WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 16. Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M .:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 58 degrees; sp. M., 67 degrees; maximum, 73 derees; minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 64

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 3.15. COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Fair weather has continued in all ections with generally higher temper.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16. - For North Carolina: Fair; warmer Wennesday;

Port Almanac-September 17.

Su Rises	5.44 A. !
Sun Sets	6.05 P. 1
Dar's Length	12 H. 23
High Water at Southport	7.12 A.
digo Water Wilmington.	9.43 A.

If J. P. Morgan's coal bin didn't know where its supply was coming from perhaps J. P. wouldn't be so backward in coming forward to settle the strike.

Since the failure of Senator Platt's prediction as to the end of the coal strike he can go away back and sit down. He isn't up on the coal strike business.

It is said that Boss Platt, of Nwe York, couldn't stand the pressure and finally consented that the Republican State Convention endorse Roosevelt for 1904.

A Denver, Col., woman wants damages from a dentist who pulled the wrong tooth. He had a pull on her, and she wants to get even by getting a pull on him.

St. Louis has the start on Chicago in one thing anyhow. Chicago has boodler Aldermen, but they never struck on the plan of organizing an oath-bound combine as the St. Louis municipal solons did.

The steel men say they will have to import 100,000 tons of Bessemer pig for the last quarter of the current year, because the home supply is not enough. They will have to pay the tariff on it, too, and then they will stick on the price to get

These Republican spell-binders ought to get together and fix their speeches up so they would harmonize. Senator Beveridge says the tariff doesn't help trusts, but Senator Lodge says the tariff helps the Beef Trust. If one trust, why not other trusts?

A South Dakota shepherd dog which accompanied his master on a trip to North Daketa and was left there with a friend, didn't like North Dakota and in a short while turned up at his old home, having footed the distance, nearly three hundred miles, alone.

much for Rev. Wm. A. Knight, of Boston, is that "Providence should have raised up such a character as Theodore Roosevelt for light and leading in such times as these." A good many people think Tom Platt had a good deal to do with that. But the fates were against him when he thus planned to bury Teddy.

Americans are teaching the Europeans something as they loiter among 'em. Ever since they have been running railroads in Germany, people had to gather about the baggage cars and identify their own baggage. But the railroads over there have at last caught on to the American fashion and check baggage. But they haven't caught on to the American baggage smasher

THE MORNING STAR.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1902.

A BIG COTTON BLAZE EARLY THIS MORNING.

Two Hundred Bales on Fire at the Carolina Central Wharves-Narrow Escape of Two Vessels.

Fire which broke out at 1 o'clock this morning on the Seaboard Air Line wharves at the foot of Brunswick street, burned about 200 bales of cotton, a large area of practically new wharf, hoisting engine and shed and badly damaged other property that will probably run the entire loss up to be-

tween \$10,000 and \$15,000. The British steamer Gladys and American schooner Gem, laden with pyrites and discharging at the wharves, were lying close in and had a narrow escape from burning, though neither of them caught fire. The Gem loosed her moorings and swung down the wharf with the tide. The stern of the Gladys was thrown away from the wharf by the prow of the Gem.

All the property is believed to have been in charge of the S. A. L., though the cotton was in transit to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son and was "headed up" on the platform to the number of about 400 bales, preparatory to its being lightered to one or the other of the two compresses operated by the firm.

The fire is supposed to have originated from the small hoisting engine which had been used the previous day in running the machinery for discharging the pyrites from the vessel. An alarm was sent in from the box at Nutt and Brunswick streets, but it was the longest kind of time before a stream could be turned upon the burning cotton. An effective stream was not secured until Engine No. 1 was attached to the hose and then the firemen easily got the blaze under control. It will be several days, however, before all the fire is out. A number of bales of cotton were dumped in the river, but others were still the City Hall while the "Black burning on the wharf this morning.

LOCAL DOTS.

- No police court yesterday for he first time in many moons.

- British steamer Huxby sailed resterday from New York for this

- Two competent newspaper compositors are wanted immediately | Co. presented a bill for \$6 for ice used at the STAR office. Satisfactory recommendations required.

- There is a world of good sense in the advertisement of Parker, The Furniture Man, which may be found in another column. The "ad" is a good text for a good long sermon.

