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"Resolved, That this Camp hears with just pride of the promotion of Capt. Metts and tenders him its sincere congratulations on the same and desires to put on record its deep sense of his earnest, unselfish and most efficient services in connection with this organization."

Upon Capt. Metts' retirement, Col. W. J. Woodward as First Vice Commander, succeeds him, as stated.

DELIGHTFUL CHURCH RECEPTION.

Ladies of St. Andrew's Congregation Entertained Friends Last Night.

A delightful church reception was given last night from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church by the ladies of the congregation. It was largely attended; especially by the newer members of the congregation, and all were most hospitably and charmingly entertained. The room was tastefully decorated for the event, and following a programme of songs and recitations the entertainment became of an informal nature, and light refreshments were served.

The set programme included recitations by Miss Florence Pearsall and music by many others. The sickness of one participant in the exercises and death in the family of another necessitated a curtailment of the programme to some extent, but it was nevertheless very much enjoyed.

LOCAL DOTS.

Deputy Sheriff Cox yesterday arrested and lodged in jail Isaac Pollock, a colored offender, for whom a capias was issued at the last criminal term of the Superior Court.

The Frank Daniels' Opera Company went to Charleston yesterday morning on a chartered Pullman, an extra day coach and two baggage cars attached to the regular 6 o'clock train. Wilmington was the only North Carolina point visited.

Secretary of material is said to be causing a let-up in the building of coaches in the Coast Line shops here. However, the force has all it can do in repairing and overhauling old coaches, baggage, mail cars, etc., that are continually coming in.

Sad Death at Ivanhoe.

News was received in the city last night of the death yesterday morning at the family home at Ivanhoe, N. C., of Mrs. Haywood Corbett, a most estimable young woman, who was a daughter of Dr. William B. Murphy, of Tomahawk. Mrs. Corbett had been suffering some time with typhoid fever and Dr. W. J. Love, of this city, went up yesterday morning to assist in her treatment, but arrived too late. She leaves a devoted husband and a little daughter, who have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. D. McMillan, Jr.—Notice, Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Solid Comfort.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. S. & W. A. Canaday—Pharmacy.

DAY'S MARKET NEWS.

Spirits Turpentine, the Wonder Just Now of the Naval Stores World.

TOBACCO COMMITTEE MET.

Decided at Once Upon Organization of Company to Build Warehouses, Stemmeries, Prize Houses, Etc. Local Shipping News.

The spirits turpentine market is attracting no end of attention on the local Exchange for its great underlying strength, which has, during the past few days, carried the price up to an amazingly rapid rate. Yesterday the closing was firm at 83 cents, which is probably the record for spirits at this season of the year. Late in the calendar year, when receipts are light and the market is attended by fewer difficulties, dealers say the price of the article has been carried a little above its present level, but it has now probably broken all records in price for this period since the war. The current understanding is that the present production of spirits will be much less than last year, hence the larger demand in anticipation of a shortage. The receipts at Wilmington have, however, held up remarkably well, and the week ended yesterday showed an increase over last year in the ratio of 498 to 436 casks, while the gain for the crop year is about 500 casks. Rosin shows a big gain in receipts for the week, but a falling off of about 4,000 barrels during the crop year. There is also a slight falling off in tar, owing to the concentration of labor in the cross-tie industry, but in crude there is a slight increase. Crude turpentine for dip yesterday was quoted at \$3 per barrel.

The event of the day on the Chamber of Commerce Exchange yesterday outside the range of markets and quotations was the organization meeting at noon of the special committee of nine to which was referred the matter of establishing a tobacco market in this city. Every member of the committee except D. McEachern and W. A. Rourke, were present as follows: Geo. O. Gaylord, W. E. Worth, B. F. Hall, L. B. Rogers, S. P. McNair, W. B. Cooper and M. W. Jacobi. The situation was again thoroughly canvassed and immediate action determined upon. A plan of organization was drawn up roughly and it was decided to call for subscriptions to a capital stock of \$30,000. Each member of the committee took stock and divided themselves into sub-committee to look after further subscriptions as follows: M. W. Jacobi, L. B. Rogers and S. P. McNair, south of Market street; W. E. Worth, B. F. Hall, and D. McEachern, between Market and Chesnut; Geo. O. Gaylord, W. B. Cooper and W. A. Rourke, north of Chesnut street. The committee has under consideration a thoroughly desirable location for the warehouses, stemmeries, prize houses, stables, etc., and will secure options on other sites as soon as possible.

