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OUTLINES.

In the hearing of the petition of the railroads for an injunction of the 3 1/2-cent passenger fare law, Judge Pritchard at Asheville yesterday heard the Southern Railway's attorneys, and will hear the Atlantic Coast Line's side today. In the smoldering ruins of the fire at Pine Beach, adjoining the Jamestown Exposition, the body of Charles Fulbert, a Bridgeport, Conn. musician, was found; besides a negro bootblack several others are missing.—Governor Ansel and other distinguished South Carolinians and 700 South Carolina troops arrived at the Jamestown Exposition yesterday for the celebration of South Carolina Day today. Lieutenant Victor Blue tendered the Governor a reception last night at the Virginia Club; William M. Smith a graduate of Trinity College and captain of the baseball team, committed suicide at Durham, N. C., yesterday.—The Hamburg-American Line denies that it will discourage immigration to the South because of false statements about the treatment of immigrants.—In the trial of Judge Lovin at Houston, Va., yesterday for the murder of Theodore Estes, Judge Barksdale, citing the precedent in the Thaw trial as to the refusal of the court to allow the impeachment of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's testimony, ruled that the prosecution could not attack Miss Elizabeth Lovin's story of that fateful buggy ride with Estes; the taking of testimony was concluded and the statement to the jury will be argued today.—Two thousand men engaged in construction work on the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad have been laid off because of the impossibility of securing money on account of legislation inimical to railroads.—Yesterday was Baltimore Day at the Jamestown Exposition.—Reports from Hong Kong state that 500 Chinese perished recently by the burning of a theatre.—At the Steunenberg murder trial in Boise, Idaho, yesterday, William Easterly denied Orchard's story connecting him with criminal deeds in Colorado.—New York market.—Money on call, firm; 3 3/4 to 4 per cent; ruling rate, 5; closing bid, 5 1/2; offered at 6; spot cotton, 10 points higher, closing steady at 13 cents; flour, firm and nominally higher; wheat, strong; No. 2 red \$1.90 1/8 elevator; corn, firm; No. 2 63 1/4 elevator; oats, steady; mixed, 49 1/2; turpentine and rosin, steady.

We are satisfied that Dan Hanna hasn't been his finish yet.

It is said in Washington that former Senator Marion Butler is more influential than ever with the big circle.

The typographical appearance of the Wilson Daily Times has been greatly improved. The paper is a credit to Wilson.

Some people have now taken to writing poetry about the Jamestown Exposition. The Exposition management, however, should not be blamed for it.

There is a statement going the rounds that 7,000 dogs were killed for food in Germany last year. The mere thought of food like that will start up the newspaper wags.

The Goldsboro Daily Argus keeps on earning congratulations about its attractive bib and tucker and the news service it is now giving its patrons. The Argus is all right.

Some Indiana girls have formed a club and determined not to marry any man who has not at least \$4,000. In time to come, most of the members of that club can go as delegates to the Old Maid's Convention.

The packers would have us believe that the government meat inspection system is responsible for putting the price of beef up as high as it was when "the cow jumped over the moon."

Upon being told that he had inherited a fortune, a Washington, Pa. man dropped dead. Nevertheless, men everywhere will run the risk of having that kind of startling news broken to them.

Says the Washington Post: "Nothing on wheels can ever catch up with the popularity of President Roosevelt," is the opinion of John Temple Graves. Then it is also a hopeless task for anybody with wheels." However, no remarks like those will deter people with wheels in their head from undertaking the task.

Judge Alton B. Parker is coming to North Carolina next month and will deliver an address at the annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association at Henderson, July 10-12. If Judge Parker has received that apology from President Roosevelt it is to be hoped he will bring it along to prove to North Carolinians that Roosevelt's so-called square deal includes Parker.

PARDONS REFUSED

Hartfield Crandall and Cross Edmondson Denied Executive Clemency by Governor

THE TRAINING SCHOOL

No Decision as to Location Until July 10th—Wake Highway Commission Imbroglio—Business Failure at Goldsboro.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Raleigh, N. C., June 27.—Governor Glenn refuses pardon to Hartfield Crandall, convicted of assault and trespass at Wilmington last year and sentenced to eighteen months on the roads. The Governor says Crandall had a fair trial and the sentence was not excessive. His conduct since he has been on the roads has not been good and he has made threats as to what he will do when his sentence expires.

Pardon is also refused to Cross Edmondson, who was convicted of murder in the second degree in Columbus county. The trial judge took into consideration all the mitigating circumstances, says the Governor, and only gave the defendant a sentence of three years which was not excessive.

