

OUTLINES.

The \$27,530 purse of Futurity race at Sheephead Bay, N. Y., yesterday, was won in the presence of 3,500 spectators by James R. Keen's two year old colt, Colin, son of Commando; there were seven horses in the race and Colin made it in 1:11 1/5, making a new record; the Keen stables have won enormous sums in this year's races—At Asheville, N. C., yesterday Hugh Postelle, a young man 21 years old shot and killed his cousin Edward Edwards, after a quarrel over some family trouble; the young man lived in the same house, and as the shooting did not appear to be justifiable Postelle was arrested and held in jail on a charge of murder—The quarrel over social matters among the officials of the Jamestown Exposition was supposed to have been settled harmoniously but yesterday Director General Barr declared that somebody had been guilty of a breach of faith in giving out the details of the settlement of the trouble; this may bring on another controversy—Prince Wilhelm of Sweden was shown social attention in a variety of ways in New York yesterday, among his entertainers being Melville E. Stone, of the Associated Press—The Prohibitionists in Maryland have nominated William Gisriell, a Baltimore business man, for Governor—Great Britain and Russia have signed a treaty regulating their interests in Tibet, Afghanistan and Persia; Great Britain is to open north Persia to enterprise and Russia will exploit south Persia—An alarming report comes from Laurens county, S. C., that the Texas boll weevil has made its appearance; it is feared the crops will be ravaged by the insects—New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans nominal; spot cotton, holiday; also holiday as to other markets.

R there, Oyster!

It is leaking out all around that in his speeches Secretary Taft has said nothing that is binding.

The promise of revision by the Republican friends of the tariff is entitled to serious derision.

A thousand Jones or Joneses attended a reunion of the Jones family in West Virginia a few days ago. If any stray politicians ran upon that aggregation it is safe to say that they talked Jones to the Joneses all day.

An esteemed contemporary wants to know what kind of a hoodoo is pursuing the Jamestown Exposition. Hoodoo, nothing. A close search will reveal the fact that one or more freaks have gotten into authority.

A North Carolina law makes an offender liable to a fine of \$25 for taking a drink of intoxicants on a train. Between us two and the water-cooler, how much would you owe North Carolina if a constable had happened along and caught you?

Why should "certain malefactors of great wealth" rave? No newspaper has had an account that during seven years of trust busting a single malefactor of that description has had to kick against any actual incarceration in jail. Take it easy.

It is announced that "Vice President Fairbanks is en route to the Pacific coast to take part in the Irrigation Congress." The water-wagon will not necessarily be in evidence while the subject of irrigation is being considered.

Now comes a story that there is a rice famine in Japan, and that thousands of peasants are destitute, and starving in consequence of the recent disastrous floods. The American rice trust will hardly fail to take advantage of this circumstance in order to put up the price again.

It is now a fad to have comet parties and stay up till 3 o'clock A. M. to get a glimpse of the celestial wanderer. This gives Wilmington married men one more chance for liberty. They can explain where they have "been all this time" by claiming that they have been to a stag comet party.

North Carolina would like to have more of those Scotchmen who are coming to this country in greater numbers than for many years. During the past fiscal immigrant year, 26,000 persons sailed from the Clyde to settle in the United States and Canada.

A correspondent writing from Watauga county to the Alleghany Star, Spray, N. C., says: "Our farmers have just finished harvesting the finest hay crops for years. The price is rather high, some have sold their entire crop for 75 cents per hundred." If hay raising is profitable away up in the mountains, why would it not be immensely so in eastern North Carolina, where the production is much greater than in the mountain country?

THREE GOOD GAMES

Tripleheader Again Yesterday in City Baseball League at Hilton Park.

GAMES FOR TO-MORROW

Monarchs Defeat Y. M. C. A. and Rattlers Take Two From the Giants. Contests in the Southside League—Large Attendance.

Yesterday's Results.
Rattlers, 2; Giants, 0.
Rattlers, 4; Giants, 3.
Y. M. C. A., 3; Monarchs, 4.