A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held to-day, noon, to give expression to the regret upon the part of the business community at the contemplated departure of Capt. Lucas in charge of the Corps of U. S. Engineers here. A full attendance is desired. There will also be a meeting of the Executive Committee for the transaction of important business.

Cotton receipts for the week ended yesterday were 19,041 bales, against 25,372 bales same week last year. Crop year receipts to date are 140,199 bales, against 73,492 bales for a corresponding date in 1901. Receipts yesterday were 2,053 bales; same day last year, 3,693.

Capt. F. B. Rice and Jno. T. Borden, U. S. Steamboat Inspectors, were here yesterday and made an inspection of the tug *F. and F.*, recently purchased by Messrs. Flynn & Co., from Capt. Walter Traft.

The schooner *Elvira J. French* cleared yesterday for Boston, with a cargo of 17,850 crates, consigned by the Hall Tie and Lumber Co.

Sailed 16th: British steamer *Candle-shoe*, New York, to Wilmington. Arrived out, 16th: British steamer *Vauxhall Bridge*, Bremen.

Marriage and Reception.

At the home of the bride's parents, on Middle Sound, Thursday night at 8:30 o'clock, Miss Etta M. Southerland, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Southerland, was happily united in marriage to Mr. D. T. Turley, a popular young man of this city. The ceremony was witnessed by many friends of the bride and groom and a delightful wedding supper was served to the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Turley will make their home at No. 902 North Fifth street, where an elaborate reception was given last night in their honor. It was attended by many friends and was most enjoyable.

At Brooklyn Baptist Church.

Brooklyn Baptist church is now in the midst of a series of sermons by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Viperman, the title of which is, "The Captivity of Zion." Mr. Viperman earnestly hopes that all will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear this subject discussed. Following this service will be a series of four sermons in the following order: (1) "The Doctrine of the Resurrection;" (2) "The General Judgment;" (3) "Heaven;" (4) "Hell." All are earnestly requested to be present at these services.

SUPERIOR COURT YESTERDAY.

Two Weeks' Term Adjourned After Transacting Routine Business Incident to Motion Docket—Wood Trouble.

The New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of civil suits, after having been in session for two weeks, adjourned at 12:30 o'clock yesterday and Judge Henry R. Bryan, who presided during the term, left in the afternoon for his home at Newbern.

Very little was accomplished during the time the court was in session. Five days of the first week were taken up in a hearing of the Penny damage suit, which resulted in a mistrial, and two days of the present week were devoted to the Hulien damage suit; the remainder to clearing the docket of unimportant matters, which for the most part, have been on the calendar a long time.

Yesterday a greater portion of the closing session was taken up in hearing argument on a rather unimportant matter on the motion docket in which Mrs. Agnes Thorns, of Asheville, N. C., sued for the recovery of about 200 cords of wood, cut by Samuel M. Jones from lands in Brunswick county over which there is a controversy. Messrs. Meares, & Buark and Herbert McClammy, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff and Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy for the defendant. Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy made a motion to dismiss upon the ground that no copy of the affidavit, notice and undertaking had been served at the time of service of summons, nor until 30 days thereafter. Counsel for the plaintiff moved for judgment for want of an answer. This brought on legal complications that required no end of argument, but at length Judge Bryan dismissed the case and the motion of plaintiff was refused. The plaintiff thereupon appealed and the bond was fixed at \$25. Forty days were allowed each party to file statement of case on appeal and counter statement.

