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OUTLINES.

Fifty thousand people yesterday par ticipated in the solemn and patriotic ceremonies which attended the unveiling of a handsome monument, the gift Indications of Increased Attendof one million Americans, erected in honor of William McKinley, the martyr president, at the late home of the family in Canton, Ohio; President Roosevelt, Judge Day, Governor Harris and other distinguished men were among the speakers on the notable occasion-It required all day yesterday for the selection of a jury in Wake Superior Court to try Dr. and Mrs. Rowland, charged with the poisoning Enrollment There About 200; At Heof Seaboard Air Line Engineer Chas. R. Strange, the first husband of Mrs. Rowland; the hearing of evidence will begin first thing this morning-Authentic reports seem to indicate that a number of heads of departments of very much in the limelight for the past several days Secretary Root and joined the Harvard football team and entered light practice-It is reported on-Miss Wood, the former government clerk who has been suing United States Senator Thomas C. Platt for several years, vesterday instituted moved off smoothly on the very first suit in the New York court for divorce, claiming that she had been married

The talk about enforcing prohibition in Georgia will be "all moonshine."

vator; oats, spot, steady, mixed 53 1-2;

turpentine and rosin steady.

a division of the actions brought

ouisiana.

If we had only known it in time we

ald give a majority for "prohibition" may be right. Then, again, they

The coal trust never fails to remind us that Winter is coming. It has raised the price of coal 35 cents

It is a pertinent subject, as the water wagons will start on their rounds down there next January.

political parties that they have too field. Mr. Wingate Underhill is prinmany place hunters who are ready cipal. and willing to advocate anything they On Pleasant Mission. think popular.

There is no room for a new party in North Carolina, but there is room for reform in the Democratic party. More conservatism and less radicalism and demagogism is what is

The Rev. Dr. Hillis, of New Engand, declares that "there are forty roads to hell." There are other roads, however, and if you don't want to make any mistake take the ones which will bring you to the land of promise in and around Wilmington.

The schedule of the street cars on Share, Front street is all right, but that on Princess street is all wrong and continues to provoke much energy of expression from those who are inconvenienced. "All things come to him who waits," but sometimes they are so long coming.

Mr. T. W. Clawson, of The Star staff, leaves to-day on a short trip to South Carolina, where he goes to make preliminary arrangements for the development of some mining for tent. property in which he is interested. Like Col. Mulberry Sellers, "Tom" thinks there's "millions in it." The Star trusts his golden dreams may be realized and that he will not forget to bring us a few nuggets when he returns.

ance at the Various Institutions Yesterday.

THE HIGH SCHOOL

menway About 800 and at Union Nearly a Thousand-Members of the Faculty.

The public schools of Wilmington Jamestown Exposition will resign with opened yesterday with every indica-Director General Barr, who has been tion of an increased attendance over that of last year, when they then led party arrived at Mexico City yester- the State in number of children, this day and they were greeted by thous having been considerably ofer 3,000. ands-Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., has This season the enrollment bids fair to exceed even 3,500 pupils. The opthat Governor Comer, of Alabama, has ening yesterday was marked by no forsold his fine plantation of 18,000 acres mality other than the reception and to Booker T. Washington, who intends classification of the students at the to establish colonies of negroes there several institutions. Superintendent Blair and all the teachers and principals were on hand, so that the work

The High School opened with an attendance of 196, which is about an av-Trust Company by the receivers to against about 110 last year. The Junrecover a million and a half dollars or class is probably the largest in the lost through negligence mainly in dis- history of the school and numbers 42. posing of Richmond, Va., traction so The Sophomores are 65 in number and curities New York markets: Money he sedate Seniors are 22, which is on call stronger and higher at 5 to liso quite a large class for gradua-

