

The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The remains of General Fitzhugh Lee, who died in Washington Friday morning left Washington yesterday for Richmond, the Episcopal services for the burial of the dead having previously been conducted in the church of the Epiphany; profound honor was paid to the remains of the distinguished Confederate at the National capitol and an imposing military escort accompanied the remains to the train; the train arrived in Richmond yesterday afternoon amid a great popular demonstration of respect and approval; the funeral will probably take place Thursday, meanwhile the remains lie in state—A reign of terror prevails at Warsaw, Russia; Poland, where a general strike has broken out parading workmen in the streets, killing or wounding more than 100, including women and children; the demonstrators and the police are armed with fire arms and bombs—In the Nan Patterson murder trial in New York, Lawyer Levy made a five hours speech claiming that Cassius Young was intoxicated with her and committed suicide, the prosecution will close the argument today—The Senate yesterday in session at Asheville decided to petition the legislature of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida and Virginia to revise the State Plumbing laws and establish a board of examiners—In Fayetteville yesterday Cashier Haigh and Teller Myrower of the Bank of Fayetteville were placed on trial for embezzlement—At Albany, N. Y., yesterday Miss Julia Craven shot and killed Frank Havens, a prominent insurance man—The strike situation at Chicago has assumed a grave outlook, as the non-union drivers carry arms and the strikers will do the same—An ordinary case has been introduced in the Chicago court to prevent landlords from discriminating against people with children, thus discouraging the desire for families—Decatur, Ala., the courthouse is surrounded by soldiers, while a negro is being tried for murdering and assaulting a prominent young lady—Several men have been arrested for attempting to break through the ranks—Vice Admiral Roggenbush's fleet is still hovering off Kamran Bay—New York markets: Money on call 3 to 4 per cent, closing bid 3; cotton, spot, quiet 70; flour dull and unchanged, wheat irregular, No 2 red 91 5/8 nominal elevator; corn irregular, No 2 55 1/2 nominal elevator; oats steady, mixed 34 1/2 to 35; turpentine steady 60 to 60 1/2; rosin steady, strained 3.25.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau. Wilmington, N. C., May 1, 1905. Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday. Temperature at 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 64 degrees; Maximum, 76 degrees; Minimum, 63 degrees; Mean, 70 degrees. Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since last of month today, .00. Stage of water Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesterday (Sunday), 9.7 feet. PORT ALMANAC—MAY 2. Sun Rises 6:45 A. M. Sets 6:45 P. M. Days' Length 12h. 37 M. High Water at Southport, 6:48 P. M. High Water at Wilmington, 9:29 P. M. Weather Forecast. For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, light southeast winds.

Oh, we see Minister Bowen's finish now.

Says the Washington Star: "The new woman is a fact." It's mighty hard to keep those sort of facts straight, however.

The greater city movement everywhere is now occupying the penumbra of the limelight while baseball is in the ascendancy.

When the Far Eastern war is at an end, please rub up your nose for a good look at the muss that is going to be kicked up over Morocco.

If you see any flickering outline on the ceiling it is a place getting in a position to be hit by Minister Bowen upon his home-coming from Venezuela.

"Courtship is light comedy," says a writer. If it ends in matrimony it will wind up on the bill as a melo-drama, or a farce with the curtain going down in the divorce court.

Representative Noble of the Florida Legislature has introduced a bill taxing dogs. This means that he will meet with an ignoble defeat if he ever runs for the legislature again.

The people on the shores of lake Chaubunagungang are greatly excited over the discovery of nuggets of gold found by men who were plowing in a field. No the lake is not in Russia. It is in Massachusetts.

A prominent lady of the Women's Congress is advocating the organization of the Men's Congress. We refuse to go into any Congress where the women can get us in a bunch so they can lay down the law to us.

Complaint is made by a Chicago millionaire that he has difficulty in spending all his income. We always sympathize with those who have to combat difficulties and it would afford us a great deal of pleasure to bear the millionaire's burden in blowing in his troublesome luer.