Routine matters were disposed of as follows:

W. T. Mercer vs. Mrs. L. M. Cooksey, judgment.

Ida Cowan vs. Samuel Blossom et al., motion to dismiss on account of no bond having been filed; continued, to be heard on Wednesday of next term.

N. Jacobi vs. Gerritt Walker et al., judgment.

Wilmington Underwriters' Insurance Company vs. Frank H. Stedman, sheriff, judgment of Supreme Court filed, affirming decision of lower court and plaintiffs taxed with cost.

The Worth Company vs. The Fidelity and Deposit Co., of Maryland, judgment for plaintiff for \$263.50 and interest from Jan. 1st, 1900.

Sophia Blossom et al. vs. W. B. McKay et al., order for sale.

City of Wilmington vs. Iredell Meares, motion for appointment of a referee; motion continued.

COLORED MAN WAS DROWNED.

Treacherous Cape Fear Claimed Another Victim Yesterday Morning.

James Durham, colored, 24 years of age, was drowned yesterday morning about 11:30 o'clock in Hall & Pearl's dock, where he was employed by Mr. Hans A. Kure, local manager for the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., in "hooking-up" poles from the rafts in the water to the wharf. His body was recovered about three hours later by a raftsmen from the Bell, who used a gig. Dr. C. D. Denny, the coroner, viewed the remains and gave an order for their burial. No inquest was deemed necessary.

Durham lived on Meadow, between Ninth and Tenth streets. He was drowned in between only seven and eight feet of water. He leaves a number of relatives, including a wife, to whom he was married two months ago.

S. P. COWAN LIVERY COMPANY.

Mr. W. D. McMillan, Jr., Purchases the Interest of the Principal Stockholder.

In the advertising columns of today's STAR Mr. W. D. McMillan, Jr., gives notice that he has purchased the entire interest and good will of Mr. S. P. Cowan in the S. P. Cowan Livery Company, and will conduct the business under the same firm name, etc., as before. He respectfully solicits a continuation of the generous patronage heretofore given the company, and says no pains will be spared to keep the service up to its present high standard.

Mr. Cowan, who disposes of his interest to Mr. McMillan, has as yet made no announcement of his plans for the future.

Heating System for Coaches.

A steam heating system for coaches detached from the engines under the passenger shed at the Front street station of the Atlantic Coast Line in this city, is being installed. The steam is conveyed to the shed by means of a 2-inch pipe, underground, from a stationary engine in the shops, and thence to the coaches by means of a hose pipe. The engines attached to the coaches usually supply the steam, but oftentimes the engine is detained in the round house until just before leaving time and therefore passengers heretofore have had a cold reception upon boarding the cars. Now this is obviated. The pipe also supplies steam to private coaches, which frequently remain under the shed all night.

Unless you register you cannot vote in the November election. Remember, this is a new deal throughout.

I.O.O.F. CELEBRATION

Tenth Anniversary of Hanover Lodge Appropriately Observed Last Night.

SOME FINE ADDRESSES.

Speakers included Hon. Jao. D. Bellamy, Dr. A. D. McClure, Mr. W. W. Yopp and Others—Delightful Refreshments Served by Ladies.

The celebration last night of the tenth anniversary of Hanover Lodge No. 145, I. O. O. F., in its splendid new hall, elaborately decorated for the occasion, over the Murchison National Bank building, was an auspicious event in every particular and augurs still brighter things in the future for this band of enthusiastic lodgemen.

The celebration took place upon the conclusion of the regular lodge exercises and was opened and closed by the singing with much feeling of the opening and closing odes prescribed in the ritual of the order. Mr. N. F. Parker, chairman of the committee of arrangements and Noble Grand of the lodge, presided, and there were enthusiastic addresses by Hon. Jao. D. Bellamy, who was Grand Master of North Carolina upon the institution of Hanover Lodge, Dr. A. D. McClure, an other distinguished member of the order, and Mr. W. W. Yopp, who is also active and enthusiastic in the cause.

