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OUTLINES.

The postoffice at Indianola, Miss., from which the postmaster, a colored woman, recently resigned under compulsion, has been ordered closed by authorities in Washington.

Dutch steamer Dordrecht, from Pennsylvania for Bremen with cotton, arrived at Hamilton, Bermuda, with cargo on fire. — New Orleans and San Francisco railroad chartered at New Orleans. — Six fatalities among boys at Norfolk, Va., caused by burns from toy pistols on Christmas are reported. — Fire at Gascon, Ala.; loss \$30,000. — The Sugar Trust announces that hereafter all sales will be on a net cash basis. — The Pressed Steel Car Company proposes to share its profits with its employees. — An explosion and cave-in caused by settling of mine workings occurred near Scranton, Pa., a hotel and residences were swallowed up and the buildings took fire after sinking. — N. Y. markets: Money on call firm at 4 1/2 per cent; cotton—quiet at 4 per cent; flour—was firm but steady; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 70; corn—spot easy, No. 2 58; oat—spot quiet, No. 2 34; rosin—firm, spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 3.

Metereological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 58 degrees; 8 P. M., 67 degrees; maximum, 67 degrees; minimum, 54 degrees; mean, 60 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, trace; rainfall since 1st of month to date, trace.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—For North Carolina: Fair in west, rain and colder in east portion Saturday; Sunday fair, fresh west to northwest winds.

"Gas" Addicks, who is scrambling to be elected U. S. Senator from Delaware, has captured one more vote; but he is still four short.

In portions of the West, where wood is scarce and coal hard to get, the farmers are burning corn. It is well for them that they have "corn to burn."

Carrie Nation is said to have gone back to Kansas with \$5,000, made in the East. But we haven't heard any report that she hatched any bank, or murdered any body.

Dr. Lorenz, the famous Austrian surgeon, sailed from New York for some time Wednesday. He likes this country so well that he will return and make a tour of it with his family.

The New York Board of Health says lemon juice may be all right for destroying the typhoid germs in water—but the surest way is to boil the water, and it saves lemon juice.

John D. Rockefeller made the Chicago University a Christmas gift of \$1,000,000 and then ran the price of oil up, raking in \$2,400,000 for his share of the raise, leaving him \$1,400,000 ahead.

It is said that one of the reasons why President Roosevelt felt inclined to act as arbitrator in the Venezuela case was because it would give him an opportunity to jaw the South American Republics.

The total number of immigrants arriving at New York from January last to and including December was 545,750 against 407,703 for 1901. The largest number came from Italy, the next largest from Austria-Hungary.

Marconi is quoted as saying that when his wireless system is completed messages can be sent across the Atlantic for one cent a word. Cheap talk that. Mr. Marconi should be encouraged by all persons who are not interested in the copper cable business.

There were fewer "Trusts" organized last year than in 1901, and more competing plants. The total capitalization of all industrial consolidations, including bonds, was \$1,113,205,200; of competing companies \$224,200,000; and of miscellaneous corporations nearly \$1,900,000,000.

Some of the grievances charged to the Sultan of Morocco, against whom a revolution has started, was that he wore and encouraged the wearing of clothes built on the European and American plans, and rode automobiles. The faithful think he ought to be bonused for that.

Mr. Wu Ting-fang says the American people are great but not happy, while his people are happy but not great. Greatness and happiness are a good deal like oil and water. They do not assimilate readily. But if doesn't talk much to make the Chinaman happy, which is all the better for the Chinaman.

DEEDED TO UNCLE SAM.

Transfer of Wharf Property to United States Government for \$14,250—Other Real Estate Changes.

Some time ago it was announced that the valuable wharf property belonging to the Parsley estate and adjoining the Custom House site in this city, had been sold to the United States government. A deed conveying the property, according to the terms of the purchase, was filed yesterday for record at the Court House. The consideration named in the deed is \$14,250 and the property is divided into two tracts. The first is the store building occupied by Williams Bros. on North Water street, having a frontage of 30 feet and running back into the block along Ewing's alley 77 feet. The other is the wharf opposite, fronting 104 feet on Water street. The conveyance is signed by Geo. D. Parsley and wife; W. L. Parsley and wife, Walter Bantland and wife, Miss Mary M. Parsley, Robert A. Parsley, T. E. Sprunt and wife, H. M. Emerson and wife, Henry Savage and wife, Miss Elizabeth P. Peck and Henry N. Parsley.