Standing of the Clubs.
Y. M. C. A. 8 3 .727
Monarchs 7 6 .538
Giants 6 9 .461
Rattlers 5 8 .384

Three games of seven innings each were played in the City Baseball League yesterday. In the first game the Monarchs defeated the Y. M. C. A. in a score of 4 to 3 and in the two games between the Rattlers and Giants, the first named were victorious in each. All the scores were low and the exhibitions were first class.

The defeat administered to the Y. M. C. A. is the third it has received this season, the Monarchs having made a garrisonian finish with two runs in the sixth inning, which gave them the game.

The Score—R H E
Y. M. C. A. 20 10 0 0 3 5 7
Monarchs 0 10 0 1 2 4 3 5
Batteries—Irving and Jewell; Green and Moore. Struck out: by Irving 6, by Green 6. Passed ball: Jewell 1, Moore 1. Time, 1:15. Umpire, Mr. Moore.

The two last games between the Rattlers and the Giants were featured by the fine work of Quinney on the slab. In the first twelve of the four-teen innings of both games, he yielded not a hit and allowed but two in the doubleheader between the teams. He had good support and that tells the story of the undoing of the Giants.

The Score—R H E
Giants 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Rattlers 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 8 2
Batteries—Gore and Seifert; Quinney and Houston. Struck out: by Quinney 10, by Gore 5. Base on balls: of Gore 1. Time, 55 minutes. Umpire, Mr. King.

The second game between the two teams was featured by a sensational catch in one hand by Davis in left field for the Rattlers. A failure of this difficult catch might have meant victory perched on the banner of the rivals, but the man in the field was equal to the occasion.

The Score—R H E
Giants 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 3 2 8
Rattlers 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 2 6
Batteries—Wilkinson and Seifert; Quinney and Houston. Struck out: by Quinney 10, by Wilkinson 5. Passed ball: Seifert 1, Houston 2. Time, 1 hour, Umpire, King.

In the Southside League there were also two interesting games yesterday and a large crowd was in attendance. The Union Leaders defeated the Gray Eagles, eight to five, and the Cotton Mills team defeated the Wilmington team, nine to two.

For all lovers of the sport there will be something doing at Hilton Park tomorrow, Labor Day. There will be two games that afternoon at 3 and 5 o'clock, respectively between the Y. M. C. A. and Monarchs.

Savannah Naval Stores Market. Savannah, Aug. 31.—Spirits turpentine firm 54; sales reported, 562; receipts, 939; shipments, 414. Rosin, firm; sales reported, 2,915; receipts, 2,548; shipments, 5,838; stock, 76,608. Quote: A, B, C, 3.90; D, 4.05; E, 4.30@4.35; F, 4.55; G, 4.60@4.75; I, 4.80@4.85; K, 5.25@5.35; M, 5.50@5.60; N, 6.00; W, G, 6.20; W, W, 6.30.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Keeley Institute—Endorsement.
D. L. Gore Co.—William Tell Flour.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Continuation of Sale.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Belts and Handbags.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Honorable Clothes.

Business Locals.
For Sale—Motor Boat.
Wanted—A Colored Boy.
J. Ellwood—Girl Wanted.
Lost—Knight Templar Pin.
For Sale—Ten-Horse Farm.
Wanted—Reliable Salesman.
For Rent—Furnished Room.
Lost—Two Five-Dollar Bills.
For Rent—Furnished Room.
To Let—Unfurnished Rooms.
Wanted—Traveling Salesmen.
Wanted—Good Reliable Cook.
M. C. Darby & Co.—For Rent.
For Sale—Large Steam Heater.
Lost—Envelope Containing Money.
J. J. Darby—Marsh Poles for Sale.
For Sale—Intelligent Pointer Puppy.
Red Cross Vinegar Co.—Traveling Salesmen.
California Cider & Ex. Co.—Salesmen Wanted.
Wanted—To Buy Grocery or Merchandise Business.
Lumina Today.
Two concerts—afternoon and evening.