- A building permit has been granted to Mr. I. Shrier for the erection of a one-story frame, three room house on east side of Eleventh, between Market and Princess streets.

- There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in their office in the Seaboard Air Line building, North Front

- By deed filed for record yester day Mrs Mary E. McGirt transferred to John H. Hanby, house and lot on west side of Sixth, 244 feet north of Orange street, 364x165 feet in size; consideration \$1,721.

- Mr. M. G. McKay, of Laurinburg, in a letter covering his subscription to THE MORNING STAR, SAYS: "I would like know how long I have been taking the STAR." By reference to our books we find that Mr. McKay has been receiving, and paying promptly for, the STAR nearly thirty years. He is, therefore, entitled to be numbered with our "old subscribers."

Mrs. Bowden's Funeral To-day.

The Lumberton Robesonian of yesterday has the following in reference to the death of Mrs. W. B. Bowden, of this city, which was chronicled in these columes vesterday: "Mrs. W. B. Bowden died at the home of her mother, Mrs L. Wishart, near here, yesterday evening. She had been sick for a long while and her death was not unexpected. Her home is in Wilmington, but since her sickness she has been living here with her mother. The funeral will be preached Wednesday morning and the remains will be interred in the family cemetery near the homestead. Our sympathies are with the bereaved."

Big Excursion in Town.

The town was alive with excursionists yesterday evening. The crowd numbered about five hundred and they came in at 6 o'clock on a special train over the Atlantic Coast Line, chartered by A. B. Saunders, of Statesville. Passengers were taken on all along the route. About 100 of the visitors lodged at the Bonitz House to use a figurative expression, One of the mysteries that is too last night and about half that number | the deck will be swept clear of a numspent the night at The Orton. The | ber of very fine instruments. Prof. C. others were distributed among the various smaller hotels and boarding houses in the city and all will go out to sea on the steamer Wilmington today. The excursion returns this even-

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. F. Parker-I appeal. Notice-Proposals invited. M. Braddy-Millinery opening. Wm. E. Springer & Co.-"Clark's Cutaway Disc Harrows."

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost-Cuff button. For Sale-Ten organs. Wanted-Customer for desks, matting Upright Pianos-For sale at a bargain tion.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

The Board of Audit and Finance in Regular Semi-Monthly Meeting Yesterday.

NO MORE FREE ICE WATER.

urther Bills Will Not Be Paid-Certain Additional Repairs to Opera House. Change in Hour of Sessions. Treasurer's Report.

Beyond the auditing of bills for cur ent expenses and the reading of the usual report of the City Clerk and Creasurer as to the receipts and disoursements of the municipal fund during the past month, very little ousiness of public importance was ransacted at vesterday afternoon's sem!-monthly meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance. Chairman Mc-Queen and all members of the Board were present, except Mr. C. W. Yates, who is out of the city. Aldermen Z E. Murrell and F. E. Hashagen were also present to urge favorable action upon a number of matters previously passed upon by their Board.

Alderman Murrell was authorized to make certain additional repairs to the Opera House consisting of the fastening down of a number of seats in the parquet and the covering of 40 odd seats with upholstering material in the dress circle upstairs. Mr. Murrell had previously transmitted to the Board a number of bids secured for overhauling and constructing cells in the colored department of the city prison but no action upon them was asked at yesterday's meeting.

The police patrol wagon matter again bobbed up serenely when a bill of Messrs, Orrell & Carroll amounting to \$4 for vehicles used in conveying drunk or wounded prisoners to Maria" was out of repair, was presented. The Board decided to approve the bill with instructions to the Board of Aldermen that in the future amounts for such service will not be

The Board also placed the stamp of its disapproval on Alderman Johnson's idea of supplying the "free ice" fountain for excursionists at Front and Market streets. The Independent Ice a. the fountain in less than a month. The bill was paid, but "no more will be allowed" was the instructions ordered sent to the Board of Aldermen. The fountain has been supplied with ice by contract since the advertising signs were demolished a short time ago by Alderman Johnson, when he discovered that neither company, through a misunderstanding, were furnishing my of the frigid article.

The Clerk was instructed to give egal notice of a change in the hour of the Board's meetings from 3 P. M.