An interesting feature of the meeting was the reading of a history of the lodge since its inception by Mr. S. G. Hall, the capable secretary. The lodge was instituted July 30th, 1892, by Grand Master Jno. D. Bellamy with 68 members. As it was apart from the other lodges so far as a meeting hall was concerned, an entirely new outfit of paraphernalia was purchased at a cost of \$800 and was at that time the finest in the State. In all there have been 285 initiations into the lodge and it has sustained a loss of 99, leaving at present 186 members and making Hanover, although the youngest, next to the largest in membership in the city. During the ten years of its life the lodge has sustained a loss of 24 members by withdrawal; 70 by suspension for non-payment of dues, one for cause, three by expulsion, 10 have died and two have renounced the order, making 110 in all. Nine members have been restored and there have been two accessions by card. Dues have been collected for assessments, degrees and other sources to the amount of \$3,465.32 and the disbursements have been \$2,305.47, leaving a balance of \$2,159.85. Donations for relief are enumerated as follows: Sick benefits, \$1,673.49; nurses, \$221; general relief, \$345.88; funeral benefits, for members \$300; for members' wives, \$250. Total, \$2,790.37.

Following Mr. Hall's excellent presentation of the interesting statistics there were impromptu remarks by Messrs. S. H. Flahblatter, N. Jacobi, J. M. McGowan and others.

A CANDY MANUFACTORY.

Carolina Company is Arranging to Begin a New and Important Industry.

A decidedly new and important little enterprise established in Wilmington to which no reference has been made in the newspapers, is a candy manufactory on an extensive scale, to be opened in a few days by the Carolina Candy Company.

Mr. Jesse Ives, of Florence, S. C., is the moving spirit in the new industry and his company has leased for a term the last end of the second floor of the building occupied by M. F. Croom & Co., at northeast corner of Water and Princess streets. The apartments are now being placed in first-class condition by carpenters and painters and the steps leading to same are being substantially repaired.

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Fayetteville Observer 17th: "A telegram from Wilmington to-day announced the critical illness there of Miss Lena Atkinson, daughter of our former townsman, Mrs. Emma Atkinson, who now resides at Greensboro."

Free Circus Tickets

AND RAILROAD FARE

To Any One Purchasing Either Piano or Organ From Me.

MONDAY, Oct. 20th.

If you are contemplating the purchase of a Piano or Organ come to Wilmington October 20th. Visit the warehouses of the Ludden & Bates' old stand, 111 Princess street, and select a Piano or Organ from their stock (which is to be sold regardless of cost) and pay for it cash or on easy instalments. If you do this your railroad fare and circus tickets will be free to you. You can make my store headquarters; leave your bundles with me; eat your lunch and see the parade pass my store and be comfortable all day. The Pianos offered in this sale are such as the Mathuser, Ludden & Bates, Steinway, Schumann & Sons, Knabe and others. Prices \$50.00 to \$500.00, cash or time. Organs, most any make you want, from \$20.00 to \$75.00. Every instrument guaranteed. S. A. SCHLOSS, 111 Princess street, Corner Front street.

Have you registered?

SCHOOL FOR TRAINED NURSES

Institution Established and Session Begun at James Walker Memorial Hospital. Course of Lectures Arranged.

Not a long while ago it was noted in these columns that at no distant day a school, regularly equipped, for trained nurses would be established at the James Walker Memorial Hospital in this city. The STAR now takes pleasure in announcing that such an institution is already in operation at the Hospital and is rapidly forging its way to success in every particular. A course of lectures by eminent local physicians has been arranged and regularly scheduled.

For the Junior Class Dr. Joseph Akerman, superintendent of the Hospital, has consented to deliver and has already commenced a series of lectures on Anatomy and Physiology. His subjects have been appropriately subdivided so as to make one lecture each Monday at 8 P. M. until Feb. 25th. On Monday evening and for three Monday evenings thereafter, beginning March 4th, he will lecture on Hygiene. During the term he will also give practical demonstrations to both the Junior and Senior classes in Urinalysis.