6 1-2 per cent; ruling rate, 6; closing ion in June. bid 5; offered at 5 1-2; spot cotton The enrollment at Union and Heclosed five points lower, closing quiet nenway schools during the day was 11.80; flour quiet and barely steady; bout as formerly with indications of wheat, spot steady, No. 2 red \$1.03 1-2 an increase to past all record before elevator; corn easy, No. 2 red, 78 ele- the week is over. At the Union School here were 970 registrations and at emenway between 800 and 900. The a tendance at Union will exceed one thousand before the term has pro-

essed very far. There have been few changes in the faculty of the schools for the year. Mr. J. B. Huff returns to the High There'll be trouble Bruin when the School as principal and the faculty is President invades the canebrakes of composed as follows: Miss Agnes Carr, of Indiana, English; Miss Isabelle Gulley, of Wake Forest, Latin; Miss Fredericka Jenkins, of Raleigh, History; Miss Fitts, of Charlottes-Bonney, of Albany, N. Y., Science.

The faculty of the Union School is their man. Those who think that Wilmington composed of the following members: Misses Hester C. Struthers, Gertrude Bryan, Annie McKoy, Julia Hill, Sarah Crosswell, Adelaide Meares, Sawyer, Maggie Wood, Elizabeth LeGwin, Irene Peterson, Maud Kingsbury, Theo. LeGrand, Eliza Meares, Jane Green, Belle Anderson, Mary D. Parslev and Meta LeGrand. Miss Mott in fice were diligently looking for the charge of Domestic Science, and Miss man. M. E. Cook, principal.

The Hemenway School faculty is as The Atlanta Constitution is discuss follows: Misses Jennie Wood, Mary ing the "water resources of Georgia." B. Jones, Louise Hill, Kate Barden, Mary B. Jones, Louise Hill, Kate Barden, Mary A. Bernard, Lydia E. Yates, See Boon, Farmer, Claire Lathrop, Trie Duffy, Kate Yarborough, Augusta Wiggins, Florrie V. King, Kate It is one of the misfortunes of all Johnson, Bessie Loder, Margaret Hors-

Mr. Clarence W. Mills, accompanied by Mr. Thos. J. Gause, Jr., left Sun-Time was when Wall Street could day afternoon for Bennettsville, S. C., ereate a panic that would affect the where on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Mills.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. W. H. Fuchs-Our Shoes. D. L. Gore Co.-Wm. Tell Flour. Academy of Music-Red Feather. Willard & Giles Company-Removal. E. Warren & Son-Huyler's Can-

Darley Park Brewery-Keep on Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.-You

Robinson & Co.-Edison Phono-Business Locals. For Sale Soda Fountain. W E. Huggins-Money Lost. For Rent-Unfurnished Rooms.
For Sale Ferns, Asparagus, Etc.
Polyogt's Millinery Opening Days.

C. P. B. Mahler-Removal Notice. A.P. Southerland-Gentle Horse for Ms. H. E. O'Keef-Fletcher Music

Atantic Trust & Banking Co.-Interest Quarter. Ayoung man with one or two years'

Read The Star Business Locals.

Delivery Vehicle Driven by Mr. J. Plummer Gilbert Struck at Third and Princess Streets Last Night-Injury Was Slight.

A delivery wagon belonging to Gilbert Brothers and being driven by Mr. J. Plummer Gilbert, of the firm, was struck by street car No. 24 at Third and Princess, the City Hall corner, last night about 9:30 o'clock. As the result of the collision Mr. Gilbert was thrown out and suffered a painful but not serious wound in the scalp and a small colored boy named Miles, either with Mr. Gilbert or swinging to the rear of the wagon, received a painful laceration of the arm. The vehicle was only slightly, if any, damaged though all hands had a narrow escape.

From the best information obtain-North on Third street, coming along car was running, he found it was too | late to get out of the way. The moto the Senator in 1901; this is denied by Platt's counsel who have asked that the case be heard in private by a referee Supreme Court Justice a referee Supreme Court Justice a division of the actions brought states that the grammar school pupils to read the states that the freshman class this siderable violence and the small colored boy was pitched into the air some distance. It is stated that when last year, owing to the failure of many of the grammar school pupils to read the struck the ground he struck it running and all efforts to locate him on the last year will be made to be actions. ision of the actions brought ceive promotion last year. The class the directors of the Merchants' of new students this year numbers 75 eral days.