Other deeds filed for record yesterday were as follows:

Mr. Alice Lippitt to Thos. Losen, lot on east side of Third, between Dawson and Wright streets, 38x105 feet in size; consideration, \$175.

Andrew J. Walker and wife to Benjamin Brown, lot on north side of Nixon, between Fifth and Sixth streets, 30x123 feet in size; consideration, \$450.

R. E. Williams to Jno. H. Brunjes, lot on east side of Fourth, between Harnett and Swann streets, 28x105 feet in size; consideration, \$95.

CLEVER BURGLAR'S OPERATION.

Robbed the Residence of Mr. Chas. E. McMillen and Secured a Watch.

The residence of Mr. Charles E. McMillen, the architect, No. 114 North Seventh street, was entered by a burglar one night this week and a valuable watch was stolen from a vest pocket of Mr. McMillen. Entrance was effected through a window and although a light was burning in the room and persons were asleep there, the intruder escaped without detection. The vest was taken from the room, robbed of the timepiece and then thrown back through the window. The watch was a double-compass one and one of the lids was off and in another part of the room, awaiting repairs on the following day. Mr. McMillen says if the "gentleman" will call again he will furnish him with the remainder of the case so that he may have the repairs made.

LOCAL DOTS.

The Drunkard's heart, the Drunkard's home and the Drunkard's hell," will be Dr. Blackwell's subject at the first Baptist church Sunday night.

In its list of golf scores in the tournament Thursday, the STAR unintentionally omitted the name of Capt. Donald MacRae, whose gross score was 139; handicap 27; net score 112.

Mr. L. J. King, of this city, expects to engage part of his time in traveling, doing evangelistic and mission work, in the way of distribution of religious tracts, etc., in the near future.

Mr. John L. Corbett, a venerable citizen of the county residing on Middle Sound, died this week at the advanced age of 73. Deceased was a gallant Confederate soldier and served in Southernland's battery.

The British schooner *Mabel Darling*, which brought a cargo of fruit from the West Indies before the holidays, cleared yesterday on a return trip to Nassau, laden with a cargo of shingles, tar, pitch, moulding and spar, consigned by J. A. Springer & Co.

Death of an Infant.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Davis, 509 Wooster street, will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Julius Augustus, which occurred Thursday night. The funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon by Rev. O. B. Paul, pastor of Southside Baptist church, and the remains were interred in Bellevue.

Marriage in the Country.

Announcement is made of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Catharine Martindale, daughter of Mr. Henry Martindale, of Masonboro township, to Mr. Charles H. Casteen, of Castle Haynes. Both the parties to the marriage are well known in the county and there will be much interest in this announcement.

Death in Pender County.

Miss Bertha Stokes, the young daughter of Mr. Wiley Stokes, of Holly township, Pender county, died yesterday, aged 18 years. She had been ill with consumption for a long time and her death, while not unexpected, was a great shock to friends. Mr. J. W. Burton came down to the city last evening for a casket in which to inter the remains.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. O. Alexander—Groceries.
J. W. Murchison & Co.—Hardware.
Charles Anderson & Co.—The Only Restaurant.
Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Gas fixtures.
BUSINESS LOCALS.
Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Portable drop light.

SEWERAGE RATES.

Patrons of the Old Company Will Resist an Advance of the Original Schedule.

MEETING HELD YESTERDAY.

Committee Appointed to Employ Counsel and a Fund Raised for That Purpose. Are the Contracts Valid?—Lively Discussion of the Question.

In response to a call published in the city papers fifty or more subscribers to the service of the Wilmington Sewerage Company before its absorption by Philadelphia capitalists, met at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of considering the recent advance in rates, notice of which had just been received from the home office, and for which it is claimed there is no warrant in law or justice. As a result of the meeting a fund was raised to fight the advance in the courts, and a committee was appointed to carry out that plan of action. At least a hundred other property owners, interested in the movement, but who were detained on account of the rough weather, will be asked to join in the fight, and many have already signified their willingness to do so.

Mr. Marsden Bellamy called the meeting to order. Mr. R. F. Hall was made chairman and Mr. F. E. Hasbagen secretary. The chairman asked the committee which had called the meeting—Col. Walker Taylor and Messrs. Wm. G. H. G. and Geo. S. LeGrand—to state the object. The request was responded to by Col. Taylor, who explained that by virtue of a contract which original subscribers had with the Sewerage Company before its reorganization, they were to receive the service perpetually upon payment of \$25 connection fee and \$4 annually or \$50 connection fee and \$2 annually thereafter; that the reorganized company had accepted payment of dues for the past two years upon that basis and it was understood there would be no advance from those rates; that the connection fee had been paid at the start by the subscribers and he did not think it right for the same company under the same charter to repudiate an apparent contract; to make an arbitrary advance in rates equal to four or five times as much as they had been paying.