LOCAL DOTS.

Other Local on Fourth Page. The Covenanters and not the Delgado boys were victorious in the baseball game Saturday as was erroneously reported. There was only one case before the Mayor yesterday, Joe Hill, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was given 30 days on the roads. Capt. T. H. Johnson, clerk of Court street market, gives notice of the change to the usual schedule of hours during the Summer season. The Y. M. C. A. Ladies Auxiliary will meet in regular monthly session at 5 o'clock this afternoon. It will be the last until the Fall season and a full attendance is desired. Rev. W. A. Snyder, of this city, will preach the baccalaureate sermon the 21st instant at the commencement of the Elizabeth College and Conservatory for Women at Charlotte. Over 1,500 persons were handled on the suburban line to Wrightsville Beach and sound Sunday on Sundays in the future a through train of three cars will be run from Front and Princess streets.

The 19th Company Coast Artillery came up from Fort Caswell Sunday afternoon and left on a special train over the S. A. L. at 5 o'clock for Fort Hunt, on the Potomac, where they will take part in the army manoeuvres during the next 60 days. Archie Ellerby, a worthy old colored drayman well known in the city, dropped dead last night in Mr. J. B. Pales' store, Eighth and Castle streets, just as he came in from work. Dr. Maak, the colored physician, pronounced death due to heart failure. Deputy Sheriff J. A. Pate, of Cumberland county, arrived Sunday and carried back with him to Fayetteville the white man, A. B. Bethea, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Rowell, of Brunswick county, a few days ago upon a charge of abandonment.

Another very successful demonstration of the Fletcher Music Method (simplex and kindergarten) was given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. J. McMillan, on South Front street. Mrs. J. D. Edwards and Mrs. E. Schulken kindly assisted in the demonstration by playing for the children to listen and the affair was in every way a delightful success.

The Florence Times of Friday printed a beautiful tribute to the late Mrs. J. E. Wingo, whose devoted husband and two little sons returned from the funeral yesterday. Mrs. Wingo was the daughter of Rev. W. C. Power, a member of the South Carolina Conference and at one time presiding elder of the Florence district. The death was indeed a very sad one.

MR. JOHN BAKER DEAD.

Aged and Highly Respected German Resident Passed Away Sunday. In the death of Mr. John Baker, which occurred at 7 o'clock Sunday morning at his home in this city, No. 710 Dock street, the community mourns the loss of one of its oldest and most highly esteemed German residents. Mr. Baker had been in feeble health for several years but had been confined to his home only since last Friday a week ago. He was a man of fine personal character and was held in the highest esteem by every one who enjoyed his acquaintance.

Mr. Baker was born at Ruppertsburg, Germany, April 28th, 1834, and he had, therefore, just passed his 71st birthday. He had been a resident of Wilmington for 38 years and for a long time carried on his trade as a shoemaker in the basement of the Han-cock building, on Princess street, next to the old real estate offices of J. G. Wright & Sons. Many of Wilmington's old citizens remember him for his skilled workmanship in making fine boots and shoes when such articles of necessity were more of home manufacture than now, in this age of machinery and invention. Mr. Baker had been the sexton of Saint Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church for 30 years and his last service at that post of duty was on Good Friday evening. He had sounded the first bell for church services but before the time for the second bell, he was forced, reluctantly, to give up and go home. He was held in the very highest esteem by the pastor, officers and members of that congregation.

Mr. Baker is survived by his aged wife and five daughters, who have the sincerest sympathy of the community in their bereavement. The daughters are Mrs. William Nientile, Mrs. John M. Moyland, Mrs. Edward Wright, and Misses Annie and Josephine Baker, all of Wilmington.

The funeral will be conducted at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the late residence; thence to St. Paul's Lutheran church and Oakdale cemetery.

Junior B. S. League.