LICENSED TO PRACTICE

Fifty-One Out of Seventy-One Applicants Before Supreme Court Were Successful—Three From New Hanover Among Embryos.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 31.—Fifty-one out of seventy-one applicants for law license who stood the examination before the North Carolina Supreme Court Monday passed successfully. Following are the Eastern Carolina licensees: William L. Vaughan, Halifax; Claude R. Whitely, Carteret; James F. Wooten, Lenoir; Jas. E. Skintsig, Wake; Edwin B. Josey, Halifax; Edmond F. Ward, Wake; Walter J. Hooks, Johnston; Edward A. Hammond, Jones; Jesse C. Smith, Martin; Julius W. Bunn, Wake; TH. Lett Hendric, Wake; Hubert A. Jones, Wake; Woodberry Lennon, Robeson; Charles L. Sykes, Wake; Wm. M. Bond, Jr., Chowan; Jas. F. Cochran, Martin; Francis A. Cox, Edgecombe; Albert L. Cox, Edgecombe; J. B. Cheshire, Jr., Wake; Lemuel C. Grant, New Hanover; Irvin F. Goodard, Beaufort; Guy C. Moore, Lenoir; Jas. A. Shaw, Robeson; William M. P. Turner, Wake; Francis E. Thomas, Anson; Jasper P. Wiggins, Robeson; Robert B. Williams, Wake; Arthur B. Vam-Buren, New Hanover; John G. Hannah, Chatham; Edgar A. Simpkins, Wayne; Paul Webb, Curhage; John W. Davenport, Bertie; Kemp B. Nixon, Lincoln; Gilbert H. Russel, Scotland.

LUMBERTON NEWS NOTES

Woodmen Enjoy Picnic—Building Improvements—Water Courses Low. (Special Star Correspondence.)
Lumberton, N. C., August 31.—Raft Swamp Camp, Woodmen of the World, gave a picnic at Raft Swamp Church, six miles from here, yesterday. It was largely attended and those who went from Lumberton report a most enjoyable time. Addresses were made by Rev. J. M. Fleming and Messrs. E. M. Britt and E. G. Clapher, all of Lumberton.

Mrs. Mary A. Caldwell, mother of Mrs. R. D. Caldwell, has been very sick for several days and is not expected to survive much longer without an early change. Lumber River is the lowest it has been in several years, notwithstanding the great amount of rain that has fallen during the summer. Many fine trout are now being caught by bobbing. One fisherman hooked enough after midnight one night this week to bring him \$5.40. Mill men are experiencing much trouble in floating logs on account of the low water. Among other improvements which are being made around town is the enlargement of the Shaw building occupied by Messrs. J. H. Wishart and H. C. Boylin. An addition of 40 feet in length is being added. Messrs. White & Gough, who recently purchased three brick stores from Mr. L. Shaw will add much to the appearance of the building by adding a third story, putting in glass fronts and lengthening the building thirty feet. Several Woodmen went to Fairmont Wednesday night where they instituted a new camp of the order, initiating 25 charter members. Dr. Jay, who it will be remembered killed his children in Asheville, two or three years ago, is one of the convicts engaged in building the new railroad from here to Hope Mills. He is said to be one among the very best laborers on the work. Miss Cammie McNeill, youngest daughter of ex-Judge and Mrs. T. A. McNeill, who has been very ill for several weeks, does not improve as her friends would like.

STEAMER MENZELL ASHORE

Drifted Out of Channel at Reeve's Point—Wreck Reported. The big tramp steamer Marie Menzell, while proceeding up the river Friday afternoon under her own steam with a large cargo of fertilizer constituents for this port, swung out of the channel at Reeve's Point, 18 miles below Wilmington, and is still hard and fast ashore and it will be necessary to lighter part of her cargo before she is floated. The tug Sea King, Captain Edgar D. Williams, pulled on the big steamer Friday night and again yesterday, but she was in such a position that nothing could be done toward getting her into deep water again. Captain Williams will lighter the cargo today and it is expected that she will then come off without further trouble.

A report reached the city at an early hour yesterday morning that a three-masted schooner was ashore on Cape Lookout shoals and the Sea King had prepared to leave at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon to her rescue, but she was engaged with the Menzell and could not get away.

DR. BERNHEIM HERE.

