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el of Harry K. Thaw pre idavits yesterday to save im the madhouse into which Attorney Jerome is now ensavoring to put him; medical experts, the defendant's mother and Attorney Delmas made affidavits that the defendant understands the nature of the proceedings against him, Mr. Delmas declaring that Thaw realizes his position and advises intelligently with his counsel; Justice Fitzgerald will render his decision on the affidavits on Monday.---In an interview in Washington yesterday, Thos. F. Ryan, the New York financier and railroad magnate, declared that the railroads belong to the people, should be taken out of Wall Street, and railroad officials should aid President Roosevelt in carrying out the law; as to politics, Mr. Ryan declared that Roosevelt will dictate the next Republican platform and name the nominee, dominate the Democratic party.---The United States army will be refresented by Adjutant General Heisland at the Inter-State National Guard Association meeting at Columbia Mon- Easter and all during the coming six the case will be still further investiday and Tuesday. - President Roose days there will be services each day gated by the Coroner today. In the velt has given assurances to Dr. H. in the Episcopal, Lutheran and Catho- large crowd of people who gathered N. Marvin, of Delaware, that the gov- lic churches of the city. The confir on the corner even at the unseemly ernment through the Postoffice De mation service will be observed today hour, the opinion was expressed that partment and otherwise will aid in in several of the churches. This morn- the man had been foully dea't with, every possible way to recover the ing at 11 o'clock Bishop Strange will while others thought that returning to Doctor's kidnapped son. - Following confirm a class at St. John's Episcopal his home, he had fallen against the the disturbed financial condition in Church and this evening will hold con- side of the fence and that his neck New York, the stock market in Ber- firmation at St. Mark's Episcopal had been broken by the fall, the cut lin was decidedly panicky yesterday. Church, colored. Confirmation at on the cheek probably having been is now estimated at \$107,104,192,410, herd will take place Monday even rough palings of the fence. an increase of \$18,586,885,635 in four ing and at St. James' on Wednes- Mr. Davis is 37 years old and is emyears. The Nicaraguans continue day night. There will also be confir- ployed as a clerk by G. W. Linder & to claim victories over the allied mation in the Lutheran churches of Co., grocers, at Front and Dock forces of Honduras and Salvador. the city as will appear from pulpit an streets. He lives with his step-father New York markets: Money on call, nouncements elsewhere in today's pa- Captain Wilkiam Taylor, and his stepnominal; time loans, dull and steady; per. The following special announce- mother, Mrs. Taylor, at Castle and spot cotton, 10 points lower, closing ments for Holy Week have been made: Surry streets, not more than a block quiet fellow. He had been clerking cut there wondering if a volcanic erupuiet at 11; flour, steady, a light inguiry; wheat, steady; No. 2 red, 82

"A man should court his wife every at 11 A. M. day," says Dorothy Dix. Married men Afternoon and Evening Services-that was the last seen of him alive. would have to be cautious in doing Monday at 6 P. M. Tuesday at 8 P. M. Engineer Will Dicksey, who is emthat, for they might run the risk of Thursday at 8 P. M. (Holy Commu- boats, started home on the last car

mon to good, 4.50.

about 40 feet wide. If he had laid Week by their pastor, the Rev. W. A. body lay close up to the fence, breast claim to the earth he might have had Snyder. The following services will downward his face slightly turned up. better luck.

two great Americans, Bryan and Roosevelt, are startlingly alike," says a Western contemporary. about by the political othes that Col. Bryan has been miss-

The Philadelphia Press on Friday contained this paragraph: have been 112 murders in Northumberland county in twenty years, and but one hanging. Northumberland may not be trying to break the record, but it is breaking the record without trying." Truly, that is a horri-Northumberland probable record. bly outstrips Breathitt county, Ky.

Charlotte Chronicle: "Charity and Children says: 'Greater Charlotte will, no doubt, lead any city in the State in population, an honor that Wilmington has enjoyed for many years.' Not will lead, but does lead, and has lead for, lo! these several years past-and you have it Hats. right."-Have to wait for the city directory figures.

With our issue of yesterday The Morning Star entered its eightieth ter, R. A. M. semi-annual volume. This is a good old age for a North Carolina daily; especially one in which there has never been a change of name, ownership or editorial management. But the "Old Man" says he has joined the Boys' Brigade," and expects to spend many more years at the helm of the oldest daily newspaper in the State.

