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☞ *TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.—We are now enclosing to all of our subscribers a statement of their accounts with us, and hope to receive an immediate response to the same. ALL PARTIES whose time may have expired, and who are thus notified by us, will cease to receive the paper after the FIRST OF JUNE NEXT, unless they shall have renewed, as we shall, on and after that date, adhere strictly to the CASH SYSTEM, believing this to be the only safe way of conducting a newspaper. Parties hereafter will be regularly notified in advance of the time of the expiration of their subscriptions.*

STATE OF THE THERMOMETER.—The Thermometer yesterday stood as follows at Branson's Book Store:

At 9 a. m.	58
At 12 m.	60
At 3 p. m.	61
At 6 p. m.	59

LOCAL BRIEFS.—

Yesterday was a bad day for May-daying.

Nothing done at the Mayor's Court yesterday.

Granville Superior Court adjourned yesterday.

The approaching municipal election excites little or no interest.

A colored Sunday School went Maying in Capital Square yesterday.

Captain E. A. Thorne, a prominent farmer of Halifax county, is in our city.

May-day-ers returned to the city last evening slightly damp, but otherwise safe and sound.

Handy Lockhart, colored, desires us to say that he will not allow his name to be used as an independent candidate from Eastern Ward.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather yesterday, Mr. White, the landscape photographer, took two beautiful views of the capitol, 18x22 inches. He will sketch the asylums to-day.

Branch H. Morrison, the son of Senator Morrison, is considered the handsomest youth at Trinity." *Wilmington Star.*

Alas, what is fame? "What's in a name?" Senator Morrison, who is he?

The Banting building, opposite the new Barringer building, on the corner of Wilmington and Hargett streets, will soon be finished. We learn that Messrs. Rogers & Harriss have rented it for a liquor store and will occupy it as soon as completed.

One of the most attractive signs on Exchange Place, is that of the clever firm of Grocers and Commission Merchants, Messrs. Wyatt, Green & Co. It is a full grown, well shaped hog, with the name, etc., of the firm.

Rev. R. H Whitaker, the editor of the *Friend of Temperance*, and the leading Temperance advocate of North Carolina, is in attendance upon the State Council of the Friends of Temperance of South Carolina in session at Columbia.

The ground has been broken for the large Wholesale Grocery and Commission House of Messrs. Williamson, Upchurch & Thomas, opposite Metropolitan Hall on Fayetteville street. This will be, when completed, one of the largest buildings in the city, as the store will front both on Fayetteville and Salisbury streets, extending through an entire square.

An exchange tells of a woman who sent her husband to buy a jug of molasses. He got drunk and fetched home the jug filled with whiskey. She took it up, smelt, set it back, and then squaring herself, arms akimbo and eyes flashing, she exclaimed, "whar's them molasses?" The old man smiled and winked pleasantly, and waving his hand propitiatingly, exclaimed, "Them's they!" He is now convalescent, but the jug is hopelessly deranged.

VARIETIES.—The Greensboro *Patriot* thus speaks of a Raleigh house:

"One of the largest establishments in Raleigh is the Variety Store of Nat. L. Brown, on Fayetteville street. His house is crowded with goods, and there is nothing in the variety line that escapes his attention. He never permits his stock to run down, but replenishes as he sells and is always ready to supply any demand that may be made on him."

COMING.—The following named criminals will come to the Penitentiary from Granville county, convicted and sentenced at the late term of Granville Superior Court, His Honor, Judge Albertson, presiding: John Day, 5 years for larceny; Si Moss, 10 years for larceny and house burning; Henry Qualls, 10 years for larceny; Simon Daniel, 5 years for larceny; Sam Taylor, 5 years for larceny.