After all there is to be no action taken by the State Board of Education in the selection of the site for the Eastern Carolina Teachers' Training School until July 10. The Board returned yesterday from the tour of inspection to the several towns in the contest and it was given out that the vote would be taken at a meeting of the Board today provided State Auditor Dixon was able to get here from Morehead where he was suffering from ptomaine poisoning and Lieutenant Governor Winston could be gotten here for the meeting today. Both were on the scene this morning and the Board met in the Governor's office at 9 o'clock.

However it developed that there was considerable confusion in the minds of several of the members of the Board as to some of the terms offered by representatives of the several towns at the hearing some weeks ago.

Adjutant General T. R. Robertson of the North Carolina National Guard, issued commissions today for S. A. Reeder as first lieutenant and R. V. Ladd as second lieutenant of Company K, First Infantry, Asheville.

Game Warden Upchurch of the State Audubon Society says people in this section are getting rather lax in observance of the game laws especially as to the protection of birds other than the strictly game species and that it will require the arrest and prosecution of a number of violators as examples to check this lawlessness. To this end he procured warrants today, for two well known white boys, Herbert and Garland Rogers, for shooting cuckoos.

A big delegation from Wake Forest township, this county, appeared before the Wake Commissioners to press a petition for the removal of the Wake Highway Commission created by the last Legislature for misconduct in office in that they have opened a new road in the township, leading to Wake Forest against the protest of over ninety per cent of the citizens and closed up two other important roads to make a semblance of excuse for the new road. N. Y. Gully, dean of the law school at Wake Forest, and S. G. Ryan appeared as attorneys for the petitioners to press the removal of the Commission. No action is yet taken but it is understood that the majority of the Board favor sustaining the Highway Commission in its action.

An order placing Joseph Bros. of Goldsboro, in involuntary bankruptcy has been signed by Judge Purnell of the Federal Court and Deputy United States Marshal Ward has gone to Goldsboro to serve the document. The firm assigned some days ago naming H. C. Smith assignee and dissatisfied creditors instituted the proceeding to force the business into the bankruptcy court. The hearing will be in Raleigh July 5.

Open Branch Office Here.
It is announced in Raleigh that Mr. J. E. O'Donnell, State manager will open a branch office of the National Cash Register Company, of Detroit, Mich., in this city. Mr. John B. Stronach will be in charge of the office here and he will be assisted by Mr. M. Giersch. It is stated that he office will be opened here Monday.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—When You Earn Money.
Atlantic National Bank—It Might Interest You.
C. C. Covington Co.—New Molasses.
Business Locals.
Wanted—First Class White Barber.
Magnolia Club—Special Meeting.
W. M. Cumming—Front Street Store.
W. M. Cumming—Desirable Residence for Rent.
Lost—Gold Locket and Chain.
Carolina Yacht Club—Attention, Owners.
Mechanics Home Ass'n—New Series Stenographer—Position Wanted.
Wanted—Furnished Room.

CLUB SOCIAL AT BEACH POLICE EXCURSION

Hanover Seaside Organization Gave Delightful Affair Last Night at Their Pretty Home on Wrightsville Beach—Prizes Awarded.

Hanover Seaside Club yesterday and last night at their pretty club house on Wrightsville Beach gave a delightful social affair to its members and a few invited guests, the occasion having been one of the most pleasant of the season at that popular resort. The halls and rooms of the club house were prettily decorated and during the evening a number of pleasant diversions were provided for those in attendance. The affair was in charge of the House Committee, composed of Messrs. William Tiencken, chairman; Henry Gieschen, E. H. Schulken and J. D. Doshier, Jr., and to them all present are indebted for a most delightful affair.

Excellent music was furnished during the evening by the Seashore Hotel Orchestra and dancing was the pastime for many of the young people from 8:30 to 11:30 o'clock.

During the day and evening there were two bowling contests, one for ladies, the other for gentlemen. In that for gentlemen the first prize, a handsome hammock, was won by Mr. Adolph Ahrens in a score of 30 out of a possible 30. The second prize, a box of cigars, went to Mr. Hardy Schulken, who made 28 out of a possible 30.

UP-TO-DATE ESTABLISHMENT

Messrs. W. R. Morrison & Co., Open Shaving Parlors on Market Street.

Wilmington has something new and up-to-date in attractive shaving parlors just opened by Messrs. W. R. Morrison & Co., at No. 107 Market street. The establishment has been fitted with the latest and most modern accessories to a first-class establishment of this kind and the patronage promises to be quite large. Neither money nor pains have been spared to make the place pretty and attractive and the service equal to that of any city in the South.