Mr. M. S. Wormser, of the banking firm of I. & S. Wormser, New York. in Washington on Wednesday, and said to the Post: "From what I have learned in administration circles during my stay in Washington, there is no antagonism whatever toward railroad or industrial corpora-If we could only persuade railroad magnates to believe that what a great load of misery we could Wanted. relieve them of. They have simply been victims of their imaginations. My! how some people permit them Ability Wanted. selves to suffer from paranoiaic hal-"ricinations. Speaking after the man-dence for Sale. ner of Josh Billings, "some people see snaiks where there ain't no

Beginning of Holy Week Selemn Period Before the Glorious Easter.

CONFIRMATION SERVICES

Order of Exercises at St. James' Episcopal and St. Paul's Lutheran Churches-Bishop Strange's Visits-Announcements.

Week, will be fittingly observed in all mer, the body of Ed Davis, a young while the South holds the power to churches today which recognize the white man, was found dead. His neck solemn period of prayer and self de was broken and there was an ugly nial as one of their rites. Holy Week which the blood had flown freely. The immediately precedes the glorious cause of his death is unknown, but The wealth of the United States the Chapel of the Good Shep caused by his sharp contact with the

At St. James. evator; corn, steady; oats, steady; Communion, 7:45 A. M. Morning o'clock last night at the store and after nixed, 47; turpentine, steady, 77 1-2 Prayer and Sermon, 11 A. M. Evening being shaved at the barber shop of 78: rosin, steady; strained, com- Prayer and Address, 8 P. M.

be held, all being in English except The wound on the cheek would not interest, that of Good Priday morning: Monday-Vesper Service, 8:30 P. M

Sermon: "The Divine Christ." Tuesday-Vesper Service, 4:00 M. Sermon: "The Human Christ." Wednesday-Vesper Service, 8:30 P. M. Sermon: "The Betrayed and the Denied Christ."

Maundy Thursday-Vesper Service, 1.00 P. M. Sermon: "The Bestowing Christ. Good Friday-Morning Service with

the Holy Communion (German) Sermon: "The Crucified Christ." Vesper Service, 8:00 p. m. Sermon

Raster Sunday-Morning Service with the Holy Communion, 11 A. M. nial Dames, which is published with Sermon: "The Risen Christ." Vesper Service, 8:00 P. M. Sermon: "The Gradual Harvest."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. Hardin-Herpicide. Hewlett & Price.-Stylish Shoes. Gieschen Bros.—Spring Greeting.

C. W. Polvogt Co.-Stylish Easter Seaboard Air Line-Exposition Low F. E. Hashagen Co.-Grocers' Spe-

cialties. W. A. Martin, Secty-Concord Chap-Wilmington Furniture Co.-Season-

Assurance Society. Thos. F. Bagley, Secty-Wilmington Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

Business Locals. Southern Electric Co.-Fans

For Rent-Large Front Room. Notice-To Building Laborers. Wanted-Position as Bookkeeper. Wanted-Board in Private Family. Peterson & Rulfs-Offices for Rent. George G. Clows-Travelers Want-

Red Cross Vinigar Co.—Salesman town."

California Cider & Ex- Co.-Salesmen Wanted. Belmont Mfg. Co.-Salesmen Mrs. Georgie M. Croft-Sound Resi

People's B. & L. Ass'n-Good Times

Buy your Easter Slippers at Peter-Store often to see all the new things.

THIS PALM SUNDAY MURDER OR ACCIDENT PROBLEM FOR CORONER Thirty-Three Years Record of Morning and Afternoon Sessions

Body of Ed. Davis Young White Man Found This Morning at Front and Castle Streets-Cause of His Death Unknown-Case Investigated.

This morning just after midnight, have produced death but the neck was Palm Sunday, the beginning of the yard fence surrounding the residence about as stated. Under the body were last of Lent and inaugurating Holy of Mrs. Bell, immediately on the cor. a number of bundles of merchandise The sing was strictly in order yes-