On Wednesdays at 8 P. M., from Nov. 5th to December 31st, the services of Dr. Edward Jenner Wood have been secured for a series of lectures on Materia Medica. He has already delivered one lecture to the Senior class on Bacteriology.

Dr. A. H. Harris last night began the first of the series of three lectures to the Senior class on Gynecology and for three Friday evenings beginning Nov. 7th, Dr. L. H. Love has been secured to deliver lectures on Obstetrics.

Miss M. C. Little in connection with the other lectures is giving practical instruction in Dietetics.

For each Friday evening from Nov. 28th to January 16th, Drs. F. H. Russell and Thos. S. Burbank have been secured to lecture on Surgery, while each Friday from Jan. 23rd to Feb. 27th in the coming year Drs. W. D. McMillan and W. J. H. Bellamy will lecture on Medicine. Dr. Russell on March 6th, will deliver a lecture to the Senior class on the Nursing of children.

Classes on practical nursing and sick classes on the lecture are held each week by the Superintendent of Nurses.

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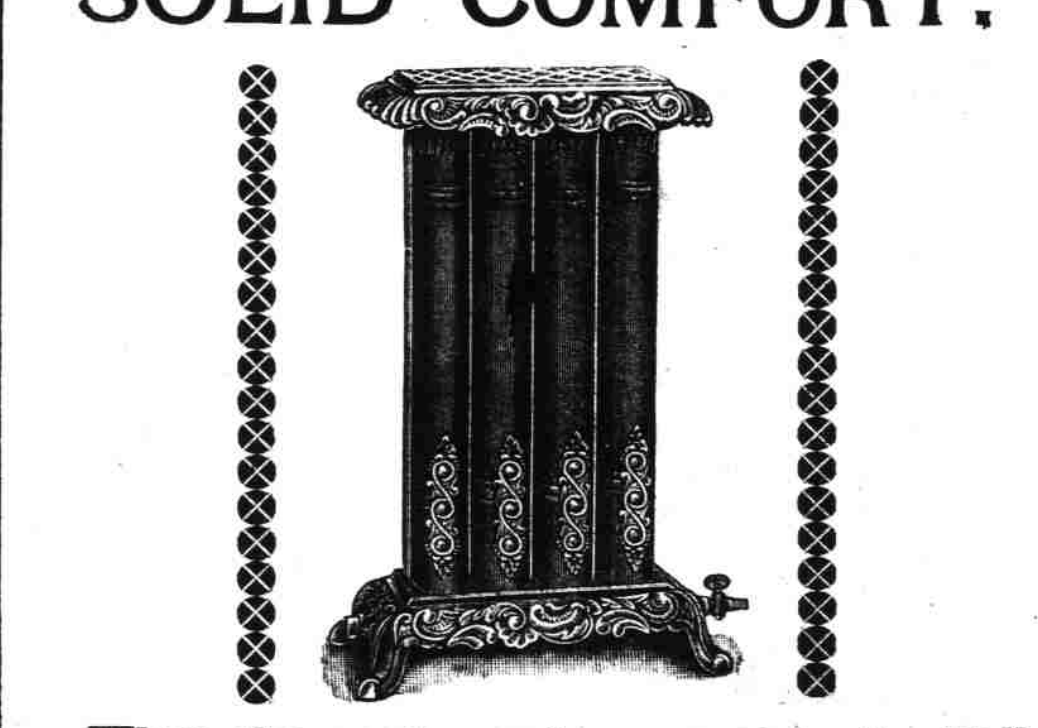
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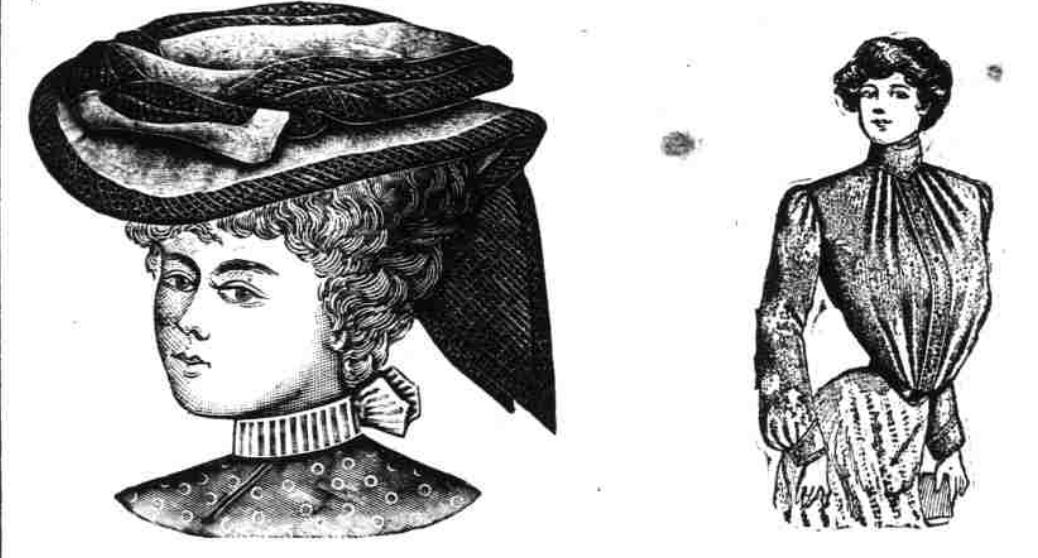
SOLID COMFORT.