Former Pastor of St. Matthew's Church and St. Paul's to Preach. Rev. G. D. Bernheim, D. D., of Charlotte, formerly pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and afterwards of St. Matthews English Lutheran Church in this city, is here on a pleasant visit to relatives and former friends, and will preach to both his former congregations today, at St. Matthew's at 11 o'clock. No doubt many friends of Dr. Bernheim will be present at the morning service to hear him. It is understood that there will be no services at St. Paul's and many of that congregation are expected.

COTTON YEAR CLOSED

Interesting Statistics of The Port For Twelve Months Ended With Yesterday.

PORT HAS HELD ITS OWN

Receipts From Three States Handled Through Wilmington—Year's Doing in American and Foreign Shipping—The Showing.

Yesterday closed the cotton crop year at all the ports and the statisticians have just completed their labors of giving to the world the figures of the crop of 1906-1907. At Wilmington the receipts for the year differ very little from those of the year before, which goes to show that although the crop was short, the Wilmington exporters and commission men were well able to hold their own if, indeed, they have not taken advanced ground during the year.

Col. John L. Cantwell, statistician of the port, has just completed his compilation of statistics in regard to the cotton movement at Wilmington, and from these figures some interesting deductions may be drawn. The receipts for the crop year ended August 31st this year were 322,668 bales, against 324,706 for the crop year of 1905-1906. The territory from which this large volume of cotton was drawn is interestingly told in the following table:

From	Bales.
North Carolina	146,047
South Carolina	158,182
Georgia	18,439
Total	322,668

The exports were 326,702 bales, including both coastwise and foreign. The domestic, including inland and local consumption, amounted to only 9,195 bales, while the foreign exports reached the total sum of 317,507 bales. Of these foreign exports, 125,242 bales went to Great Britain, and 192,265 bales went to France and the Continent.

The value of the cotton industry to Wilmington is hardly appreciated to the extent that it should, from the fact that all this great volume is handled by one firm, Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. It contributes quite one-half to the shipping interest of the port as may be seen from the annual report of Capt. Edgemoor Williams, harbor master, which was also completed yesterday for the year ended August 31st. There were 306 vessels of 90 tons and over entered at the port for the year, their aggregate tonnage, net, being 332,249. Of these vessels 240 were American and 66 foreign, divided as follows:

American	Foreign
134 steamships, 162,359 tons; one barque, 348 tons; three brigs, 1,089 tons; 11 barges, 7,650 tons; and 92 schooners, 43,631 tons. Total tonnage, 223,077.	55 steamships, 105,641 tons; three barques, 1,961 tons; eight schooners, 1,570 tons. Total tonnage, 109,172.

This record of shipping compares very favorably with the compilation of last year, there being a good increase in several classes of the vessels now trading at this port.

REVENUE CUTTER SERVICE.

Examination for Cadetship at Custom House Here September 9th.

It is announced that there will be an examination for appointment as cadet in the Revenue Cutter Service in the Custom House, this city, on the 9th of September, conducted by officers of the Revenue Cutter Seminole. The examination is open to all young men, unmarried, between the ages of 18 and 24 years, who can produce satisfactory evidence of good moral character and pass the physical examination required by the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service. The candidate will be required to obligate himself to serve at least three years as an officer in the service, after graduation, if his services be so long required. The height of candidates must be at least 5 feet, 4 inches stripped, and the physical examination must be a near approach to perfect. The examination will require about four days, and will embrace the subjects spelling, arithmetic as far as high school text books, geometry, plane and solid, plane trigonometry, geography as comprised in grammar school textbooks, world's history and constitution of United States as comprised in high school textbooks, physics, grammar, rhetoric, composition and English literature with one modern language and general information. The salary of cadet is \$500 per year, and one commuted ration per day. Further information may be had by applying to any officer of the service.

Anson Went Dry.

According to best information received from Wadesboro last night, Anson county went dry in the local option election there yesterday. No figures were obtainable up to the hour the telegraph office at Wadesboro closed. While Wadesboro had saloons the election was in the whole county as to whether or not there should be liquor sold in the county seat town. The campaign had been a heated one, lasting several weeks.

Lumina Today.
Two concerts—afternoon and evening.

LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

All Arrangements Completed for Elaborate Observation on Wrightsville Beach—Parade in City Tomorrow Morning.