At a recent meeting of the organization of the Juvenile Base Ball League, Mr. Paul L. Cantwell was unanimously elected president of the league. A schedule was also drawn up. The first game will be played on Saturday, June 3rd, 1905. The following teams constitute the league: The M. S. G's, Monarchs, S. S. R's and Y. M. C. A.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

V. H. Boyden—Bankruptcy Notice. W. B. Cooper—Bagging and Ties. T. H. Johnson—Meat Market Hours. Mercer & Evans Co.—Academy of Music. Mercer & Evans Co.—Gool Shoes Cheap.

Business Locals.

George G. Clow—Thaveling salesman or saleswoman wanted.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Final Meeting of Board of Aldermen Under the Present Administration.

THE MAYOR SAYS FAREWELL.

Such Routine Business Transacted—Tax on Trading Stamps—Executive Report of Street Work—Departmental Records.

The Board of Aldermen of the present city administration held its "farewell" regular monthly meeting last night, but transacted no business of special importance beyond the regular routine. Mayor Springer at the conclusion of the meeting made a very graceful little talk thanking the retiring members of the Board for their kindness and courtesy during the past two years and wishing those who are continued in office godspeed in their efforts for the welfare of the city. The Board apparently, as far as possible, tried to clean up all unfinished business, leaving the way clear for the incoming administration, which will take charge of affairs to-morrow at noon. Of the present Board only Messrs. Karr, Moore, W. H. Yopp and W. E. Yopp continue with the new Board.

All members were present last night when Mayor Springer called the meeting to order at 8 o'clock. Standing committee reports were first called.

Application of W. J. Reeves, through his attorney, Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, for refund of certain back taxes which it is claimed had been paid to C. P. Lockey, Esq., late city attorney under the Wright administration, was not granted upon recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Upon recommendation of Chairman Moore of the Police Committee, Substitutes W. R. Appleberry, A. D. Woodard, M. P. Newton and William Harris were elected to permanent positions on the police force.

Upon recommendation of Chairman Gafford, of the Ordinance Committee, a sanitary regulation extending the limits in which pig sties may be kept from Brunswick to Nixon street, was passed.

Under report of the special committee to which had been referred the matter of the Nurnberger market license, there was a long discussion, as Attorney for Dr. A. H. Harris, one of the parties claiming the license. The discussion was of no interest to the public, a motion finally prevailing that the license be transferred to Dr. A. H. Harris from the Armour Packing Co. and that Mr. H. M. Bremer be refunded \$50 which he had deposited. Upon a subsequent motion of Aldermen Tiencken, Mr. Bremer was allowed to continue business at the same stand upon payment of the usual license. That settlement of the affair appeared eminently satisfactory to all concerned.

Mr. Jere Haad notified the Board that he had suffered an injury by reason of a fall and would be unable to serve as registrar at the election to-day. Upon motion Mr. W. L. West was elected in his stead.

A communication was read from the Board of Audit and Finance informing the Aldermen of the completion of the contract with Mr. C. H. Dock, the exhaustion of the appropriation for permanent street improvement; also of non-concurrence in the license tax of \$100 on trading stamp companies. Upon motion of Alderman Karr and second by Mr. Haahagen, the tax on trading stamp companies was made \$50 per month. Messrs. Moore and Gafford were opposed to a \$50 tax on the ground that it was excessive and theirs were the only two votes against the \$50 per month tax.

The Board of Audit and Finance also referred to the Aldermen a bill of Attorneys E. K. Bryan, Herbert McManis and Wm. J. Bellamy in the sum of \$300, for services in connection with the Monk rock quarry dispute last Summer. Upon motion of Mr. W. E. Yopp, seconded by Mr. Gafford, the bills were allowed.

Upon motion, tax of \$104.32, erroneously paid by Blair & Healy through clerical error of the firm, was ordered refunded. Tax on \$300 household and kitchen furniture of Mr. George Harris listed doubly and paid twice, was also ordered refunded. Being charitable organizations and exempted from taxation by the Legislature.

The amount assessed against the Howard Relief Club, the Hibernian Benevolent Society, the Elks Co., Masonic Temple Corporation and the Y. M. C. A., were ordered stricken from the books.