EXCURSION OF THE RALEIGH BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL TO HAYWOOD—A BEAUTIFUL MAY QUEEN CEREMONY—A CLOUDY DAY BUT A GOOD TIME.—The excursion of this school to Haywood, Chatham county, yesterday came off with no little eclat. Its pleasures were enjoyed by both old and young, and so heartily were they entered into by the participants that good feeling and happy faces more than made up for the absence of the sun which was hidden by angry clouds. As per programme, the pupils and teachers of the school assembled at the Church at 6:30 a. m., and formed for the march to the depot to take the train. At 7:30 the Chief Marshal, Major A. M. Lewis, gave the word of command, and the procession moved on to the place of embarkation. Never has our little city witnessed such a large turnout of sunday school children, that is, by one denomination. While the front was considerably below the court house, the rear had not passed through the south gate of the Capitol.

At the depot a long train of comfortable cars were found in readiness, under the charge of Captain Dallas Ward, the popular and gentlemanly conductor of the Raleigh & Gaston R. R. Through the exertions of the Marshals and their Assistants, the large crowd were seated without any confusion, and at 8 o'clock the whistle of engine No. 3, run by that skillful engineer, Mr. Mortimer Fleming, sounded its note of warning and in a moment we were speeding on the way to Haywood—the Haywood which once so narrowly escaped greatness.

Here it will not be inappropriate to mention the historical fact that Haywood once came within one vote of wresting from Raleigh, the honor of being the Capitol of the State. Raleigh was saved by the vote of Hon. Burton Craige, of Salisbury.

The location of the University of the State at this point was also seriously contemplated at one time. Some sixty years ago the late Judge A. D. Murphy and David Mebane succeeded in getting the Legislature to appropriate $100,000 to the Cape Fear Deep River Navigation Company scheme, and conceived the idea of making Haywood, which is situated at the junction of the Haw and Deep rivers forming the Cape Fear, a city. The place was regularly laid off into town lots, and through the representations and influence of these gentlemen purchasers were not lacking. Buildings sprung up in all directions, and a glorious future seemed opened up for Haywood. But, alas! for human foresight! The plans for the navigation of the river failed, parties who had built warehouses, storehouses and residences became dissatisfied with their investments and went so far as to pull them down and remove the timbers to other localities, and Haywood in a short time relapsed into its pristine insignificance. But to the excursion.

After a pleasant run of nearly two hours Haywood was reached, and disembarking the excursionists were conducted to the beautiful Academy grove where the feature of the day came off, the

CROWNING OF THE MAY QUEEN.

How shall we describe the beautiful scene? We confess our utter inability to do so adequately. To do it creditably requires some of the genius of poetry. A May pole beautifully decorated, a with throne for the Queen at its base, was erected in the prettiest part of the grove and soon the large crowd formed a circle around, eagerly awaiting the appearance of the lovely Queen and the royal party. Soon strains of soft music heralded the May Queen and her attendants. Would we were an adept at the art of word-painting that we might now pay fitting homage to the lovely little Queen, Miss Minnie Heck. Her lovely young face, sylph-like form, and tasteful dress blended so exquisitely with the beautiful surroundings that the scene seemed passing in dreamland — too beautiful to be real.

Unexpectedly we are called upon to abridge this article, and therefore it is impossible to describe the details of the ceremony. We can give only the order in which the royal party approached the throne, which was as follows:

Flower Girls and Boys.
Sceptise Bearer, Tom Pescud,
Crown Bearer, Laurie Pritchard,
Queen's attendant, Miss Mary Lewis,
Queen and Crowner, Robt. Williamson.

ATTENDANTS.

Charlie Holden and Pattie Upchurch,
Fabius Briggs and Maggie Williams,
James Williamson and Lula Heck,
Charlie Lewis and Fannie Heck,
Johnnie Hicks and Annie Tomlinson,
Ruffin Litchford and Mary Hicks,
William Andrews and Rosa Neathery,
Jimmie Justice and Beulah Holden,
Johnnie Lewis and Annie Williams,
George Andrews and Nannie Armstrong,
Walter Parish and Bessie Litchford,
Willie Hicks and Mary Belvin,
Allen Fleming and Minnie Gorman.