THE FLORENCE DEPOT

Plans Prepared by Messrs. Leitner & Wilkins, of Wilmington.

The plans for the new passenger station of the Atlantic Coast Line at Florence, S. C., have been completed by Messrs. Leitner & Wilkins, architects of this city, and the Florence people are delighted with the prospects of a very handsome structure. The station will cover almost an entire square in its east and west extensions and will be of pressed brick, with Indiana limestone trimmings and tile roof. The second floor will be occupied by the division offices at Florence, and the first floor with sheds will be devoted to the passenger service. It will be steam heated, all the apparatus for this being in the basement. It is understood that work on the new station will begin in the near future.

NEW BUSINESS AT NAVASSA.

Kirby Drew & Co. Purchase Mercantile Interests of Robbins Bros.

Mr. A. S. Kirby, of Phoenix, and Mr. W. P. Drew, a popular young business man of this city, for the past 18 months or more city salesman for Morris Bear & Bro., have purchased the mercantile interest of Messrs. Robbins Brothers at Navassa, and will considerably enlarge and improve the business. Mr. Drew leaves today to take charge of the Navassa store, while Mr. Kirby will continue the business at Phoenix. Both are very popular and efficient young business men and will succeed with the new venture. The two stores will be within two and a half miles of each other, but will be managed independently by Messrs. Kirby and Drew. The style of the firm at Navassa in which Mr. Drew will be interested will be Kirby, Drew & Co.

AROUND THE CITY HALL

No Police Court Yesterday—No Arrests Since Wednesday Morning.

The liquor-drinking population and other frequenters of the police court have been on their good behavior the past two days, not a single arrest having been made since early Wednesday morning. Yesterday's session of the municipal court was set for 10 o'clock but as there were no cases for trial, everybody adjourned to the beach, going down on the 11 o'clock boat.

POLICE EXCURSION

Hundreds of Jolly Blue Coats and Their Friends on Annual Outing

CAROLINA BEACH YESTERDAY

Dinner Given by Capt. Jno. W. Harper to Men of Force and Their Guests—Prize Awards in Athletic and Target Matches.

Save the one unfortunate incident in the accident to the little son of Officer E. R. Chadwick, an account of which is given elsewhere in today's paper, nothing occurred yesterday to mar the perfect success of the annual outing of the Wilmington Police Department at Carolina Beach. The crowd was large—unusually large—thirteen hundred tickets having been taken on the four trips of the steamer Wilmington during the day. The jolly boys in blue, their wives, sweethearts, children and friends were there in overwhelming majority and the day was most pleasantly spent. The weather was ideal for an occasion of the kind and everything passed off most successfully, the committee in charge having acquitted itself with rare credit. The last boat reached the city last night at 12 o'clock and everywhere there were expressions of gratitude from the officers of the force to Capt. John W. Harper for the delightful outing, the perfect success of which could not have been possible without his kindly co-operation.

The first boat left the city at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning and the three decks of the handsome steamer were alive with people bound to the scene of the festivities. The same was true of the 11 o'clock boat and again at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M., the crowds going with never ending volume all day. The crowd was larger, jollier and in better humor than ever before on an occasion of the kind. The excursion was a big success from start to finish. The event of the day aside from the set features of the outing was the annual dinner given by Captain Harper to the men of the force and city officials who were the special guests of the officers. This was served in the restaurant in the pavilion by Mrs. J. W. Baskins and it was a delightful affair in every respect. Around the table were assembled the men of the force, a number of the Aldermen and city officials and ex-Mayor A. M. Waddell. Mayor Springer was detained by a pressing business engagement and did not reach the beach until the arrival of the afternoon boat. Captain T. D. Meares presided as toastmaster and after a most delicious meal of the delicacies of the sea and shore had been made and when cigars had been passed around, Captain Meares called upon ex-Mayor Waddell, who responded in a happy address, paying high tribute to the men who compose the police force of Wilmington and felicitating upon the great success of their annual outing. The annual dinner was a delightful affair in every respect.

Not only did the officers and their special guests feast themselves but the wants of everyone were looked after in fine style. Free lunches consisting of sandwiches, lemonade, cake, etc., was served gratis in the pavilion and no one had excuse for being without pleasurable refreshment for "the inner man." A band of music was provided during the day and both day and night there was dancing by the "sad sea waves" to heart's content.