The usual monthly reports were read. That of the City Clerk and Treasurer showed a balance April 1st, of \$14,841.70, and receipts during the month running the total up to \$21,513.45. The disbursements during April were \$11,613.15, leaving a balance of \$10,205.30 to the May account. Chief of Police Furlong reported 93 arrests during April, 46 of the defendants being white and 47 colored. Twenty were sent to the roads and work-house for terms aggregating 650 days and nine were bound over to the Superior Court under bonds aggregating \$450. The Superintendent of Health reported 46 births during the month, 15 white and 20 white; 35 deaths, 15 colored and 20 colored. Health orders made 4,183 inspections; did 173 fumigations; issued 183 lime and acid orders. Trash carts removed 1,132 loads of garbage; 1,753 premises were attended by scavengers. There were 18 cases of small-pox during the month

ANOTHER BOND ISSUE.

Commissioners Call An Election Upon Additional \$50,000 Bond Issue for Roads.

THE MEETING YESTERDAY.

Superintendent of Health Re-elected—Road Superintendent Perry Tendered Resignation—Much Routine Business Handled.

By authority of an act passed at the late session of the General Assembly, the Board of County Commissioners at its regular meeting yesterday afternoon, unanimously decided to call an election Thursday, June 1st, upon the question of a further bond issue of \$50,000 in order to continue and complete the repairing, construction and improving the public roads of New Hanover county. The question has been mildly at issue since the recent passage of the law conferring upon the commissioners the power to call the election and, while no organized effort has been made to defeat the issue, it is quite likely the matter will be pretty liberally discussed from now until the date above mentioned. While all the proceeds of the issue of \$50,000 in March, 1901, has not yet been exhausted, it will take some time to negotiate the bonds, even after the date of the election, and the commissioners thought best to act in time lest a suspension of the work for even a temporary period would disorganize the present efficient road-building force and cause a deterioration of the machinery and equipment.

The election on June 1st will be "in the same manner as for members of the General Assembly" and for the same an entirely new registration is called. The success or failure of the bond issue will be upon a majority of the qualified voters rather than a majority of the votes cast. Those in favor of the issue will vote a ticket upon which will be printed "For construction and completion and improvements of the public roads," while those opposed will vote a similar ticket upon which the word "For" changed to "Against."

Thirty days notice of the election is given beginning to-day. The bonds are to bear not exceeding five per cent. interest, payable semi-annually and are to run for a period not exceeding 25 years. The act, upon an issuance of the bonds, authorizes a special road tax of not exceeding 10 cents on the \$100 valuation of property and not exceeding 30 cents on the poll.

The bond issue for 1901 has been supplemented from time to time by \$15,000 from the General County Fund, making a total of \$65,000, of which some \$10,000 now remains. The amount of \$65,000 has been expended in the purchase of the turpicks for \$7,500; permanent road machinery, \$5,000; steel bridge across Prince George's creek; mules, carts and other equipment to the extent of about \$1,800. For this amount the county has to show a fine macadam road, six miles to Castle Haynes; six miles completed on the Market street road and the fine turnpike to Wrightsville, which was made a free road and covered with a top dressing from Wilmington to the sound, a distance of nine miles. It is estimated that the average cost of these roads is \$2,150 to \$2,250 per mile. It is claimed, according to reports by the State Geologist, that the average cost for the excellent Mecklenburg roads costing in the neighborhood of the latter figure with the material at hand. With this showing, the Commissioners are confident that the public will endorse their efforts for a continuance of the improvement.

Routine Proceedings.

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The resignation of Mr. J. A. Perry as road superintendent was received and referred to the Road Committee. Mr. Perry said that he could get more money elsewhere, the present salary being only \$60. The resignation is to take effect June 1st.

Report of Bellamy & Bellamy, attorneys, as to collection of back taxes, was referred to the Finance Committee. The net collections for the month were \$140.42. On motion of Mr. Vickers the tax books of 1904 were turned over to the attorneys for collection with instruction to add 10 per cent. costs to all collections in the future.