When the cool evenings come in the Fall get a Gas Radiator to take the chill off the room. A Gas Radiator will heat an ordinary sized room in 10 minutes. It will save you the annoyance of building a fire in the grate.

Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.

The Paris Millinery Emporium,



Our new store is the place to get first class goods, latest styles and best value for your money. Notions, Novelties, Ladies' Hats, Ladies' Cloaks, Ladies' Suit Waists in Silk, Flannel, Pique, Broadcloth and Mercerie Waists.

Tailor-made Suits from \$3.95 to \$15. Children's Reefer Jacket 75c to \$3.50. Ladies' Trimmed Hats 19c to 40c each. Call and see us before you buy. We can save you money.

M. BRADDY, Prop.

Removal Notice!

WE BEG TO ANNOUNCE TO OUR FRIENDS AND OTHERS THAT WE HAVE MOVED OUR

COAL AND WOOD YARD

From where it was to where it is, just a little further up the street

J. A. Springer & Co.,

The Veteran Dealers.

Dividend Notice.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK HAVING DECLARED A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF 3 PER CENT. ON THE CAPITAL STOCK, SAME IS NOW PAYABLE. RESIDENT STOCKHOLDERS WILL PLEASE CALL FOR THEIR CHECKS.

F. W. DICK, Cashier.

NOTICE.

Fruit Trees For Sale!

Having bought the interest and good will of Mr. S. P. Cowan in the Cowan Livery Co., I respectfully solicit a continuance of the generous patronage which has heretofore been given this company. We shall spare no effort to give efficient service and satisfaction to all.

W. D. McMILLAN, JR.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

One Week, Commencing Monday, October 20th.

The Grahame-Goodwin Comedy Co., The representative popular play organization.

Charge of fifty cents each night.

6:00 P. M. BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS. 8:00 P. M. A fancy show without the fancy price.

MONDAY NIGHT, "IN INDIANA."

Ladies free Monday night only, provided each is accompanied by one paid for ticket. Seats reserved before 8 P. M. after opening day, at the usual price.

COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

New Hanover County.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 29, 1902.

The Board of Elections of New Hanover County have made the following changes of polling places for the Election to be held on November 4th, 1902:

FIRST WARD—First Precinct—Fred Skipton, registrar, polling place, F. A. Fennell's store, 503 North Fourth street.

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