During the crowning several appropriate songs were rendered, Mrs. W. H. Dodd presiding at the organ.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies neat and appropriate remarks were made by Rev. Dr. Pritchard, Prof. Willie J. Palmer, Mr. Edgar, of Canada, and W. H. Pace. Dinner was soon after announced and enjoyed. Just as the excursionists were getting on the train to return home the long threatened rain commenced and when the depot in this city was reached it was pouring.

The managers and marshals of the excursion deserve much credit for the good order maintained and the systematic manner in which everything was carried out.

The Citizens' Cornet Band was along, and was the recipient of much compliment upon its rapid improvement.

If space permitted, we should have something to say of the signs of enterprise and industry along the line of the Raleigh and Augusta Air-Line R. R.

Syme, our news editor and associate localizer, May dayed with the Baptist Sunday School at Haywood's yesterday. His report will be found in another column.

OXFORD ITEMS.—Our Oxford correspondent under date of yesterday, sends us the following items of interest from his section:

A few nights ago, while Mr. James T. Hunt was at supper, a daring robbery was committed by a thief or thieves who entered the lumber house adjacent to his store and purloined therefrom some bacon, flour and other articles.

The concert at the Osborn House on Tuesday evening by the ladies of Oxford was a most decided success. Those present were at a loss to determine whether the refreshments in the shape of ice cream and cake, prepared for the occasion, were the more refreshing, or the music by which they were *refreshed*. The purpose of the entertainment was to raise funds for the North Carolina Orphan Asylum, and resulted in the realization of over one hundred dollars for that laudable object. Gen. Cox, the popular Solicitor of this district, contributed fifty dollars for the benefit of the Asylum. Another accession of 4 inmates has just arrived, swelling the whole number to forty. We trust the liberality of the people of the State will increase in a ratio commensurate with the numerical strength of the Institution.

Judge Albertson is still holding Court here. His bearing on the bench is marked by impartiality, and he commands by his courtesy the respect of the people and the bar.

Cyrus Mass, colored, charged with various offences, he has sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

Sam Lyon, colored, an accomplice of Mass in crime, has been sentenced for five years in that hospitable abode.

Jack Day, convicted of stealing beef from the late Daniel A. Paschall, was sentenced to the Penitentiary for five years.

Sam'l Daniel, colored, who took Mr. John W. Pittard's horse under circumstances heretofore detailed in the NEWS, from the lot in rear of Henderson Hunt & Co's store, has also been assigned gratuitous lodging in the Penitentiary for 5 years.

And last but not least, Charner Towns, another colored person, formerly a County Commissioner, has been sentenced to four months imprisonment in jail and adjuged to pay a fine of three hundred dollars, having been convicted on the charge of buying stolen tobacco, knowing it to have been stolen.

It is needless to add that Messrs. Cox and Busbee are discharging their duties as prosecuting officers in a most efficient manner.

THE PENITENTIARY.—We visited for the first time since the inauguration of the new Board of Directors of the Penitentiary that Institution yesterday, and was shown around and through the premises by Jno. R Harrison, who as one of the Directors devotes nearly his entire time to its management. We were much pleased with all we saw and can testify that as far as appearances will show that the new management is maintaining the high standard of their worthy predecessors.

Capt. Thompson, the Warden, is no new hand at the bellows, and there is no room to doubt but that the management of the Institution in his hands will redound to his and the State's credit.

We observed many new improvements going on, the building of tin and sheet iron manufactury, new rooms for the female convicts; needed improvements to the cells, and a general cleaning up and overhauling in every department.

The new Board has recently purchased from Mr. Boylan one and one-third acres of land adjoining that portion of the grounds wherein the quarry is situated, which will enable them to work the quarry with better results, and obtain a sufficiency of work for all purposes. The stockade will be extended so as to take in this new purchase.