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Casino, both on Wrightsville Beach, were granted.

On motion of Commissioner Divine, the Road Committee was authorized to contract for road material in such quantities and from such quarries as they may see fit and proper. The Chairman has for several weeks had up the question of buying a part of the road material outside the city, believing that the roads could be more economically built with that arrangement. The committee now has up the question of freight rates and quotations from a number of quarries and will act under the resolution above.

County Sanitary Board.

In the midst of the meeting of the Commissioners a recess was taken and according to law the County Sanitary Board met at 3:40 o'clock; present, all members of the Board of County Commissioners and Drs. E. J. Wood and D. W. Bulluck. The special business was the election of a superintendent of health. Nominations being declared in order, Dr. Wood nominated Dr. W. D. McMillan and he was unanimously elected. The salary of the office was continued at \$1,200 per year.

On motion of Dr. Wood and seconded by Dr. Bulluck, it was ordered that all persons committed to the county institutions shall, upon entering said county institutions be required to take a bath and at the discretion of the keeper may be required to put on clean clothing furnished by the county, unless furnished by the person himself.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Capt. W. A. Sanders is back from a business trip to Florida. Children are guests of Mrs. Martindale's parents in this city, Justice G. W. Bornemann.

Mr. S. L. Smith left yesterday afternoon for Hot Springs, Ark., where he hopes to recuperate his health.

Mr. David Mitchell has arrived from Alken, S. C., and will spend some time here. He is a guest at The Colonial Inn.

Hon. Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of the United States Court, arrived in the city last evening and is the guest of Mr. Samuel P. Coiler.

Mr. J. E. Wingo and two little sons returned yesterday from Florence, S. C., where they were called on account of the death of Mrs. Wingo.

Mrs. Owen Martindale and two Miss Margaret Gibson, president; Mrs. R. W. Price, secretary, and Mrs. R. W. Hicks, and Mrs. M. L. Stover, of the North Carolina Sorosis, to-day will leave for Goldsboro to attend the annual State convention of the North Carolina Federation of Woman's Clubs.

Mr. E. P. Brock, of the Brock Manufacturing Co. is in the city on business connected with the stove mill across the river, which will be in operation in about ten days. The manager, Mr. Graham, has been up the Cape Fear river, closing and contracting for timber and has had a very satisfactory trip.

MAY DAY FESTIVAL.

Delightful Affair Yesterday Evening Baby Show Prizes. The May Day Festival on the lawn of the Wilmington High School from 4 to 7 o'clock yesterday evening under the auspices of the North Carolina Sorosis was one of the most charming affairs witnessed in a long time in this city. The features of the occasion were a baby show and a May pole party, both of which were very large, so that the event was a magnificent success both financially and artistically. Music was furnished by Hollowbush's Orchestra and everything else that could contribute to the brilliancy of the event was provided.

There were thirty-six entries for the baby show and the difficulties of the baby situation at once appealed to the judges, Mrs. Hugh MacRae, Mrs. John D. Bellamy and Mr. John J. Blair, for every one of the tots was as pretty as a picture and, therefore, three prizes were offered. The first of two prizes for beauty of feature to a little Miss Dorothy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Davis, who won first prize at a recent show in Saint James' parish house, and another first prize in the same class a neat gold pin—was won by little Miss Susan Divine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Divine. For physical beauty, the silver pin, was awarded to little Miss Janie Buchanan Russell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Russell.

Miss Mary Worth, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Worth, was chosen as Queen of May Day and she was crowned with beautiful ceremony. The May pole dance followed to the accompaniment of Hollowbush's Orchestra and the affair was enjoyed no more by the little folks who joined merrily in the frivolity than it was by the older persons who admiringly looked on.

Refreshments were served by the ladies during the afternoon and everybody was delighted with the affair. The committee from Sorosis in charge of the festival was composed of Miss Whitwell, Mrs. E. K. Bryan, Miss Sue Hall, Mrs. R. W. Price and Miss Sanders and to them is due great credit for the magnificent success of the event.