from where the body was found. The Services Sunday, March 24th-Holy young man worked until nearly 12 Morning Services-Every day at Marlborough House, on Front street, 7:30 A. M. Every day except Friday he started home. He left the barber Wednesday at 8 P. M. (Confirmation). ployed on one of the government nion). Friday and Saturday at 6 P. M. and jumped off at Front and Castle the Charleston level and Course the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead and the last three that the many was dead that the many was commenced immediately significant. The facility of an imposition that the last three that the many was commenced immediately significant. The facility of an imposition that the many was commenced immediately significant. The facility of an imposition that the many was commenced immediately significant. The facility of an imposition that the many was commenced immediately significant. The facility of an imposition that the many was commenced immediately significant. The facility of an imposition that the many was commenced in the last three that the many was commenced in the last three that the many was commenced in the last three three that the many was commenced in the last three th On Good Friday there will be the streets. He crossed the street and

on the sidewalk on the south side of broken. Dr. Hall summoned Dr. C. D. Castle, not fifty feet from its inter- also notified. Dr. Bell arrived in a Bell, the coroner and the police were section with Front street, close to the short time and found the conditions that the man had evidently started home with . His watch and \$19 in money that he carried in his pockets

he had been in and those who knew Lassed over the West earlier in the who so delightfully led the song ser-Davis said that he was a remarkably week, and put all the weather folks vice at Grace Church Friday evening, for Mr. Linder only about a month. ton was on tapis, Previous to that time he had worked In Wilmington yesterday the mini- Work Director of the Association in as a deck hand on the government mum was 64 degrees, which was not the United States, and the conferboats on the river. He was not mar- altogether unseasonable, but as the ence conducted by him was most in-Mr. Varney M. Gilbert, at the old ried and leaves only his step- father day grew old, the mercury began to teresting and helpful. At 11:45 Mr. and step-mother and one sister, with climb. At 8 A. M., it had reached 66, C. L. Gates, of Atlanta, International whom he lived. He was a member of and it continued to climb until the Field Secretary, followed up the lines shop at five minutes to 12 o'clock and Cherokee Tribe of Red Men of this maximum was reached at 4 o'clock of the Governor's address Friday city, and was well thought of by those in the afternoon. Then it began to night, treating the subject, "The

North Carolina Society of Colonial Enjoyed Delightful Outing Yesterday at Wrightsville Sound-Left in the Afternoon for Charlotte to

position at Jamestown-National Orgawization The Star has received the following communication from the president of been literally showered with courtethe North Carolina Society of Colo-

Dames Desires Exhibits for Ex-

pleasure and commendation to the "One of the most historic and interesting features of the greatest expo- ed with the reception tendered him so, there will be a tremendous crowd There was much disappointment sition of modern times will be a united while in Wilmington, at Southport, at on the beach and sound. The Con- that Mr. W. D. Weatherford, Internaexhibit of Colonial relics of the thir- the Quarantine Station and at Fort

teen original Colonies. This is the Caswel. special work of the National Society Geo. O. Gaylord-Easter Offerings. of Colonial Dames, each State having A. D. Brown-Fortunate Purchase, a separate space assigned it. These safety can be assured.

peals to our people for the loan of any articles illustrative of the life and ernor's entertainment here was a trolcustoms of these early English Colo- ley party to the Sound and Beach yesnies prior to the Revolution. They terday merning. This was given by will be carried to Jamestown by a re- Mr. W. B. Cooper and a number of sponsible person and safely placed in business and professional men were locked cases. Receipts will be given invited to become members of the parfor all articles loaned, and the ex- ty. They left the city on a special pense of packing, transportation and suburban car at 10 o'clock, reaching R. R. Richardson-Equitable Life insurance will be borne by the Socie- the Sound in 20 minutes where an ele-

miniatures, portraits, rare books and only North Carolinians can enjoy manuscripts, silver and gold ware, them, the experience being a novel such as watches, snuff boxes, and fans, and interesting one for the chief exec Chas. Shepard and Alexander Sauls, noon at 5 o'clock the Convention en-

immediate action, and anyone willing or of North Carolina to introduce the cording to the official plan of Mercer next year. The invitation was exto loan their heirlooms may commu- present Governor." Hon. John D. Bei- Place in East Wilmington. nicate with the President of the North lamy expressed pleasure at having the Wm. Crowell to D. L. Gore, for \$2,-

hooves us to remember that while happy and well conceived. The Gov- S. C., Ellen Parsons, of Allegan, Mich. J. H. Rehder & Co.-Launch for Virginia is celebrating the birth of a ernor spoke of his pleasure at visiting and Louisa P. Way to Robt. H. Brady, new nation upon her shores, North Wilmington and referred in the high- for \$1,500, property on south side of Wanted—Second-Hand Turpentine Carolina is really the mother of all est terms to the hospitality of the Church, 56 feet east of Fourth street, ly a magnificent affair. The table deccolonies, for White's colony on Roan- Cape Fear people. The party return- 50x66 feet in size.