The wall known as the "Hicks" wall is now completed to nearly the terminus to the Eastern line. Mr. Hicks the architect, has raised for himself a monument in the building of the wall that will last through ages. There is no structure in North Carolina that will compare with it, either in its gigantic proportions or the workmanlike style in which it has been executed.

There are now about four hundred convicts in the Penitentiary, all able bodied men and women and a plenty of work for at least four hundred more. We only saw six cases in the Hospital none of which were dangerously ill, and never was the sanitary condition of the Institution better.

We left the grounds satisfied that if this new broom continues to sweep as clean no one will have occasion to grumble at the management of the Institution, though it could have been in better hands.

LIGHT! LIGHT!!—Gas consumers would do well to go to the Yarborough House and examine the Virginia Carbo-Hydrogen Gas Machine, which manufactures a beautiful gas light at a cost less than $2 50 per thousand. Capt. C. S. Bailey, the agent of the company, had the Yarborough sitting room lit up with the gas light night, and all that saw it pronounced it a superior article to our $7 gas. Persons interested (and who are not) should go and see this new improvement. Capt. Bailey will give all information concerning cost, manufacture, etc. It can be used for lighting hotels, factories, churches, dwellings, stores and other buildings, and to be perfectly safe.

POSTPONED.—Owing to the exceeding inclement weather last evening, our citizens were debarred the pleasure of hearing the lecture of Capt. J. Baron Hope, on the "Press and Printer's Devil." If the many friends of Capt. Hope in the city can prevail upon him to remain till to-night, an announcement through hand bills will be made.

(2) A pure stimulant, Century Whiskey!

THE EDITOR OF THE BIBLICAL RECORDER IN A NEW ROLE.—In the following, which we would have published sometime ago, but for a trembling fear and dread of the hero of the story whose trenchant pen is too formidable to battle against, we shall carefully avoid dates and names, as "truth hurts:"

Brother Mills, the editor of the *Biblical Recorder*, of this city, the organ of the Baptist Church of the State, attends at the proper season all the Associations that he can reach, in order to report the proceedings, &c. Last fall he visited the extreme Western portion of North Carolina to attend the regular ——— River Baptist Association. The section was rather thinly populated, and the brethren in attendance somewhat numerous; the natives were that high and noble class of our citizens, who made no ostentatious show of palatial residences, but in their neat, comfortable and comely double story log houses extended a hospitality so true and genuine that the highest potentate on earth might relish with more real pleasure than all the marble walls, carved fronts, frescoed coatings, and sumptuous living could give.

Brother Mills had the good fortune on this occasion to stop with a kind hearted old brother, who had also taken in four Ministers *with their wives*.

There were only four rooms to the building, which would leave only two for company with a tight stretch at that.

After supper the first night, the entire company were gathered together in the chamber room of the family which served on this occasion as the general sitting-room. Evening prayers were said, after which, the four ladies left the room accompanied by the lady of the house. After the lapse of an half an hour, during which time Bro. Mills entertained the Ministers with the present and future prospects of the Church, Wake Forest College, *Baptizos*, &c., &c, so interesting to him that he was unconsious of the movements going on, the gentleman of the house was summoned by his better half to the passage, (Bro. Mills did not even see this.)

Soon the old gentleman returned with a candle in hand and said, "brethren, you that are married men, follow me." Bro. Mills ran on this line, and of course obeyed the direction, and without even a cessation of his tongue, followed the old gentleman with the candle, the four brethren following him to a large room up stairs with a bed in each corner. In surveying the situation Bro. Mills discovered in the bed he first saw the frill of a nightcap just over one eye that was peeping out, and a finger energetically beckoning to one of the brethren just in his rear. As he turned to look elsewhere in the room the general dodging under the bed clothes forcibly reminded him of terrapins "drapping" in a lake.