Colonel C. H. White, assistant city clerk and treasurer; Alderman W. A. French, Jr., and Captain T. D. Meares were the judges of the various contests for the day and performed their work well and to the eminent satisfaction of all. The only contest not finished before night was that on the provided during the day and both day and night; Officer G. R. Holt 214; Officer M. C. Gray 213; Officer E. Piner 155. The prizes were four in number in their order as follows; Box cigars by E. S. Capps; set of knives and forks by Alderman Rathjen; Sweater by M. Rosenmann, and one-half dozen half hose by J. W. H. Fuchs. These prizes will be decided when all the scores are handed in to the committee.

The various contests took place immediately after dinner, and were witnessed by a very large crowd along the beach in front of the pavilion and on the shooting range at the gun club traps. The first event was a rifle shoot at 100 yards and the prizes were awarded as follows:
First Prize—Sergeant C. W. Woolard, pair of shoes from Alderman W. A. French, Jr.
Second prize—Policeman D. W. Coleman, an umbrella from Mr. A. D. Brown.
Third Prize—Policeman Alex Wells, a safety razor from Mr. R. E. Blake.
Fourth Prize—Sergeant C. S. Burnett, a hat from Messrs. J. M. Solky & Co.

The next event was the 30-yard pistol shoot and resulted in first honors as follows:
First Prize—Policeman E. R. Chadwick, an eight-day clock from Mr. W. J. Bradshaw, and a dozen photographs from Mr. F. Titmus.
Second Prize—Policeman W. R.

SMALL BOY IS INJURED

Little Son of Policeman E. R. Chadwick Badly Injured on Excursion at Carolina Beach Yesterday Afternoon—Sent Hospital.

James Chadwick, ten years old, a son of Policeman and Mrs. E. R. Chadwick, living near Seventh and Harnett streets, was painfully if not fatally injured, yesterday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock at Carolina Beach during the police excursion. The train was preparing to leave the beach for the pier to connect with the evening trip of the steamer, and was backing up to the hotel steps for the crowd that expected to board the cars from there. The little fellow, out for a day's amusement, was following the train and amusing himself by jumping on and off the moving car. As the steps of the hotel were approached the boy in some way fell and was caught between the running board on the side of the car and the hotel steps. He was rolled between the two as if he were a pencil between the palms of one's hands. The large number of people on the beach saw the accident and gave the alarm so that the car was stopped in short order, but not before the boy was fearfully crushed in the back and stomach. Officer E. H. Dement, Sergeant C. S. Burnett and Constable W. B. Savage were the first to reach the boy and they tore out one of the planks binding the boy by sheer physical force while some one lifted the little sufferer into the hotel, where Dr. C. T. Harper attended him. Dr. Harper gave the boy all the relief possible, and does not think wounds are fatal, but, of course, cannot tell when internal injuries will develop.

It was too late to bring the lad up on the boat reaching here at 7:30 o'clock yesterday evening, but he was brought up last night, and taken out to the hospital, where he is being given every attention by Dr. Harper and the hospital surgeons. The father of the boy had the sympathy of everyone at the beach, the accident occurring on a day when all members of the force were out with their families and friends for a day of pleasure. Only last Summer Officer Chadwick lost a little son by drowning at or near Hilton Park.

Annual Inventory Sale.

For the past five years the Polvogt Company, North Front street, have held each season an annual inventory sale. At this time of the year just before they begin to measure and count stock the Polvogt people conduct this sale and convert merchandise into cash rather than to carry stock even the store is now decorated for this annual sale which will begin on Monday of the coming week and last ten days. Besides giving greatly reduced prices the store during this sale will give double trading stamps to all who make cash purchases. In Sunday's paper will appear a large page advertisement giving full particulars of the great offerings during this sale.

Feature Films at Academy.

The Academy Five-Cent Theatre will have a change of all new films today and the offering will be found quite attractive. In the list are "History of a Pair of Trousers," a comic diversion; "The Invisible Men," a startling optical illusion; "Cake Walk in Our Alley," a juvenile feature; "Making Champagne," a history of a great industry in all of its interesting stages, and "Looking for Lodging," a feature film. "The house is cooled by electric fans and illustrated songs are presented as an additional attraction to the ordinary moving picture show.

Smith, a cake from Mrs. G. W. Lindner.