The City Clerk and Treasurer submitted a statement of the receipts and disbursements of funds for the month of August, duly examined by the Clerk of the Audit and Finance Board. The report shows a balance on hand Aug. 1st, of \$33,099.41 and receipts during the month as follows: Merchants' License \$763.20; bar rooms, \$1,098; market rent, \$158.94; Mayor's court, \$176.75; weighing beef cattle, \$42.25; public buildings, \$212.87; miscellaneous and extraordinary, \$1,-676.97; real and personal tax prior to 1901, \$1,183.98; dog badges, \$1.30; dray badges; \$14.80; loans, \$5,000; costs on tax prior to 1901, \$56.41. Total, \$10,-385.47. Grand total, \$33,484.88.

The disbursements were \$28,343.96, eaving a balance to Sept. of \$5,140.92. Included in the disbursements was the payment of \$18,000 in interest cou-

rackers in Session Here.

The Executive Committee of the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Association met here yesterday and had a conference with Traffic Manager Emerson, of the Atlantic Coast Line, with reference to transportation facilities next season. The result of the conference is said to have been very satisfactory. At a previous meeting of the Committee in the Merchant's Association rooms, Chairman W. L. Hill, of Warsaw, presided; Mr. W. E. Springer was secretary, and may be held for a much more serious members in attendance were Messrs. W. E. Thigpen, of Chadbourn; J. S. Westbrook, of Wallace, and J. H. Westbrook, of Mount Olive.

Announcement to Music Public.

The great closing-out sale by the Ludden & Bates Southern Music House, on Princess street, will reach a climax to-morrow afternoon when, W. Hollowbush, who will sacceed Manager Slaton as agent for the famous Mathushek piano, will be present with his orchestra and furnish music all the afternoon. After Oct. 1st Pro! Hollowbush will have "Mathushek heaquarters" at the popular furniture store of Mr. Gaston D. Phares, on Market street.

Occasion National Encampment, G. A. R. tickets will be sold via Atlantic Coast Line, Wilmington to Washington, D. C., and return at \$10.00, and from Wilmington to New York and return \$20.00. Date of sale Oct. 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th; good to return until Oct. 15tb. By depositing tickets with joint agent. Washington, not later than 12 o'clock noon Oct. 15th, and upon payment of 50 cents, extension to final return limit of Nov. 3d may be obtained on tickets to Washin gton. One stop over allowed in each direc-

CRAIG AND PRITCHARD SPEAK HERE NEXT WEEK.

Joint Canvass of Able Exponents of Democratic and Republican Parties-Lee S. Overman Coming in October.

Thursday night week Hon. Locke Craig, of Asheville, and Senator J. C. Pritchard, of Marshall, N. C., will meet in Wilmington in joint debate. The speaking will most probable take place either in the Academy of Music or in the Court House and a large crowd will no doubt be present to witness the sparring between these two able exponents of the Democratic and Republican party principles. Mr.

Craig will open the debate here. The following additional dates for the joint canvass between the aspirants for the United States Senate from the West have been arranged: Kinston, September 22; Smithfield, September 23; Fayetteville, September 24; Wilmington, September 25, (night); Rocky Mount, September 26; Raleigh, September 27, (aight); Pittsboro, September 29; Oxford. September 30; Greensboro, October 1; Lenoir, October 2; Statesville, October 8; Charlotte, October 9, (night); Hickory, October 10; Ashaville, October 11.

It has been agreed that on the close of the above appointments the candidates will speak at two places in the northeastern part of the State, one of them to be Elizabeth City, and two more in the western part of the State. It is also agreed that the first speaker is to have an hour and fifteen minutes, the second speaker to have an hour and twenty minutes, then the first speaker has a rejoinder of fifteen minutes. Pritchard will open the debate at Kinston, and Craig will open the next day and so on.

Hon. Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, also a candidate for the Senate, is announced to speak at Wilmington Thursday night, Oct. 2nd. Other ap-Polloksvile, Sept. 30th; Jacksonville, Oct. 1st; Burgaw, Oct. 3d, Warsaw,

ACADEMY OPENING TO-MORROW.

Reserved Seat Sale for "Human Hearts' Begins This Morning at Plummer's.