If Brother Mills had retreated in good order just at this trying crisis the point of our joke would be lost, but not so. It was a scene sufficient to bewilder even him, and while struggling to recover himself, in order to explain his mistake, the old gentleman advanced to the door, and saying "well, brethren, you know where your wives are," immediately blew out the candle, leaving Brother Mills standing in the centre of the room.

Here our story ends; what became of Brother Mills, or how he got out of that room, we don't know.—Suffice it to say, that in this *true* narrative we have not even drawn on our imagination for the first fact.

In leaving the subject we will re-state that nothing but fear has kept this story back so long, but as the deed is done, and we can't take it back, now in the language of a Representative of a good old Democratic county, in the Legislature of 1870, when he voted for the "Convention bill," "we ask the prayers of the congregation in our behalf."

THE FIREMEN'S PARADE.—The parade of the several colored fire companies through the streets yesterday served to allay the extreme dullnes occasioned by the absence of a large number of our citizens out on May-day excursions and pic-nics.

Three companies were in the procession and a fine looking body of colored firemen cannot be found in any city North or South. The citizens of Raleigh have cause to be proud of their colored firemen as their thorough appearance has often shown.

Last night the Bucket Company, No. 1, celebrated their first anniversary at Metropolitan Hall. Quite a number of our prominent citizens attended and we learn everything passed off well and pleasantly.

MAJOR BINGHAM'S LECTURE TO-NIGHT.—Let all remember that Major Bingham's whose reputation as a public lecturer, is too well known to require comment from us, lectures to-night at Peace Institute on the Anglo Saxon race. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

SPECIAL CITY ITEMS.

THE CELEBRATED CENTURY is sold at the saloon of Miller & Nelson's, under Metropolitan Hall, fresh Baltimore Lager Beer, ice cool on draught at all times.

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OFFICE AND LABORATORY CONGLETON'S CELEBRATED REMEDIES.
RALEIGH, N. C., May 1st, 1873.

CAPT. E. C. WOODSON—

Dear Sir: The proposition in regard to Congleton's Vegetable Salve as stated in the DAILY NEWS a day or two ago is in the main true, but I desire to put it in a more tangible form, so every one may understand it. It is this, I prepare two size boxes of the Salve, one for 25 cents, and a larger box for $1, holding six times as much as a small box.

I propose that for every dollar sent to me through the mail ordering a large box of Salve from May 1st, 1873, to May 1st, 1874, to send a box, postage paid, to the address of the person ordering, and donate a half dollar either to the Orphan Asylum at Oxford, N. C., or to the endowment fund of Wake Forest College, as the parties may desire, and direct when ordering.

Very respectfully,
JOHN R. CONGLETON,
may 1-2t Raleigh, N. C.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[Special to the Daily News.

Col. Thomas M. Holt Elected President of the North Carolina Rail Road.

SALISBURY, N. C., May 1, 1873.—At a meeting of the Directors of the North Carolina Railroad to-day, Col. Thomas M. Holt, of Alamance, was elected President of the Company to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Hon. Wm. A. Smith.

NOON DISPATCHES.

The Atlantic Bank Affairs--the Vienna Exhibition and American Exhibitors.

NEW YORK, May 1.—An examination into the Atlantic Bank affairs shows that Taintor loaned over $340,000 on securities which have disappeared. Among the loans are $90,000 to L. H. Niles, a broker, and $35,000 to an under clerk of Niles. Nearly all the loans have been made within three months. There is great discrepancy in the accounts on the books and the statements of the depositors. One of the Directors overdrew his account six thousand dollars the day before the failure of the Bank.

A Vienna special states that the Prince of Wales, accompanied by Prince Arthur, visited the Exposition building yesterday. There are over 7,000 loads of articles yet to be unloaded for the Exposition only two hundred of which can be unloaded per day, and it will be the end of June before the Exhibition will be in full show. The opening ceremonies will be devoid of Military display. At the meeting of the American Exhibitors at Vienna yesterday, great indignation was expressed at the fact that the late Commissioners had left no list of Exhibitors nor the plan of arrangement of places for American Exhibitors. Everything American is in confusion. The Exhibition Managers, however are offering all facilities for classifications of American goods.

