright, representing George Davis Camp, No. 50, Sons of Confederate Veterans; Roger Moore, Wilmington Light Infantry; J. H. LeGwin, Naval Reserves, and Edward P. Dudley, Col. Walker Taylor's Boys Brigade. The following order will be observed:

Police Corps. Marshals and Aides. Second Regiment Band. Third N. C. Infantry Association. Cape Fear Camp, No. 264, U. C. V. George Davis Camp, No. 50, Sons of Confederate Veterans. Wilmington Light Infantry. Naval Reserves. Taylor's Boys' Brigade.

For the purpose of participating in the parade, official notice has been given by Captain Metts, commander, for the U. C. V. Camp to assemble at the armory at 2:30 P. M.; by Capt. A. P. Adrian, of the W. L. I., for his company to assemble at 3:15 P. M.; by Col. Walker Taylor, commander, for the Sons of Confederate Veterans to assemble and report to Vice Commander Geo. D. Crow at 3:30 P. M., and similar orders in all essential points have been issued to the other organizations named above.

The Daughters of the Confederacy at their annual meeting yesterday also made the request that members of the Chapter assemble at 2:30 P. M. for the purpose of attending the exercises at the Opera House in a body. Those actively engaged in the arrangement for the celebration are requested to meet at the Opera House to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock to assist in the decorations, etc. The programme of exercises at the Opera House as completed yesterday is as follows:

Prayer by Rev. P. C. Morton. Music by Second Regiment Band. Address by Comrade Calvin S. Blackwell, D. D. Music by Second Regiment Band. Robert E. Lee's Farewell Address at Appomattox Court House by Capt. James I. Metts. Presentation of Crosses of Honor by Miss Hettie James. Response by Dr. Carmichael. "Dixie" by Second Regiment Band. Singing of "Old North State" by the audience, with accompaniment by the band.

All Confederate Veterans are invited to participate in the parade, and those who have badges at their homes are requested to wear them. GENERAL MANAGER COMING. Vice President Barr, of the Seaboard Air Line, Will Be Here to Look Into the Double-Daily Train Service.

In response to the invitation from the allied commercial bodies of the city, Vice President and General Manager Jno. M. Barr, of the Seaboard Air Line, has written that he will be here soon after Feb. 1st, and will then hear the petition of the business men of Wilmington relative to the double-daily passenger service on the Carolina Central to Hamlet, frequent mention of which has been made in the STAR.

The following letter from Vice President Barr was received yesterday by Mr. L. B. Rogers, secretary of the joint committee: "PORTSMOUTH, JAN. 17, 1902. "Mr. L. B. Rogers, Wilmington, N. C. "DEAR SIR: I have received invitation of the Committee of the Produce Exchange, Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' Association and Wholesale Grocers' Association, of your city, to visit same and have pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of same and thanking you therefor. I will have pleasure in accepting your invitation at an early date, and will visit your city soon after Feb. 1st, with our Traffic Manager and General Passenger Agent. Yours truly, "J. M. BARR."

is Business for Himself. The STAR is pleased to announce that its young friend, Mr. James Owen Beilly, will shortly engage in business for himself. He expects in a few days to open an insurance office in the same building with Maj. D. O'Connor, the well known real estate man on Princess street, where he has been employed for some time. He will represent such well known companies as the "Royal Exchange Assurance," of London, and the "Germania Life," of New York, and others.

New wash goods are shown by the Polvogt Co. Visit them when down town. U. C. Ellis for exquisite photos, on 1902 style cards. Visit the Polvogt Co. this week and see the new goods they are displaying.

WILMINGTON COLLECTORSHIP.

If Not Russell It Will Be Keith, According to Best Information Obtainable. A New Candidate.

The Collectorship matter is still in statu quo. From a most reliable source yesterday the STAR received confirmation of the exclusive publication in its columns Friday morning of the news that ex-Governor Russell had been tendered the place and had been given until Monday to decide whether he would accept. From the same source from which the confirmation of that report was received yesterday, it was learned that if Russell did not accept the appointment it would go to Mr. Keith.

This information is regarded as absolutely trustworthy and its truthfulness is said to be conceded by the friends of Mr. D. L. Gore, who up to this time has been one of the leading candidates in the race. Another new candidate, even at this late date, developed yesterday in the person of Robert W. Davis, a leading Republican lawyer of Brunswick and postmaster at Southport. A petition in his favor was being circulated by friends in Wilmington yesterday.

A special dispatch from Washington says: "Ex-Governor Russell has still got the Collectorship under careful and to all appearances prayerful consideration. It begins to look as though he were going to accept it regardless of the restraining force of his friends."

Peculiarly Sad Death. The STAR regrets to chronicle the death of Miss Jennie Turlington, whose desperate illness was noted in these columns yesterday. She passed away at her home in this city at 3:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after a short illness, brought on by overwork in nursing her sister, Mrs. Bierman, who died a week ago to-day after having been sick herself only eight days. Miss Turlington was a young lady of estimable character and was a consistent member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The funeral will be conducted from St. Andrew's at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Monday) morning, and the interment will be in Oakdale. The same pallbearers who officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Bierman last Sunday will serve to-morrow.