All arrangements have been completed for the elaborate celebration of Labor Day by the allied trades unions of the city on Monday. There will be a general suspension of business for the day and the people are expected to turn out en masse for the exercises at Wrightsville Beach. The only feature of the celebration in Wilmington will be the parade of organized labor during the morning along the principal streets of the city, immediately after which cars will be boarded for the further festivities at the beach.

The parade will form in front of the City Hall and will be headed by a platoon of police and Hollowbush's Concert Band. It will move promptly under the direction of Mr. Joseph H. Curtis, chief marshal, along the following route: Up Third to Red Cross street; thence down to Front, up to Orange, to Fourth, to Market, to Second, to Princess and down Princess to the junction, where the cars will be boarded at 10:30 o'clock. The order of the parade will be about as follows:

First Section—Platoon of Police, Hollowbush's Concert Band, Electrical Wire Workers, Plumbers' Union, Tinners' Union, Fire Apparatus, Painters and Decorators, Typographical Union, Pressmen's Union, Machinists' Union, Fire Apparatus, Marine Engineers, A. F. of L. Federal Union, Ship Carpenters, Fire Apparatus, Carpenters and Joiners of America.

Second Section—Second Regiment Band, O. W. Bailey, chief marshal; Carpenters and Joiners, Bricklayers and Plasterers, Ship Caulkers, Longshoremen.

The following aides to the chief marshal have been appointed to have in charge their respective organizations: J. L. Sutton, Electrical Workers; O. W. Genuast, Plumbers' Union; C. B. Capps, Tinners' Union; Joseph Capps, Painters and Decorators; H. E. Hewett, Typographical Union; W. S. Mintz, Pressmen's Union; M. Craig, Machinists; J. W. Fales, A. F. of L. Federal; J. L. Barker, Ship Carpenters; W. J. Hart, Carpenters and Joiners. Second Section, O. W. Bailey, chief; Carpenters and Joiners, T. H. Devane, Bricklayers and Plasterers, Robert Scott, Andrew Pearce, Ship Caulkers; B. W. Hill, Longshoremen; J. H. Bryant, assistant.

Upon arriving at the beach the party will at once repair to The Casino, where the annual address will be delivered by F. W. Bonitz, Esq., who will be introduced by Chairman J. Lem King, of the arrangement committee, who will preside.

The athletic contests will begin with the bicycle races at 2 P. M. on the beach. The mile race will come first and for this there are the following entries: Messrs. Clarence Davis, Lang Sellers, Lutte Croom, Marvin Craig, and "Chunks" Costin. The prize is \$3 in cash.

The next event will be the half-mile bicycle race for which the entries are the same and the prize is \$3 in cash. The racers are making headquarters at the Union Cycle Company, Duncan & Hodges, proprietors, and they have arranged a quarter-mile race on the side. The entries are Will Houston, Will Baldwin and others. Bicycles for the races should be at the freight depot in time to catch the 10 o'clock car.

The next race will be the swimming race in Banks' Channel for which there is a prize of \$5 in cash first, and second prize of \$3. This will be at 4 P. M.

The running races are scheduled to follow immediately. The prizes are \$2.50 each for one-hundred-yard dash and quarter-mile.

All entries for these contests are requested to report to W. R. Doshier at Lumina 30 minutes before the start of each event.

There will be music and dancing all day at Lumina and free lemonade for the crowds. The Consolidated Company has prepared to handle the crowds with comfort and dispatch.

CUTTING AFFRAY LAST NIGHT.

Messrs. Ed. Russ and E. B. Campbell Had a Run-in on The Green. The streets were agog early last night with a report that there had been a serious cutting affray between Messrs. Ed. Russ and E. B. Campbell, well known young white men about town, on the postoffice green, near Front street. The facts were, as far as could be learned, that the young men had quarreled in a saloon and had gone outside to settle their differences. It is stated that as the men went on the green and were about to go together that Campbell whipped out a knife and began striking Russ, who was painfully cut in the left forearm. Campbell then made himself scarce and the police were unable to find either of the men until the injured man had been taken to the hospital and returned down town, when Campbell re-appeared and the difficulty was renewed. Policeman D. W. Willis, on the postoffice beat, then appeared on the scene and arrested the two. The injured man gave \$20 cash bond for his appearance before the Mayor Monday at noon on a charge of affray and Campbell was locked up on the double charge of engaging in an affray and an assault with a deadly weapon.