To-morrow night at the Academy of Music a splendid company will give a big scenic production of "Human Hearts." It is said to be a play with well proportioned light and shade, rich in humor, pathos and dramatic incident, ably acted by a capable company. Its story, its purpose, and the characters concerned in the plot are said to be revealed with clearness and force. The attention which has been given to the details of the action and the scenic accompaniment have made "Human Hearts" an artistic success, interest not abating but rather increasing from season to season. It is also said to be a play long remembered, not alone because of its novelty, but also because of the deep impression it makes upon all who witness it,

whether young or old. Reserved seats are now on sale at the Academy's down-town box office at Plummer's.

New Millinery Establishment.

"The Paris Millinery Bazaar" is the name of a new and up-to-date millinery store just opened at No. 121 Market street by Mr. M. Braddy, who is pleasantly remembered here as having once been a member of the firm of Braddy & Gaylord. The grand Fall opening at this popular new establishment will take place next Tuesday and Wednesday and the announcement is hailed with delight by the feminine folk. Madame Connelly, the head milliner at the store, has had several season's experience on Fifth Avenue, New York city, and won first honors in the great milliners' contest in New York last year. She will have five young lady assistants and on opening days the store will not be closed between the hours of 10 A. M. and 11 P. M.

Bitten by One of Blue Gums, It is written and almost universally accepted in the South that the bite of a "blue-gum nigger" is as poisonous as that of a rattlesnake. If that be true John Robeson, a colored lemonade vender on the wharf, reputed to have an indigo background for his ivorys, crime than the simple biting of a blind colored woman with whom he had a difficulty yesterday, which led to his arrest and detention at the police station for trial to-day. The woman's name is Lizzie Sellers, and led by a little colored girl, she made her complaint at the police station yesterday afternoon. She said that she had been choked, bitten and otherwise maltreated by the negro man of the blue gums.

Superintendent Barger Resigned.

A special to the STAR last night from Raleigh says that it is stated there on the best authority that Capt. D. H. Barger, superintendent of this division of the Seaboard Air Line, has resigned, same effective October 1st. His successor has not yet been named. Some in a position to know say the first and second divisions will be consolidated under Superintendent C. H. Hix, of the first division. The second is from Raleigh south to Charlotte, including the Carolina Central to Wilmington.

Mattresses For Firemen. Alderman W. B. Cooper, chairman of the Fire Committee, advertises in another column for proposals for furnishing the department with 32, standard size, felt, cotton or fine fibre mattresses. Bids will be received until noon next Monday.

COL. SLOCOMB NAMED

Nominated for Congress by the Sixth District Convention at Maxton Yesterday.

HE HAD NO OPPOSITION.

R. P. White, of Elizabethtown, Nominated for Solicitor of Seventh Judicial District-New Hanover Independentism Play a Part

Col. A. H. Slocomb, of Cumberland, was nominated without opposition and with singular unanimity by the Sixt District Republican Congressional Convention, which met yesterday at Maxton. Of course there may have been, and probably were, other aspirants for the honor, but all differences were settled and Col. Slocomb agreed upon before the convention assembled.

All the counties in the District were represented by about 50 delegates. New Hanover sent but one-Assistant Postmaster T. E. Wallace-but he was honored with the position of permanent chairman. Mr J. M. Forshee is reported to have been present as the head of the "Independents" in New Hanover, but rumor has it that his credentials as such were not recognized. In other words the leaders seemed to want it a straight Republican affair or nothing.

The convention was called to order at 10 A. M. with Dr. R. M. Norment, of Lumberton, in the chair and Enoch Lee, of Dunn, as secretary. The permanent organization resulted in the choice of Mr. Wallace for chairman and the retention of Mr. Lee as secre-

tary The Committee on Platform and Resolutions reported, through Oscar I. Spears, Esq., of Harnett, former U. S. Assistant District Attorney, deplorpointments are: Beaufort, Sept. 29th; ing the death of the late Presiden: McKinley; commending the administration of President Roosevelt and the course of Senator Jeter U. Pritchard; condeinning the Democratic State ad ministration for extravagance, and calling upon all good citizens to sup-

port the Republican nominees. The nomination of Col. Slocomb was by B. F. McLean, Esq., of Maxton, who was himself prominently spoken of for the place, and seconding speeches were made by John Ua derwood, of Cumberland, and Oscar J. Spears, of Lillington, who closed with a motion that the nomination be made unanimous. The unanimity of the convention was expressed by a rising vote.