> should be sponged by Platt & Haar on and often. the Duplex Sponger, 5 cents per

New Millinery coming in every day at Rehder's. You should visit the Big

Deliver Address Today.

Governor Robert B. Glenn, who has sies by Wilmington people during his visit here, left yesterday afternoon on the Seaboard Air Line train for Charlotte where he delivers an address in

"It seems I've done nothing but eat and speak the whole time I have been among you," he said to a gentleman Platt & Haar-Dress Goods Galore, relics will be placed in a building ab yesterday. But the Governor had a J. H. Rehder & Co.-Launch for solutely fireproof, therefore perfect good time and left word that he is coming again. It will always be a "The North Carolina Society ap- pleasure for Wilmington to have him. The closing feature of the Gov-

gant oyster roast awaited them at the "Articles desired for exhibition are Lighthouse. These were enjoyed as Wanted—Position in Retail Grocery. Carolina Bociety, Mrs. James Sprunt. distinguished chief executive present of land in Cape Fear approval of the Executive Committee. "This work should appeal to the and delivered a neat address introductownship. State pride of our people, for it be- ing the Governor. The response was Emily Elizabeth Meares of Broxton, Cooper and other prominent men, who 41x66 feet in size. bade him a reluctant good-bye express-Dressmakers recommend that goods ing the hope that he would come again Building a Tabernacle.

Men's up-to-date Panama Hats, \$5.00

GOOD SUMMER TIME Y. M. C. A. MEETINGS

Temperature For March Weather Broken Yesterday.

REGISTERED 94 DEGREES

Travel to Beach Heavy During Day. Fine for Truck Crops-River and Trolley Schedules for Sunday. The General Conditions.

"In the good, old Summer tme!" terday. The weather was phenomenally warm. All heat records for the were not disturbed. A half pint flask month of March were broken, and a of whiskey that had not been touched standard set that future years will was found on his person, but the phy- have a hard time to lower. Accordsicians stated that Davis had not been ing to the official records in the Unit. State Young Men's Christian Associadrinking. This is borne out by the eq States Weather Bureau office in tions of the Carolinas most pleasantman's general reputation and by Mr. this city, the maximum temperature ly rounded out its first full day's ses-Gilbert at whose barber shop he had for the day was 94 degrees, against sions of the convention yesterday. All shaved not half an hour before. Dr. the next highest record in the thirty- the sessions were held in the splen-Bell and Dr. Ha'l are strongly inclin- three years history of the Weather did auditorium of Grace Church, and ed to the position that the man stum- Rureau of 87 degrees on the 22nd of both the morning and afternoon see bled and fell against the fence, break- the month in 1894. Observer Felger sions were marked by an increased at ing his neck, the wound on the cheek said that the mercury reached the tendance. having been inflicted as he fell. No high mark about 4 o'clock in the afone in the neighborhood heard any ternoon, and that the condition was devotional exercises were conducted outcry and the theory of foul play really phenomenal; that it applied not by Mr. A. G. Knebel, of New York, one seems to have no grounds to stand only to Wilmington, but to the coun- of the strongest men in the Associaupon though he may have been dealt try at large. Friday in Washington tion work in this country. This was a blow that threw him side of the from 40 degrees in the morning the immediately followed by a Religious fence. Mr. Linder with whom he mercury shot up to 90, smashing all Work Conference, conducted by Mr. worked knew of no disturbance that records there. The same heat wave H. W. Arnold, of Washington, D. C.

The body was at once removed to M., and a tolerably cool night made a closer application of the relation the home about a block and a half dis- sleeping pleasant. The mean during of the young men to the work and life tant and the funeral arrangements will the day was 79 degrees. In the Wil- of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Gates is an be made as soon at the Coroner has mington district Friday the maximum interesting speaker, and developed his

he extreme West and Northwest.