THE SEARCH FOR BRYANT.

Killing Not Yet Taken. L. M. Bryant, the white man who was gaged on both sides of the case. implicated with young Cook and Riggins in the killing of old man Banks

Last night there was a report to the City Hall that Bryant had been seen in his cart going out Market street. Constable Savage was notified, but he had not then returned from another part of the county some distance from Wilmington, where he and a posse from Sheriff Cowan's of-

Why Bryant should attempt to stay out of the way is puzzling. His attorneys inform him that he has an excellent defence and he has considerable property at stake in New Hanover.

NEW RULE FOR POLICE

ed to this end.

forced-Must Not Talk.

As the members of the police force land and L. A. Mahler. business of the whole country; but sie McLaurin, a daughter of United tified by Chief of Police Williams that Southern Railway, a son of Vice Presserving the trade promptly and with went on duty yesterday they were nothat time has passed and the fights States Senator John L. McLaurin, and lations will be attickly and with lations will be attickly and will be attickly and with lations will be attickly and will among the stock gamblers now excite one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the most attractive young womis the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with rule with reference to not a solute one of the rule with ru among the stock gambiers now excite one of the most attack. This between the stock gambiers now excite one of the wery best but little interest outside the "Street." be Mr. Mills' best man, and after the men on the beats engaging citizens in called and the indeed directed that en of south Carolina. In date the men on the beats engaging citizens in called and the judge directed that a made one of the prettiest in the whole ceremony the bride and groom will prolonged conversations while they fine of \$40 be imposed. However, Mr. city. leave for the North on a wedding trip, are on duty. The rules prescribe that Andrews appeared a few minutes latreturning by way of the Jamestown officers shall continuously walk their er, showed that officer had misinform- young men of ability and character Exposition. They will be at home beats and shall not engage in conver. ed him as to the time court reconven- and they promise to do well with their here at the residence of the groom's sation with citizens except on business ed and the fine was remitted. pertaining to matters of the department or giving information. It means that "all chewing the rag" must stop only upon members of the force but upon the night wanderers, including members of the newspaper fraternity, who mid it date convenient and ken out to the county rock quarry by C. and Julian H. Robertson, progressive young Wilmingtonians, who have wick, A. H. Weedon, George Hutaff, "cop" on the corner in a pleasant little conversation about things of current discussion. But the rule is to the emforced and will no doubt, after listed under the banner of highway and issue the paper from what is known as "The Robertson Press." Tylender the fourteen taken from the jail, four pographically and as to subject mathematically and as to subject mat be emforced and will no doubt, after are whites and the remainder colored. all, result in the betterment of the service. Violation of the rules subcounty farm receives the physical decrease of the county farm receives the physical decrease of the jects the officer to suspension by the chief with the endorsement of the

Hack Ordinance Into Effect.

will go into effect today, October 1st. when he was sent out this time. ordered and will be here this week. various parts of the county. The new law is for the two-fold pur-

Noted Case of Physician and Newly Wed Wife Called in Wake Court.

POISONED ENGINEER STRANGE

An Entire Day Required to Select Jury-All Farmers Except Prominent Raleigh Jeweler, Who Doesn't Want to Serve.