Mr. Hall asked if the legal status of the matter had been investigated and Col. Taylor said that he had conferred with Marsden Bellamy, Esq., whom he asked to give the result of any investigation he had made in reference to the question. Mr. Bellamy said he thought the contracts perfectly valid and binding upon the reorganized company. He said he had made a tender of his usual individual dues to the local office of the company and it had been refused, except as part payment at the advanced rate. He said that the matter could be fought in the courts by injunction in case the service was discontinued for non-payment of the higher fee and advised that procedure in the light of the investigation thus far made. He said it was true that the company could change its by-laws at any time, but he did not think a contract could be vitiated that was made under existing by-laws.

Messrs. R. C. Gantwell, Timothy Donlan, S. H. Fishbale, H. E. Bonitz, R. M. McIntyre, H. J. Gerken, and others discussed the merits of the objection and it was easily seen that a determined body of men had gathered for a fixed purpose—to fight the advance to the bitter end. Mr. Gantwell said the old company declared a dividend of 30 per cent for five years and it could hardly be argued that the old rates were too low. Mr. Hall said that the large dividends came largely from connection fees and not from dues.

Messrs. Marsden Bellamy and Herbert McMillan, both of whom were present, gave it as their opinion that the company is bound by the old contracts, so long as it operates under the old charter. Mr. Bellamy suggested that if it came to the "pitch" the Corporation Commission could be asked to take a hand and regulate rates.

After further discussion, upon motion of Mr. R. C. Gantwell, it was carried unanimously that each subscriber present be assessed \$3, or so much thereof as is needed, and that the same be placed at once in the hands of a committee of five to fight the matter of the advanced rates in the courts. It was also ordered, upon motion of Mr. B. H. Fishbale, that all others who desire to advantage themselves of the litigation, be requested to call upon the committee to assist in the movement by payment of the assessment and that the chairman appoint the committee, which he did, naming Messrs. Wm. Gantwell, Walker Taylor, R. C. Gantwell, Geo. S. LeGrand and B. Solomon. The committee subsequently met and elected Mr. Gantwell chairman and Col. Walker Taylor treasurer. To whom all parties interested are respectfully invited to send amounts of their assessments. Those present at the meeting yesterday were:

Mr. Donlan, Martin Schimble, F. W. Ortman, William Goodman, D. McEachern, R. C. Gantwell, H. J. Gerken, D. O'Connor, Marsden Bellamy, Victor Zoeller, J. Well, B. Solomon, D. L. Gore, Herbert McMillan, H. J. Gerken, B. H. J. Abrams, F. H. Russell, D. B. Willard, Wright, M. B. Willard.

THE METROPOLITAN LIFE.

New Offices of an Old and Reliable Company Established in Wilmington—Already Prospering.

A representative of the STAR yesterday had the pleasure of a visit to the local offices of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, of New York, Rooms 11 and 12 in the Masonic Temple. Mr. Joseph Jacobs, the courteous and energetic superintendent with his staff of enterprising agents were found busy as bees caring for the already large and growing patronage of the widely known and reliable company which they represent.

The offices are handsomely fitted up and contain every appointment for the convenient handling of the business that is sure to reward the watchword "Progress" that seems to obtain in the Wilmington superintendency. Improvements are still under way and a few months will find the offices of the Metropolitan in this city the prettiest to be found anywhere. Business was begun by the Wilmington superintendency on Nov. 15th and already official bulletins from the home office show that this district leads all others in the State.

The following corps of popular North Carolinians are already on Mr. Jacobs' staff of agents and others are being added as fast as possible, viz: Alex. S. Holden, C. T. Smaw, Jno. H. Ledwin, Walter D. Parker and Capt. R. M. McIntyre. These agents are hunting for any kind of life insurance known to the civilized world, all of which is written by the Metropolitan.