APPEAL FOR RELICS GOVERNOR RETURNS "The Northern depression has mov-

Pacific States. "Rains have fallen in the Pacific precipitation.

mostly fresh west to southwest."

the First Baptist Baptist Church this day. If the weather is good today, tion, as recommended by the commitafternoon. The Governor was delight- and the weather man says it will be tee. solidated Company will probably op-tional Student Secretary, of Atlanta. erate three train cars from 1 to 6:30 could not be present for the afternoon P. M. Beginning today there will be session and speal on "After Cola change in the Sunday schedule on su- lege, What?" as had been expected. burban line, the half-hour trains being He missed train connection at Hamcontinued until 6:30 in the evening, let and did not reach the city until

instead of 5 o'clock, as before. popular today, and the steamer Wil- work and Bible study conference was mington announces the first of its held by Mr. Knebel, in which the im-Spring trips below. The steamer will portance of missions was urged upon leave at 9:30 this morning, and a the Association men present. large crowd is expected. Mr. H. A. Kure has arranged to serve oysters was interestingly treated at 4 o'clock to those who desire to stop at Caro- by Mr. Chas. R. Towson, of Philadel-

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Filed Yesterday.

Jno. B. Mercer and wife to John H. Shaw, J. L. Cowan, Henry Purdy, utive. The inner man being well cared trustees Rising Star Tabernacle, No. tertained a cordial invitation from the "The limited time allowed for the for, Mr. Cooper ingeniously said that 22, for \$10 and other considerations, Board of Directors of the Columbia collection of these relics necessitates he would call upon the "next Govern- lots, 1, 2, 3, and 4, in Block 13, ac- S, C., Association to meet in that city

Still.

Still Carolina Carolin accompanied to the station by Mr. property on Queen, near Third street, was very pretty, indeed. The menu

> will hold services this afternoon at as toastmaster, and was well at home 3:30 o'clock in the Court House. Rev. in this position, performing his exact-F. L. Davis will conduct the services. ing duties delicately and with dignity. and \$6.00 at Geo. O. Gaylord's this will conduct the services and \$6.00 at Geo. O. Gaylord's this will conduct the services will grave and a most core week.
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> The congregation in Wilmington is having built for temporary use a exercises with prayer and a most core. large tabernacle on Chestnut street, dial address of welcome was delivered Tuesday will be "Souvenir Day" at next north of the old Cape Fear Acad-Peterson & Rulfs', 202 No. Front St. ** emy building, on the Meginney lot.

Held at Grace Methodist Church Yesterday.

Elegant Supper By Ladies' Auxiliary. Interesting Discussions of Features of Work-Announcements for Wilmington Pulpits

With an elegant luncheon served by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the delegates and Wilmington business men last evening in the Association gymnasium; which had been attractively arranged for the occasion, the Inter-

Yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock address. Mr. Arnold is the Religious go back until 77 was reached at 8 P. Young Men of the Carolinas," making

imum temperatures of 90 or more are Mills; L. E. Cogburn, C. L. Gates and again reported at a number of sta- John McEachern, Davidson College. Committee on Resolutions F. E "Temperatures are somewhat lower Rankin, Chapel Hill; T. B. Agilose, in the Lake Region, and portions of Charleston; Frank A. Smith, Mona ghan Mills.

Devotional Committee-Chas. Dued to the North Atlantic coast, and a shan, Wilmington; J. D. Griffin, Sparmarked disturbance covers the North tanburg, S. C.; A. T. Banks, Elon Col-

The report of the Executive Com-States, and snow in northwest Wyo-imittee as tendered by State Secretary ming, elsewhere there has been little Huntington at Friday morning's session, was adopted with the exception "The conditions indicate fair and that it was urged that \$9,000 instead continued warm weather for this sec- of \$8,000 be raised during the year for tion tonight and Sunday, with winds the work of the committee. It was also decided to change the date for The travel to the beach yesterday Inter-State Day in all the Associations was unusually heavy and double head- to the second Sunday in April instead er cars were operated for most of the of the first Sunday after the conven-

last evening. In the place of Mr. River parties are also going to be Weatherford's address a religious

"Twentieth Century Boys' Work," phia, after which a resolution was passed instructing the Inter-State Committee to put forth special efforts to promote boys' work in the Associa-Deeds Which Appear from Record tions, and suggesting the idea of a conference of the Carolinas. The conference was invited to Spartanburg.

> At the business session in the aftertended by General Secretary A. S. Thompson, and will be accepted after Social Affair Last Night.

The supper last evening in the Association gymnasium by the ladies complimentary to the visitors and business men of Wilmington was realorations were of violets and the lightwas tempting, indeed, and consisted of many delicacies served by the ladies themselves in most approved The Christian Church or Disciples manner. Col. Walker Taylor presided

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