(By Associated Press.)

welfth juror in the trial of Dr. D. S. verneur, W. A. French, Jr., and C. N. Rowland and his wife Lillie M. Row- Evans. The first meeting of the board land, for the muder by poison in March of directors will be held Saturday, of Engineer Charles S. Strange, Mrs. and arrangements will be made for able the car was coming down the hill Rowland being then his wife, was se- beginning work at once in carrying out toward the junction at Front and Prin- cured at 6:25 tonight, after working the purposes of the organization. cess streets and Mr.Gilbert was driving at this all day a second special venire pretty lively. He thought he could of 25 being called in addition to the cross in front of the car as there was 150 summoned before. It seemed at or the resort in the city. After some another vehicle just passing and when one time as if no jury could be secur- discussion by the incorporators, Meshe reached the track upon which the ed and Judge Long said that if this was not done with some dispatch that torman on the car retained his pres he would move the trial to another matter of the scope of the company's thing yesterday morning, and when ence of mind and did all possible to county. Within five minutes after this, undertaking to a meeting to be held lighten the impact of the collision, but the jury was completed. It is comsiderable violence and the small col- posed of eleven farmers from the will be in attendance.

the scene of the accident unassisted ances he led an exemplary existence, but has a very ugly cut in his scalp, while secretly making a study of which will inconvenience him for sev- deadly poisons and plotting murder. He was even arrested on a charge of having poisoned his own child to get some insurance money, but he was let go because the chemists could Man Implicated in Banks Rothwell find no trace of poison in the tests night were \$22,206.27, against \$20,which they made. In the present case Although yesterday and on Sunday Dr. Rowland is alleged to have used the efforts of the sheriff's office and aconitine, a vegetable poison. Judge the constabulary of New Hanover Benjamin F. Long is presiding at the were concentrated in an effort to find trial and prominent counsel are en-

(Special Star Telegram.) Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.-An even-Rothwell in the country one morning ing session was necessary to complete before day last week, the officers up the selection of the jury. At five to late last night had been unable to o'clock the announcement was made at the local office since August 3d, locate the man and he is still at large. that the special venire was exhausted this being due to a change of the contantalizing, there is hardly an hour in judge then made an order that a re-What makes the search all the more with only ten jurors accepted. The the day but what some report reaches less be taken to six o'clock. The the city that Bryant has been seen sheriff was directed to return twentysomewhere in the county. The offi- five additional veniremen. This was ould have forwarded sample copies ville, Va., Mathematics; Miss Emma cers run down every report, but thus done and one juror was still lacking when the last man of this venire was called. He was L. A. Mahler, the well accepted by both sides before he had the registry department will be opened mission. The judge refused to enter- mail matter in time to catch the morncause of his official position and direct- change in hour will be a great conveed the formal arraignment of the pris- nience to the people. oners to proceed so that the taking of the last feature of the evening being the formal empanneling of the jury.

After adjournment Juror Mahler The popular belief is that he has not made another vain attempt to induce yet left the county and will give him- the judge to release him and later Morriss Carpenter, two popular young self up at no distant date. But in the sent for a physician saying he had Wilmingtonians, have formed a comeantime the sheriff and Constable neuralgia in the face. A physician's partnership to conduct a general fan-Savage say they must find him. They certificate is expected in the morning cy grocery business and have purchasare certainly leaving no stone unturn- for his discharge. The judge's order ed the stock, good will ,etc., of Mr. is that the jury be held together night R. B. Moore, northeast corner Third and day. The jurors are L. A. Harper, and Castle streets, where they will J. A. Massey, E. N. O'Donnell, J. H. he located in the future. The store An Old Regulation That Will be En- W. F. Stinson, H. J. Duke, W. H. Car- finished on the interior, while all new C. T. Miller.

"OUT TO THE WOODS."

and will come as a rather hard blow not Fourteen Convicts Begins Highway Improvement at Quarry. who find it quite convenient and branch of the Superior Court were ta- magazine published by Messrs. Fred consists of Messrs. J. N. Sweeney, "cop" on the corner in a pleasant litterday, and they have already en-purchased their own printing outfit John H. Kuch, D. L. T. Capps, John fectives.

termed of the number sent out yes- its cap for the very cordial expression were Mr. John M. Branch, the plainterday. He will serve seven years of the editors of the new paper upon tiff; Special Agent W. S. Woods, of for the larceny of a mule from a col- the recent fortieth anniversary of the Jessups, Ga., employed by the Coast Chief of Police Williams yesterday ored man in East Wilmington some Star. May "The Tar Heel Boy" live Line, and J. D. Burbage, flagman on issued official notice that the new ordi- weeks ago. He is no stranger out at long and prosper! nance requiring public hacks and con- the camp, as he had just completed a veyances to be licensed and numbered two-year sentence for highway robbery Insane White Woman.