While visiting Mr. Jacobs' offices yesterday the reporter was shown an excellent picture of the home office in New York. The building has recently been tripled in size and now takes up the entire valuable block bounded by Madison and Fourth avenues and 23rd and 24th streets. It has a continuous frontage of 860 feet, is 11 stories or 162 feet in height, with basement and sub-basement. It contains 3,000 square feet of floor area and is fire proof. The fronts are all faced in white Tuscan marble and designed in early Italian Renaissance style of architecture. Mr. Jacobs, the Wilmington superintendency, will attend the annual convention of Metropolitan superintendencies in New York Jan. 30th and 31st and is looking forward to a most pleasant visit. His company has great prospects in Wilmington.

AN INSTALLATION AND COLLATION

Hasover Lodge of Odd Fellows Enjoyed a Delightful Session Last Night.

At last night's regular meeting of Hasover Lodge No. 145, I. O. O. F., officers were installed for the ensuing six months. The installing officers were District Deputy Grand Master W. L. Smith, assisted by Past Grand E. N. Penney, E. F. Johnson, J. W. Fleet and R. P. Johnson. The officers installed are as follows:

P. G.—N. F. Parker.
N. G.—E. L. McMillan.
V. G.—A. Silvermann.
Secretary—S. G. Hall.
F. S.—E. W. Durham.
Treasurer—W. H. Howell.
Warden—E. F. Lewis.
Conductor—S. B. Bryant.
Organist—J. W. Fleet.
R. S. to N. G.—W. H. Riddle.
L. S. to N. G.—J. L. Brimer.
R. S. to V. G.—J. Jordan.
L. S. to V. G.—F. L. Walker.
L. S. to V. G.—J. F. Trullin.
L. S. to V. G.—C. S. O'Neil.
I. G.—J. W. Orrell.
O. G.—M. O. Rayner.
Chaplain—J. O. Jones.

After the exercises the lodge enjoyed a collation of oysters and other refreshments. The affair was a delightful one and a large number of enthusiastic Odd Fellows were in attendance.

A Fight on Second Street.

A. R. Herring, a young white man of the city, gave bond of \$35 in Justice McGowan's court yesterday for his appearance in the higher court next week to answer the charge of an assault with a deadly weapon upon James Donnelly, also white. The young men engaged in an affray on Second, between Market and Princess streets, Thursday afternoon and Donnelly, a black man, was struck with a brick. Constable Savage, who had taken upon the scene and made the arrest, says that he also got a "whack" on the head from a flying brick.

Mr. "Jack" Clement Married.

Mr. John B. Clement, a popular young shoe salesman, who made Wilmington his home until about two years ago, arrived in the city Tuesday night from Augusta, Ga., accompanied by his bride, who was Miss Sarah Fleming, of Augusta. Mr. and Mrs. Clement left yesterday for Wallace to visit the groom's old home. Returners to Augusta in a few days they will stop in Wilmington and visit friends.

Gardner & Lacey Had a Fire.

A special from Georgetown, S. C., dated Jan. 1st, says: "A destructive fire visited the large lumber plant of Gardner & Lacey early this morning, entirely destroying the planing mill. The plants in the river on a peninsula and, as no vessels had on steam at the hour, the fire engines could not get to the same. Splendid work was done by the department, however, and the same were subdued, but not before they had destroyed property worth \$10,500, on which there was insurance amounting to \$6,000."

Superior Court Next Week.

New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases only will convene Monday, Judge Robert B. Peebles, of Northampton county, presiding for his first term. There are about 53 cases for trial but none of them is of very great importance.

HOLIDAY GERMANS.

Two Delightful Dances Were Enjoyed by the Young People Last Night.

CLOSE OF BRILLIANT SERIES.

Miss Gammie Lord Delightfully Entertained Her Night Class and Young Men at Home from College—Pretty Impromptu Affair.

The series of unusually brilliant dances that have been a delightful feature of the holidays with the young people in Wilmington this season came to a close last night with two beautiful Germans, the first given by Miss Gammie Lord in compliance to her eight dancing class and the young men of the city who are at home from college for the holiday, and the second, an impromptu German given by a number of young men complimentary to their young friends, in the Masonic Temple.

The German given by Miss Lord was in Germania Hall and continued from 9 to 11 o'clock. The room was gaily decorated for the event with holly, bamboo, mistletoe, palms, ferns, etc., while from each chandelier was suspended a cluster of Japanese lanterns, shedding a soft and fair-colored light upon the group of merry dancers. About forty couples participated and the event was a great success beyond peradventure. The figures were led in most approved manner by Mr. Harry G. Smallbones, Jr., and many of them were new and larklike. The music was by Hollowbush's Orchestra, which is engaged for all Miss Lord's Germans, and a number of spectators gathered in the west end of the hall to watch the skillful executions by the dancers.