Col. Slocomb was present, and addressed the convention. He outlined the policy of his campaign and said he would make the fight on national issues alone.

Under the plan of organization the vote of the convention was 70; the number necessary to a choice 36; but there never came need of a division, so the figures were superfluous. The Executive Committee for the District was chosen. J. H. Dowing,

of Cumberland, is chairman and

Messrs. T. E. Wallace and Robert W. Davis are the members from New Hanover and Brunswick, respectively. Upon adjournment of the Congressional Convention, the Seventh District Judicial Convention assembled and R. S. White, Esq., of Elizabethtown, was nominated for Solicitor in opposition to the Democratic nominee. C. C. Lyon, Esq., of the same town. The district is composed of the counties of Bladen, Columbus, Cumber-

land, Robeson and Brunswick. The complexion of both conventions is said to have been entirely white; the colored brother of former years was persona non grata in every sense of the expression. The following special was received

last night from Maxton: "MAXTON, N. C., Sept. 16.-The Republicans of this district held a short caucus in the City Hall here last night and met in convention this morning about 9:30 o'clock. The convention elected Mr. T. E. Wallace, of Wilmington, chairman, and Mr. Lee, of Harnett, secretary. The committee reported no contestants. Mr. J. B. Underwood nominated Mr. A. H. Slocomb (both of Fayetteville) for Congressman. This was seconded by Mr. B. F. McLean, of this place, who moved that it be made unanimous. Mr. O. J. Spears, of Harnett, seconded this motion and Mr. Slocomb was nominated by acclamation. Immediately afterwards the judicial convention was called by Mr. Slocomb, with the same secretary. Mr. R. S. White, of Elizabethtown, was nominated unanimously for solicitor and the convention adjourned."

Election of Directors of Y. M. C. A. The active members of the Y. M. C. A. will meet on Friday night to consider matters of great importance to the Association. A few weeks ago a A WORD TO THE WISE meeting to revise the constitution was held and upon adjournment it was decided to meet again to finish the business before them at that time. The time set is Friday night at 8 o'clock. Besides the revision of the constitution there will be an election of three members of the Board of Directors. Every member of the Association having voting privileges is requested to be present.

Mr. E K. Proctor Seriously III,

The Lumberton Robesonian of yesterday says: "Much interest is manifested by our people in_the condition of Mr. K. K. Proctor, Jr., which continues critical. Our latest information is that he is resting comfortably without change. His son, Mr. James D. Proctor, who is at Wake Forest College, has been telegraphed for and will arrive this morning."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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And his Orchestra will furnish Music

Thursday Afternoon,

During the closing out sale

September 18th,

LUDDEN & BATES

on Princess Street.

of Pianos and Organs at

The Ludden and Bates Southern Music House will inaugurate a closing out sale of their entire stock of Pianos and Organs

Thursday, September 18th.

As there are several celebrated IATHUSHEK Pianos and Mason t Hamlin Organs to be offered beow actual manufacturing cost in this sale, it will be to the interest of those contemplating purchasing either Pianos or Organs to come early Thursday afternoon in order to make selection. Good music and courteous treatment will be given all who attend the opening of this

There are eight second-hand Organs to be offered so low that dealers will find it profitable to investi-

Several Mathushek Pianos, slighty used, at surprisingly low prices. For cash or easy terms.

Three new Mathushek Pianos at two-thirds of the regular cost. A lot of office fixtures: Roll Top

Desks, Letter Press, Gas and Elec-

tric Light fixtures at a sacrifice. Chairs, Matting, Carpets, Piano Covers, Scarfs and Boxes to be sold.

Store Room for Rent.

All the latest Sheet Music will be on sale at cut prices, offered by Prof. Hollowbush during this sale. The regular branch house of this company will be discontinued in Wilmington after October 1st, but the agency for the Celebrated Mathushek Pianos has been given Mr. C. W. Hollowbush, who will on October 1st open an office and exhibit sample Pianos in the popular furniture Imporium of Gaston D. Phares, on Market street, sep 17 1t

THIRD CARGO OF COTTON WAS CLEARED YESTERDAY

Atkinson, N. C., are spending a while Steamer "Richard Grenville" Goes at the beach. Bremen-News and Notes on the River Front Yesterday.