OPEN CAR SMASHED INTO WAGON ROWLANDS ON TRIAL CAROLINA PLEASURE CO. ASKS \$25,000 DAMAGE

Incorporators of New Wilmington Enterprise Meet and Elect Directors. General Meeting of Stockholders to Be Held Friday.

The incorporators of the Carolina Pleasure Palace, of Wilmington, which was recently chartered by the Secretary of State, at a recent meeting COAST LINE IS DEFENDANT elected the following Board of Directors of the enterprise, viz: Messrs. C. W. Polvogt, J. A. Arringdale, J. H. Hinton, J. Walter Williamson, Rev. Father C. Dennen, J. H. Rehder, Jake L. Solomon, Dr. C. P. Bolles, W. D. Mac-Millan, Jr., D McEachern, Jas F. Wool-Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—The vin, Dr Thos. M. Green, M. F. H. Gou-

It has been decided to have only one of the two propositions at first contemplated, either the country place srs. Polvogt, Hinton, Dr. Green, Col. J. VanB. Metts and Mr. A. E. Peschau, it was decided to refer the entire next Friday night in the Court House,

The company is composed of some of the leading men in the city, and it is believed that their plans for the ry to its duty, the defendant company Carolina Pleasure Palace will mature. on the day in question had not furnish-It would prove an important factor in ed the plaintiff with a safe and secure the life of the city.

POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS.

Delay of Stamped Paper Reduces Percentage of Increase.

The receipts at the Wilmington postoffice for the quarter ended last 449.22 same quarter last year. The rate of increase in the receipts is eight and a half per cent. for the three months, which is not the showing that one would expect from the rapidly growing city that Wilmington continues to be. The slight increase is accounted for in the delay of stamped paper, envelopes, wrappers, etc., none of which has been received tract by the government and the im- sion, irascible of temper and unskilreceived as it was ordered, the percentage of increase for the three months just ended would have shown up very much larger.

In this connection Postmaster Wallace desires to call the attention of known jeweler of Raleigh, and was the public to the fact that hereafter an opportunity to raise the point of at 7:30 o'clock mornings instead of 8 his exemption on account of his be- A. M. as heretofore. This gives the ing a member of Raleigh police com- public an opportunity of registering tain a motion to excuse him later be- ing trains out of Wilmington and the

evidence will begin at 9:30 tomorrow CARPENTER & MILLER, GROCERS.

Popular Young Wilmingtonians Enter Business for Themselves.

Messrs. Will W. Miller and Archie Oliver, J. G. Sandling, E. T. Massey, is being handsomely remodelled and penter, George W. Partin, J. G. Strick- fixtures are being put in, these including silent salesmen show cases Major John H. Andrews, of the and other approved appliances for

> in business affairs and are already enjoying a good patronage.

"The Tar Heel Boy."

Fourteen defendants sentenced at sure the first number of "The Tar & Son for the defendant railroad comlast week's term of the criminal Heel Boy," a semi-monthly juvenile pany. The jury as finally empanelled tion and editorial departments are all point. Young Joe Mason is the longest that could be desired. The Star doffs The witnesses examined yesterday