Spanish Affairs—Don Alfonzo Reported Defeated.

MADRID, May 1.—Don Alfonzo is near Monerosa in the Province of Barcelona, at the head of a band of two hundred Carlists. His wife accompanies him.

The Carlists continue to burn railway stations, using petroleum to facilitate their operations. They have also torn up the railroad track and destroyed the telegraph wires at several points within the past few days. Their military operations, however, have been much restricted by the activity of troops.

The government is sanguine that the insurrection will soon be suppressed.

LATER—A telegram from Cerevera in the Province of Levina, near the line of Barcelona, announces that the troops had come up with and defeated Don Alfonza's band, before reported in that vicinity.

Reported Indian Outrages Denied—Indians Selecting a New Home.

TOPEKA, May 1.—Full advices from the Southwest leave no doubt that the recent story of Indian outrages in that locality are pure fabrications.

PARSONS, KANSAS, May 1.—Enoch Hodge, Superintendent Indian Affairs, passed here to-day with delegations of Winnebago Indians from Wisconsin, who go to select a home in the western part of the Indian Territory for their tribe, which number one thousand.

The South Carolina Bond Suit.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 1st.—The Chamber of Commerce passed a resolution declaring it due to the credit and good faith of the people, and the holders of the unquestionably valid bonds, that the tax payers be represented in the bond suits. A committee was appointed to procure counsel and carry out the resolution.

A Negro Boy Lynched.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 1.—A negro boy committed to the Harrodsburg jail, charged with attempt to rape, was allowed by the Jailor to go for his cow, and made a similar attempt upon a little colored girl. The people hanged him.

Gen. Schofield to be Allowed to Use Discretion.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—A telegraphic consultation between the President, Secretary of War and Gen. Sherman, resulted in leaving everything to the discretion of Gen Schofield.

Death of a Prominent Journalist.

NEW YORK, May 1,—Jno. R. Thompson, of the *Evening Post*, formerly editor of the *Southern Literary Messenger*, is dead.

Tribute to the Memory of James Brooks.

NEW YORK, May 1.—All the papers contain tributes to the memory of Jas. Brooks.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Forty million of new bonds have been sent the Syndicate.

According to the debt statement there is a decrease of two and one-fourth million of coin in the Treasury, and nearly seventy-seven million in currency.

The Supreme Court in the case of the Police Jury vs. Brittan, from Louisiana, holds that certain coupons issued by he Police Jury of Tensas parish, on account of levee work in 1869, were unauthorized. Judgment reversed. In the case of Holden *et. al*, vs. Sumner *et. al.*, the Court decides that all statutes of Prescription and Limitation were suspended at least in the Federal Courts during the war, which in Louisiana was not determined until the proclamation of the President of April, 1866. Decree affirmed.

Calling in Funds.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The Broadway Bank to-day called in 1,200,000 dollars on account of the payment of interest, and maturing of bonds of the city.

Steamer Sunk.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Steamer Francis Wright hence for Wilmington, N. C., sunk at sea to-day. The crew was saved. Capt. Fairchild of the Francis Wright makes the following statement: April 30 at 11,35 p.m., The shaft on the port engine broke in the steam stuffing box carrying away sleeve, dead wood, &c., the after part of the ship filling rapidly with water. The engineer finding it impossible to stop, leak shut off the sea injection, and put on the bilge injection and Donnelly pumps, and also put the mate with all hands on the forward pumps. The ship was sinking fast at 12:15 a. m., and was filling so fast that it put the fires in the main boiler. I signalled a passing steamer and understood her name to be "Claribel" and asked the Capt. to assist in towing the vessel ashore on the beach. They found it impossible to do any thing for us.