The third cotton cargo of the season for foreign export was cleared yesterday on the British steamer Richard Grenville, Capt. Jones, which will sail Mrs. McEvans, No. 817 North Third to-day for Bremen, Germany. She street. carries 8,650 bales, valued at \$390,000, and is consigned by Messrs. Alexander | Bessie Montgomery left yesterday for

Cotton receipts yesterday were 3,761 boro. bales, against 1,150 bales on the same day last year. It is singular, but for the past week the local cotton market has remained at exactly the same quotations that were ruling on corresponding days last year, viz: 88 cents for Pocket Book and Watch Stolen. middling.

The schooner Lizzie M. Parsons leared yesterday for New York with cargo of 17,280 cross ties, consigned by the Eccleston Lumber Company. Manager Parmele, who is in charge of the company's affairs here, is pushing the cross tie business for all it's worth, and is a hustler from the word "go." It was the British steamer Vauxhall Bridge, 2,178 tons, Capt. Reeder, which arrived Monday from New York, instead of the Vauxhall, which is bound to Villa Real. The Vauxhall Bridge came up yesterday from Southport.

The steamer Highlander arrived yesterday from Favetteville, bringing a large cargo of general freight, which required a flat in tow to transport. She also had a number of passengers.

- Mr. Harry West returned to Horner's School yesterday.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison Bank building, on Chesnut street. Sevices this evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

THE MORNING STAR Business Locals Column offers the best cheapest and surest means of get ting quick returns on advertisements for-

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M. BRADDY, Prop. sep 17 tf

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N. F. PARKER, Furniture and Furniture Novelties, 111 Market St. Bell 'Phone 613. Inter-State 421.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Misses Lina Wiggins and Susie Parsley are visiting in New York. - Mr. J. A. Murphy and family, of

- Col. A. M. Waddell was able to be at his office yesterday afternoon after a slight indisposition with cold. - Mrs. Addie Burriss, of Southport, is visiting her parents, Mr. and

- Miss Gertrude Bryan and Miss the State Normal School at Greens-

- Miss Elizabeth D. Burtt left yesterday for Boston to resume her studies in the New England Conserva-

tory of Music.

A gold watch and a pocket-book containing an amount of money was stolen yesterday from the residence of Mrs. Gilbert, who recently moved into the O'Connor residence on Princess street. There is no clue to the thief as a number of servants were in the room where the valuables were lying on a bureau and several colored laborers in charge of a furniture van

SEPT. MULLETS.

had also entered the room.

15,000 pounds Fancy Mullets. 5c pound here.

W. B. COOPER, Wholesale Grocer,

100 Pound Barrels.

sep 17 tf Wilmington, N. C. Proposals

September 22nd for 32 Mattresses for the Fire Department: Size 31x6 feet, made of best ticking, filled with felt, cotton or pine fibre. Samples to accompany bids. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Leave samples and bids with Chief Chas. Schnibben at Chemical Engine House. W. B. COOPER,

Bids will be received up to noon

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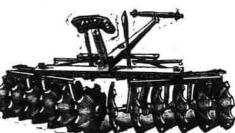
Ladies and Gentlemen, all invited. Don't you miss it or you miss the best thing of your life. Madame Connelly head Milliner, and five stylish young ladies to show you around. The greatest exhibit of ladies' Headwear, Paris Novelties, Notions, Hosiery, Embroideries, Ladies' Silk

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The Paris Millinery Bazar.

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Fruit Trees For Sale! For sale at less than net catalogue prices about

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Presentation of the stirring consistent Melodrama Human Hearts

A Tale of Life in the picturesque Arkansas

A play that reaches the hearts of the people

A carefully selected company. Beautiful scenery. su we th sep 14 3t

firm in the city.

Just Received. New lot Library Lamps. A. beautful lot of Pictures; Enamel Beds from \$3.75 up. Nice Line Rockers, Trunks and Stoves. New lot Felt Mattresses. Come and see us and get our prices. We guarantee to undersell any

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