Carrie Batts, an insane young white o'clock yesterday afternoon. All public hackmen are required to All told, Superintendent Hocutt has woman, formerly an inmate of the Ressecure certificates from the City Hall 88 convicts at the camp and on the cue Home on Church street, this city, C.P. B. Mahler—Two Large Rooms at a nominal figure and to receive a roads. Most of them are engaged in was taken into custody by Policeman number, which will be prominently displayed by the owner on badges for the new quarry, but others are entheir hats, which badges have been gaged in the actual roadbuilding in complained of the condition of her steel in this line, 'phone or write him mind and it was thought best to have at the Colonial Inn and he will be the county take charge of the case, so pleased to call and show you the line. experience in plain ruling and binding pose of protecting the public against Have your eyes Examined by Dr. she was sent over to the jail. A com- 2t may secure a good situation by mak- overcharges and the like and to as- Vineberg, the eye specialist at Munds' mission of lunacy will pass upon her may secure a good situation by mak of the star office. 3t sist the police in ferreting out any irregularities that may occur in the tested free. Glasses fitted for \$1.00 be sent to one of the Star instituted and up.

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Interesting Civil Action Begun Yesterday Morning in New Hanover Superior Court.

Death of Conductor W. M. Branch, of Construction Train in Florida Three Years and a Half Ago. Jury Selected: Testimony.

The Superior Court on the opening day of its two weeks' term for the trial of civil actions, was engaged all day yesterday in the hearing of the damage suit of Jno. M. Branch, administrator of the estate of his son. the late William H. Branch, against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company in which the plaintiff seeks to recover \$25,000 for the death of the deceased, resulting from an accident while acting as conductor of a construction train of the defendant company at Lawton, Fla., on March 3d, 1904. The case was taken up first a recess for the day was taken at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the testiwhen it is expected all stockholders mony for the plaintiff was not all in. It will require another day, perhaps longer, to complete the trial.

The complaint alleges that contralocomotive and cars for the performfor the operation of the train, in consequence of which the plaintiff was required to couple cars and that while so acting as a brakeman, which the company had failed to furnish, the engine was brought back against the string of cars, mashing the plaintiff to death between the bumpers of said cars. It is further alleged that the locomotive with which the cars were being shifted was out of repair and defective and that the air brakes were insecure; that couplers, drawheads, etc., were also out of order. It is further alleged that one Roberts, employed as an engineer of the train, was incompetent, habitually careless and negligent in the discharge of his duties; that he was defective of vi-

The answer sets up that the accident occurred in Florida and as the plaintiffs intestate left no goods or chattels in this county the appointment of the administrator here is null and void. All the allegations as to the incompetency or lack of skill by Engineer Roberts are denied, as are also those that the defendant company was negligent or inconsiderate of the safety of its employes on the train. For a second defence, it is set out that the plaintiff was guilty of contributory negligence in the acci-

dent which caused his death. It is further set up that it was no part of the duties of Conductor. Branch to make the coupling and that he was fixed with the knowledge of the danger in which he stood; that if he had a cause of action, the Florida courts were open to him and that the suit is not properly brought in this county.

Court met at 10 A. M. and of the jurors for the term the sheriff returned J. N. Sweeney, Jas. J. Allen, John Ahrens, J. C. Loder, Walter Smallbones, C. T. Miller, D. H. Lee, Albert L Solomon, Geo. A. Diebert, J. T. Eagle, N. B. Chadwick, B J. Kuhlken, F. L. Porter, J. W. Copeland. Excused by the court: Walter Smallbones and Jurors Albert Solomon and J. W.

Copeland were called and failed and each was fined \$40. They were cited to appear and show cause why the judgment should not be made absolute. The following cases were continued by consent: Rheinstein Dry Goods

Company against H. A. Townsend: R. W. Hicks against W. W. Blair and J. G. Wright & Son against Williams Brothers.

Nearly all the morning session was taken up with the selection of a jury to try the Branch damage suit. The attorneys are Messrs. Empie & Empie and Herbert McClammy, Esq., for the plaintiff; Messrs. Rountree & Carr, The Star has received with plea- Davis & Davis and John D. Bellamy

the train of Conductor Branch. The last named was on the stand when court took a recess for the day at 5:30

McCray Refrigerators. Mr. C. C. Cash, salesman for the McCray Refrigerators, is in the city