Assault with Intent to Kill. Constable Wm. Sheehan yesterday arrested at Front street market John King, colored, who was committed to jail for a preliminary hearing before Justice Fowler to-morrow. King is charged with an assault with intent to kill upon Wm. Jacobs, a negro living on the Jordan Nixon place at Porter's Neck. The offence was committed during the Xmas holidays. Jacobs was hit upon the head by a brick hurled by King and has only now recovered sufficiently to appear against his assailant. Jacobs' skull was fractured by the blow.

Entered a Residence. Capt. Robert Green was called upon yesterday to investigate a queer circumstance at the boarding house of Mrs. Thees, on Chesnut between Third and Fourth streets. During the night previous some one entered the rear porch of the residence and left upon it a round table, later forcing an entrance into the basement and leaving a lighted lamp there, which was discovered in the morning. The ownership of the table is unknown and there was left no sign to indicate a motive for entering the dwelling.

Illicit Distilling in Nash. A correspondent of the STAR writing from Spring Hope, Nash county, says: "Revenue officers came in town this evening about 8 o'clock with two illicit stills cut up. They were of sixty and one hundred gallons capacity, copper stills and in good shape when found. One was worn when found. The officers turned out about eight hundred gallons of beer. No arrests were made. The stills were found on the edge of Franklin county."

U. C. Ellis for exquisite photos, on 1902 style cards. New Val Laces and Insertions will arrive Tuesday at the Polvogt Co. Special value in Taffeta Silk only 50c at the Polvogt Co. this week.

Attention, Sons of Veterans. The members of George Davis Camp No. 50, Sons of Confederate Veterans, are hereby notified to report at 3:30 P. M. Monday, January 20th, to Vice Commander George D. Crow, at the W. L. I. Armory to participate in Gen. Lee's birthday celebration. WALKER, Commander.

Attention, Hibernians. You are hereby notified to appear at your hall this (Sunday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our deceased brother member R. Hugh Swainey. By order of the President, F. P. DONLAN, Secretary.

One solid week, commencing Monday, January 20th. MATTHEW SATURDAY. WIMBORNE. MISS ANA CLAYTON. Monday night the latest Metropolitan Comedy Drama. "LITTLE MISS MILITARY." Agencies by Messrs. F. P. DONLAN, in charge of the BUREAU OF THEATRE. Prices—10c, 25c and 50c. Show on Jan 19th.

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He Will Have His Office in Raleigh—Treasurer's Receipts and Disbursements. (Special Star Telegram.) RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 18.—The Council of State to-day directed the Superintendent of Public Instruction to write Capt. J. H. McRee, State Engineer, to bring his maps, etc., and make his headquarters in Raleigh. It was ordered also that an office be provided for him in the State Capitol building.

The State Treasurer issued an annual statement to-day showing that the total receipts, general and special, for the year ending November 30th, 1901, were \$1,744,650.80 and disbursements, \$1,680,872.73.

Stole an Overcoat. Ben Dew, colored, was sent to jail yesterday by Justice Fowler to answer in the Superior Court for the larceny of an overcoat from a fellow colored employe at Mills' stable. The coat was sold at Mr. Cyrus Tamm's auction house on Second street. Dew confessed the theft, but said that he was hungry and needed money to buy food.

Elks Are Growing. The Elks are "comin' up all the time." Yesterday District Deputy Gerken received the charter list for a new lodge of 30 members at Newbern, and he has also received a petition for the reorganization of the lodge at Charleston, S. C. Both these lodges will be instituted very shortly.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Messrs. W. J. Thomas and J. E. Howell, popular travelling men of Charlotte, are at the Orion. These were registered at the Orion last night: E. W. Fetzer, Charlotte; S. F. Burbank, Washington; R. T. Crawford, wife and children, Southport; and Robt. W. Curtis, Hickory.

Corporation Commissioner Samuel L. Rogers, of Raleigh, who has been visiting a number of the Eastern counties in regard to taxation matters, arrived in the city last night and is at the Orion. Dr. Thomas R. Little, superintendent of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, left yesterday to spend a few days at his old home at Little's Mill, Richmond county. Dr. Kirby Collier is at the hospital in Dr. Little's absence.

U. C. Ellis for exquisite photos, on 1902 style cards. DEED. SWEENEY—January 17th, 1902. HUGH SWEENEY, aged 79 years. The funeral will be held at 3:30 P. M. to-day from his late residence, No. 416 North Third street, thence to St. Thomas' Interment at Oak Dale. TURLINGTON—In this city at 3:45 P. M. yesterday, Miss Jennie Turlington, aged 25 years. The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Monday) morning from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Interment in Oak Dale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M. COMPANIONS—The regular Convocation will be held Monday evening, 8 o'clock, at the W. L. I. Armory. Secretary, J. M. MARTIN. Attention, Sons of Veterans. The members of George Davis Camp No. 50, Sons of Confederate Veterans, are hereby notified to report at 3:30 P. M. Monday, January 20th, to Vice Commander George D. Crow, at the W. L. I. Armory to participate in Gen. Lee's birthday celebration. WALKER, Commander.

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