DIED.

BAKER—At his home, 710 Dock street, April 30th, 1905, at 7 A. M., Mr. John Baker aged 71 years, 2 days.

Funeral to-day (Tuesday), 3 P. M. from the late residence, thence to St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Burial at Oakdale. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

SPECIAL TRIAL OFFER

THE MORNING STAR

AT REDUCED RATES

For the next sixty days we will mail THE MORNING STAR to subscribers outside the city at the following reduced rates:

For One Year . . . \$4.00. For Six Months . . . \$2.00.

Positively, no subscription will be taken at the reduced rates for a period less than six months. For one month the price will be, as heretofore, \$1.25 for three months; or, fifty cents for one month.

This offer, as will be noted, is for a limited period only, and is made for the purpose of giving those who appreciate the value of a daily newspaper an opportunity to read the STAR for six months, or more, at a cost of about one and a quarter cents per copy, and then determine whether or not they will continue their subscription at the regular price.

No name will be entered on our books under this offer unless the order is accompanied with the cash. While this proposition is made primarily to secure new subscribers, old subscribers outside the city may avail themselves of its advantages at the reduced rate provided they pay all arrearages and for not less than six months in advance.

On account of the heavy expense attached to our city circulation department this offer does not apply to city subscribers. Sample copies mailed free to any address. Note the conditions of this offer carefully to avoid mistakes.

STRAWBERRY MOVEMENT

No complete record of the strawberry shipments from the belt could be obtained yesterday but it is known the movement was immense consisting perhaps of over 250 cars. Passengers on the late train from Chadbourn last night said that there were at least 25,000 crates around in addition to the thousands of crates that had already gone forward during the day. An extra one hundred refrigerators cars were expected there before daylight this morning. The bank at Chadbourn is keeping open day and night and over a million dollars has already been handled there since the season opened. Quotations from the Northern markets were conflicting last night but it is believed with the splendid distribution made possible by the presence of Business Agent Bauman, of the Truckers' Association at South Rocky Mount, that fair prices can be upheld until the bulk of the crop is moved.

The movement through Rocky Mount Sunday consisted of 167 solid cars and 2,364 crates by express. The distribution of Sunday's shipments was as follows: New York . . . . . 38 Boston . . . . . 23 Philadelphia . . . . . 17 Newark, N. J. . . . . 10 Buffalo, N. Y. . . . . 10 Providence, R. I. . . . . 6 Elmira . . . . . 5 Baltimore . . . . . 4 Washington . . . . . 3 Springfield, Mass. . . . . 3 Worcester, Mass. . . . . 2 Syracuse . . . . . 2 Scranton . . . . . 2 Wilkesbarre . . . . . 2 Utica . . . . . 2

North Adams, New Bedford, Fall River, Hartford, New Haven, Pittsfield, Meriden, Keosauqua, N. H., Portland, Newark, Bridgeport, Waterbury, Erie, Troy, Jamestown, Williamsport, Schenectady, Auburn, Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, one each . . . . . 20

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Total . . . . . 25

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

UNITED STATE DISTRICT COURT, Eastern District of North Carolina. In the matter of Mrs. W. H. Baucum, Bankrupt.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors. To the creditors of Mrs. W. H. Baucum, of Fayetteville, in the County of Cumberland and District aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of May, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time the said creditors of Mrs. W. H. Baucum were duly adjourned to meet at the first meeting of her creditors will be held at my office in Fayetteville, N. C., on the 4th day of May, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee to examine the bankrupt and such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

W. H. BOYDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. Raleigh, N. C., April 24, 1905.

Office of the Treasurer. Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.: There will be due and payable on May 1st, 1905, two per cent. interest on the New Four Per Cent. Certificates of Indebtedness of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and the Treasurer of that Company has been directed to pay to all holders of record as of April 1st, 1905, this interest. The transfer books were closed April 1st and will stand closed until May 1st, 1905, both inclusive.