Third Prize—Policeman E. Piner, an umbrella from Mr. A. Shrier.
Fourth Prize—Policeman Alex Wells, half dozen pairs of socks from the A. David Company.
Then came the 100-yard dash and in this race Police Chief Williams came out victorious. The result was as follows:
First Prize—Chief N. J. Williams, a pair of shoes from Messrs. Hewlett & Price.
Second Prize—Policeman M. P. Newton, a rocking chair from Messrs. G. D. Phares & Co.
Third Prize—Policeman Leon George, a set of knives and forks from Alderman Martin Rathjen.
Fourth Prize—Policeman E. Piner, half dozen pairs of socks from the A. David Company.
The chicken striking contest was the most interesting of the events of the day, and created much amusement. The prizes were awarded as follows:
First Prize—Policeman J. S. Lane, umbrella from I. Shrier.
Second Prize—Policeman J. H. Dew, hat from L. W. Davis.
Third Prize—Policeman D. W. Coleman, gold stick pin from F. A. Bissinger.
Fourth Prize—Policeman E. Piner, case by Mrs. Thos. D. Meares.

—R. E. Lee, Esq., of Lumberton, accompanied by his little son, is in the city on professional business.

There is only one authorized Keeley Institute in North Carolina, and that is located at Greensboro. We fr su

BONDED WAREHOUSE

Disappointment that Hon. E. D. Smith of South Carolina was Not Present

MEETING IN COURT HOUSE

President C. C. Moore and Chairman A. J. McKinnon, of Executive Committee of Southern Cotton Association, Present.

There was much disappointment among business men last night that Hon. E. D. Smith, General Organizer of the Southern Cotton Association, did not reach the city and speak to them at the Court House on the bonded warehouse plan, as had been expected. Mr. Smith was to have joined President C. C. Moore and Mr. A. J. McKinnon, chairman of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Division, here but he failed to do so and the fact that no word was received from him is construed to mean that there was some misunderstanding as to the date.

President Moore and Mr. McKinnon arrived yesterday afternoon on the Seaboard Air Line train from Maxton and Lumberton, and were heard with much interest by a goodly number of business men at the Court House. This was in spite of several counter attractions at both beaches and the hot, sultry weather.

The meeting was called to order shortly after 9 o'clock by President, J. A. Taylor, of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, who regretted the absence of Mr. Smith and pleasantly introduced Mr. McKinnon, laying emphasis on the importance of the movement championed by the distinguished visitors.

Mr. McKinnon thanked Mr. Taylor for his kindly references and spoke conversationally but earnestly in behalf of the great cause of the cotton grower in the South. The abolition of the bucket shop in several of the Southern States was spoken of as one of the great achievements of the Association, and the speaker paid deserved tribute to its president, Harvie Jordan. Mr. McKinnon was given close attention and received applause at the conclusion of his remarks, which he said were at random and in no wise prepared.

Mr. Taylor prefaced an introduction of Mr. Moore with a discussion of the cotton situation according to his personal view, making a plea for more care in preparing the staple for market and more intelligence in marketing the product. The speaker paid a high tribute to Mr. Moore in presenting him to the audience.

Mr. Moore is well known and popular in Wilmington. His approach to the speaker's table was greeted with enthusiastic applause. He came to his subject, he said, with trepidation, because it was one of such great importance. He had so much hoped to have present Mr. Smith, who was nearer equal to the occasion. The bonded warehouse plan he regarded as of more importance even than the proposition to make Wilmington a great water gateway, as necessary as was the latter project, not only to the city, but to the State. Mr. Moore began with the inception of the Southern Cotton Association and told of the men who were behind this movement, fraught with so much importance to the South. He showed that these men were not idealists or sentimentalists; they were all business men and were inspired by a desire to do their country good.

Mr. Moore briefly explained the holding company plan and said if called for the co-operation of the intelligent business man. He had just returned from five points in Robeson county at each of which a committee of good citizens was in charge of the organization of holding companies, but they all wanted to know what Wilmington was going to do. The idea was to hold the staple in the interior for a satisfactory price if possible; if not, to stop the cotton at the ports. It would require half a million dollars to afford adequate protection. He invited questions in regard to the movement.

Mr. Taylor asked if the movement for holding companies was not general, would it be effective?
Mr. Moore explained that the movement would be general and entirely effective, and told of the efforts being made throughout the South. Any curtailment of the crop would result in advancing prices, and moreover these bonded warehouses would be a very paying investment for the stockholders.

Mr. Taylor further questioned Mr. Moore as to the effect if prices were advanced by the spinners to the maximum, what would be the need of the capital for the warehouse.
Mr. Moore explained that the charter would provide for this emergency, and the affairs of the institution would be in the hands of business men, who would be well able to take care of such an emergency.
Mr. Moore brought along his package of "dry goods samples," and illustrated the relative value of cotton as between the raw product and the

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