Many of those who participated in the German, later went to the Masonic Temple ball room to enjoy the festivities in progress there.

The impromptu dance commenced at 11 o'clock and continued until 12 o'clock this morning. The handsome ball room of the Temple was never more resplendent than upon this occasion and upwards of fifty couples participated in the festivities. The music was by Hollowbush's Orchestra and the figures were led artistically by Mr. George F. James, assisted by Messrs. Charles Elliott and Clayton Giles, Jr. Among the couples participating were the following:

Miss Annabelle Lattimer, Mr. Preston Channing, Jr.; Miss Olive Armstrong, Mr. Frank Cantwell; Miss Agnes Jones, of Danville; Mr. Zach Bell; Miss Bessie Payne, Dr. R. E. Zehall; Miss Julia Parsley, Mr. Clarence Myers; Miss Potts, Mr. Ted Brown; Miss Virginia Bailey, Mr. Walter Storm; Miss Lilly Gilchrist, Mr. E. S. Nash; Miss Margaret Ashe, Mr. H. R. Falson; Miss Nellie McMillan, Mr. Joe Armstrong; Mrs. Geo. F. Fletcher, Mr. Horace Hunter; Miss Eliza Meis, Mr. Willie Smith; Miss Jennie Peck, Mr. Geo. Parsley; Miss Oelvia Boatwright, Mr. Robert H. Gwallance; Miss Beulah Armstrong, Mr. Emmott Crow; Miss Meta LeGrand, Mr. Geo. G. Thomas, Jr.; Miss Sarah Callitt, Mr. Norwood Orrell; Miss Jones, of Norfolk; Mr. Joseph Waters; Miss Belle Gore, Mr. Willie Emerson; Miss Doster, of Columbus, Ga.; Mr. Marsden Bellamy, Jr.; Miss Lillie Sears, Mr. Willie Waiters; Miss Perry, of Berkeley, Va.; Mr. Waddell Waiters; Miss Mary Belle Sped, Mr. Christopher Pierce; Miss Moore, of Indiana, Mr. Willie Waiters; Miss Vagie Williams, Mr. Benj. Bell, Jr.; Miss Nellie Emerson, Mr. Miller, of Calder; Miss Lorraine Cantwell, Mr. Henry McMillan; Miss Alice Brown, Mr. Meyer Weaver; Miss Alice LeGrand, Mr. Willie Gore; Miss Bessie Burrus, Mr. Robert Calder; Miss Muncaster, Mr. Charles Muncaster; Miss Eliza Drane; Mr. Edenton, Mr. Tom Meares; Miss Mary Wings, Mr. Norwood Giles; Miss Mary Cantwell, Mr. Marion James; Miss Daisy Burbank, Mr. Norwood Huake.

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POULTRY SHOW NEXT WEEK.

Every indication that it will be a Tremendous Success—Exhibits Will Begin Arriving To-day.

The poultry and pet stock show, under the auspices of the Wilmington Association, will open next Tuesday and continue through the week. That it will be a success, no one will doubt after a brief talk with any one of the half dozen or more enterprising fanciers who have arrangements for the exhibit in hand.

It is true that there has been very little "newspaper talk" about what the Association will have for the public on this occasion, but the managers have been quietly at work and the opening next Tuesday will be a revelation to the skeptical.

Yesterday the coops and benches were being placed in the City Hall and the several committees worked until late last night, getting everything in readiness. A number of the exhibits from a distance will get to-day and to-morrow and on Monday there will be a flurry in the hall among the local exhibitors.

Everybody remembers the tremendous success of the fair last year and they may expect still greater things this season. The number of exhibits will be nearly twice as large and the variety will also be very much greater. The show will be open convenient hours, night and day.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Henry Clark Bridgers returned to Tarboro yesterday.

— Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wallace and little daughter have returned from a pleasant visit to Kenansville.

— Mr. Fred W. Bonitz has gone to the Columbian University in Washington to take a course in civil engineering.

— Miss Helen Dozier, of Columbus, Ga., is in the city on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Holmes, No. 218 North Third street.

— Mr. J. T. Foy, representative-elect to the Legislature from Pender county; Messrs. Dozier Foy, E. M. Foy and D. B. Ormsby, all of Scott's Hill, were in the city yesterday.

— Mr. M. McKinnon, who has been connected the past several months with the Crescent Pharmacy, on Princess street, left yesterday for his home at Red Springs, N. C. He expects to return to the city later to take another position.

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