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NEWS FROM RALEIGH

Col. Henry C. Dockery President of North Carolina State Farmers' Association.

CRUSIER'S SILVER SERVICE

Committee Meets on Tuesday—Affairs of State Division of Cotton Association—Labor Day Proclamation—Oldest Confederate.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 31.—General satisfaction is expressed at the election of Henry C. Dockery, of Rockingham, Richmond county, as president of the North Carolina State Farmers' Convention, which has just closed its fifth annual sessions here. He succeeds Hon. Ashley Horne, of Clayton. Mr. Dockery is an extensive and very successful farmer, and has long been identified with all the public movements that have been inaugurated for the betterment of the farming interests of the State. He was for several terms United States marshal for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

Chairman Franklin McNeill and Chief Clerk Henry C. Brown, of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, have returned from Washington and New York, where they attended the hearing of Standing Master W. A. Montgomery in the suit by the Southern Railway testing the constitutionality of the North Carolina 2 1/4 cent passenger rate act. They return to Washington next Wednesday for the resumption of the hearing Thursday morning. Chairman McNeill says good progress is being made, and that he feels that the State is making a good showing in the establishment of the contention that the railroads can well afford to apply the reduced rate.

Judge B. F. Long is spending today and Sunday here on his way from Wayne county court at Goldsboro to the Harnett court at Lillington.

Next Tuesday there is to be a conference in this city of the Legislative committee for the selection and presentation of the silver service to be presented by the State to the battleship North Carolina, now under construction at the Newport Navy yards. The committee consists of President Winston of the Senate, Speaker Justice of the House of Representatives, Senator John C. Drewry and Representative Charles U. Harris and Foster Hankins, the latter of Lexington. It is expected that Lieutenant Victor Blue, of the United States Navy, will attend to represent the Navy Department in the conference. It is probable that the design for the silver service will be selected and the contract awarded at this meeting.

President C. C. Moore, of the North Carolina Division of the Southern Cotton Association, who has been here several days attending the State Farmers' Convention for the study of improved methods of farming, says the movement for cotton warehouses is making progress, warehouses backed by strong companies being already established at Fayetteville, Maxton, Lumberton, Rowland and two in Cabarrus county. In fact, there are now about twenty of these holding warehouses under way in the State, and whereas last year the association interests could care for only about 100,000 bales, they will be in a position to look out for fully one million bales at the opening of this season. A discouraging feature of the situation is the steadily decreasing financial support that is being accorded the work of the association by the cotton growers. It is a fact that there is at present only twenty dollars in the treasury of the North Carolina Division for the current expenses of the association, which includes the traveling and other expenses of the president of the association.

Governor Glenn issued today his proclamation calling on the people of North Carolina to unite in fitting observance of Monday, September 2nd, as Labor Day.

In Raleigh Monday business houses will be closed all the afternoon and the State offices all day. The Labor Day celebration will be at the State Fair grounds, special features being addresses by Governor R. B. Glenn and State Treasurer B. R. Lacy. Barbecue and Brunswick stew will be served.

A charter is issued for the Greensboro Air Brakes Company, capital \$112,500 authorized, incorporators S. L. Trogden, Neil Ellington, W. Z. Brown and others for the manufacture and sale of a patent air brake for railroad and other cars.

Col. Thos. S. Kenan has presented to the North Carolina Hall of History in connection with the State Museum here a neatly framed woodcut of Henry Parmentro, the oldest living Confederate soldier, as published by the Richmond Times-Dispatch, June 6th, 1907. He was a private in Col. Kenan's regiment, the Forty-Third. He was born in Anson county one hundred and three years ago last January and his wife, who died about two years ago, was older than he. Although exempt from military duty because of advanced age, he enlisted with an Anson company and served throughout the war. His home is at Charlotte. He is said to have never been drunk, but "drums," when he wants to and chews and smokes immoderately. He has drawn a pension for three years and still keeps his garden, chops wood and does chores.

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