May 1 at 1:30 a. m. I found it unsafe to remain on board any longer, and abandoned the vessel. She went down the stern first in about 25 minutes after the boats left. The schooner John Kelso, from Virginia, took us on board and brought us to this port. The Francis Wright was built in 1865 at Fair Haven, and was 697 tons.

Death of Commodore Smith—A Terrible Tradegy in Kentucky.

ST. LOUIS May 1.—Commodore William Smith who commanded the frigate Congress when sunk by the Confederate Ram Merrimac, is dead, aged 70 years.,

Advices from Marshall county, Ky. gives an account of a tragedy in that county some days ago. It appears that a year ago, James Daughtery married a daughter of Howell Smith. They lived unhappily and finally separated. On Monday last Smith told Dougherty he could settle the difficulty between him and his wife. Dougherty instantly shot the old man dead, and fled, subsequently he was captured and was being taken back to Marshall county, when a son of the murdered Smith being one of the capturing party, fired on Dougherty wounding him in the head and arm, after which he clubbed his gun and with the butt end of it crushed Dougherty's head into a jelly.

Opening of the Vienna Exposition.

VIENNA, May 1.—The World's Exhibition was inaugurated this afternoon by the Experor of Austria, with imposing ceremonies in the presence of a vast assemblage of people from all parts of the earth. The proceedings began with an address from the Archduke Charles to the Emperor, congratulating his majesty on the auspicious event, and asking him to pronounce the Exhibition open. The Emperor replied briefly, expressing his satisfaction at the completion of the preparations for the great work, and then formally declared the universal Exhibition of 1873 opened.

An Act Declared Unconstitutional.

ST. LOUIS, May 1.—The Supreme Court has declared unconstitutional an act of the Legislature, establishing what is known here as the "west city limits," and which has since been added to the city as the thirteenth ward. The act also provides for a Board of Park Commissioners with power to purchase or condemn land for park purposes, to issue bonds and levy and collect taxes, all of which has been done, and will now have to be undone, leading to many complications and much vexation.

A Prophet Come to Grief.

AUGUSTA, May 1.—Joseph T. Curray, who styles himself Prophet Elijah, divinely commissioned to teach a new dispensation and convicted of fornication at the last term of the Columbia Superior Court, has been sentenced by Judge Gilson to imprisonment for six month in the county jail, and pay five hundred dollars. Curray had an ample opportunity to escape, but preferred to be made a martyr of. He is now in jail in Columbia county.

New York Items.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Otis D. Sevran & Co., have suspended.

The Chamber of Commerce held its annual meeting to-day, and re-elected W. E. Dodge, President, Geo. Opdike, W. M. Vermilyon, Samuel D. Babcock and Jason Humphreys, Vice Presidents.

The May interest on bonds of the Mobile & Montgomery Rail Road Company have defaulted. The President of the Company in a letter ircular, however, says it will be paid soon.

Ministerial Resignations.

ROME, May 1.—In consequence of the adverse vote of the Chamber of Deputies on the appropriation for an arsenal at Toronto, the ministers have tendered their resignation, which have been accepted. There has been no announcement made of the statesmen to whom the formation of a new ministry has been trusted.

Murder of a Sister-in-Law.

CINCINNATI, May 1.—At Bremen Ohio, last evening, Mrs. Kellinberger was shot and instantly killed by her brother-in-law, John Schmyer, while attempting to release some of her cattle which the latter had impounded. Mrs. Kellenberger was a widow and the head of a large family. Schmeyer is in jail.

Railroad Meeting.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 1.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the C. & C. R. R, was held to-day. The reports of the President and Superintendent were satisfactory to the Stockholders. President Magratt, was unanimously re elected and vacancies filled in the Board of Directors.

Decline in Sugar.

HAVANA, May 1.—In consequence of the great decline in sugars heavy sugar contractors lose largely. Buyers of exchange are careful It is believed Havana houses, with few exceptions, will be able to stand the losses, though it is feared in case of further decline, prominent foreign and domestic houses will be compelled to suspend.

DAILY NEWS.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

One square, one insertion	$1 00
One square, two insertions	1 50
One square, three insertions	2 50
One square, six insertions	3 00
One square, one month	8 00
One square, three months	16 00
One square, six months	30 00
One square, twelve months	50 00

For larger advertisements, liberal contracts will be made. Ten lines solid nonpareil constitute one square.

The Strikers.

BOSTON, May 1.—The striking horse shoer who assailed a non society man, was sentenced to six months imprisonment.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The strike of the Crispins is successful. The men are working at the new rates.

Indian Troubles in the Northwest.

OTTAWA, May 1.—Lt. Gov. Morris, of Manitoba, has gone to Fort Garry, in consequence of the reported Indian trouble in the Northwest.

A Toronto special from Fort Garry asserts that the reports of Indian troubles are baseless.

From Rio Janerio.

RIO JANERIO, May 1.—The Ministry is divided upon the proper course in the dispute between the clergy and freemasons.

Yellow fever has almost disappeared from here and other sea coast ports.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—For the South Atlantic States easterly and southeasterly winds with diminishing pressure, followed by cloudy weather with occasional rain.

[The telegrams last night came to us in such a muddled state that it was impossible to put any sense to a portion of them.]

INDEPENDENT.—FOR COMMISSIONER OF MIDDLE WARD.—We are authorised to announce H. T. CLAWSON, Esq., as an independent candidate for Commissioner for the Middle Ward. Election 5th of May.

may 1-td

COMMERCIAL REPORT.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Cotton steady; sales 2,764 bales. Uplands 19⅜; orleans 19⅞.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Whiskey a shade firmer—92. Wheat la3c. lower and holders disposed to realize. Corn la2c. lower on old; new steady. Rice quiet and steady. Pork steady and moderate business. Lard quiet at 9⅜a9⅝c. Naval Stores quiet. Tallow steady. Freights firmer.

Cotton—Net receipts 752 bales; gross 752 bales. Sales for export 25 bales; last evening 25 bales.

Sales of cotton for future delivery to-day 21,300 bales, as follows: May 18½a18¾; June 18¾a19; July 18 15-16a19⅛; August 18⅞a19; September 18¾a18⅞.

Money closed at ⅛a1-32. Sterling 8⅜. Gold 116⅜a116⅞. Governments steady. States quiet and steady.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, May 1.—Regular settling day. No transactions.

Evening—Bullions increased £55000

PARIS, May 1.—Rentes 54 and 10.

LIVERPOOL, May 1.—Cotton opened to-day uplands 9a9⅛; orleans 9⅝.

LATER—Cotton dull and unchanged. Sales 12,000 bales. Speculation and export 2,000. Breadstuns quiet.

Evening—Turpentine 41. Rosin 8. Cotton to arrive firmer.

Wilmington Markets.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 1.—Spirits Turpentine dull at 46. Rosin dull at $2.50 for strained. Crude Turpentine steady, $2 for hard, $3.25 for yellow dip and $3.50 for virgin. Tar quiet at $3.

Cotton Markets.

BALTIMORE, May 1.—Cotton dull, middling 19⅛.

CHARLESTON, May 1.—Cotton quiet at 18¾.

NORFOLK, May 1.—Cotton firm and active, low middling 18.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 1.—Cotton firm, middling 18.

BOSTON, May 1.—Cotton quiet; middling 19¾.

MOBILE, May 1.—Cotton quiet at 17¾a 18.

NEW ORLEANS, May 1.—Cotton lower at 18½.

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ap 26-2w C. B. HARRISON.

FOR EASTERN WARD COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce Alfred Upchurch, Esq., a candidate for Commissioner from Eastern Ward at the approaching city election. apr28td*

FOR EASTERN WARD COMMISSIONER.

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