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PLEASE NOTICE. We will be glad to receive communications from our friends on any and all subjects of general interest but: The name of the writer must always be furnished to the Editors. Communications must be written only on one side of the paper. Personalities must be avoided. And it is especially and particularly understood that the editors do not always endorse the views of correspondents, unless so stated in the editorial columns.

STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

THIRTIETH DAY. [Raleigh News.] RALEIGH, Oct. 10, 1875.

Mr. Turner presented a petition from the Grand Jury of Wake county, praying that the General Assembly shall not pay the special tax bonds unless submitting the question to the people at the ballot box. Calendar.

CALENDAR.

The ordinance to amend article 11 by the addition of a new section, was taken up. The following is the proposed section: The Constitution of this State be added at the end of said section as follows: "The foregoing provision for imprisonment with hard labor shall be construed to authorize the employment of such convict labor on public works or highways, or other labor for public benefit, and the farming out thereof, where and in such manner as may be provided by law."

CAROLINA.

Tournament and Ball at Pelham, Rockingham county, on the 15th. A 715 lb. bale of cotton was sold in the Charlotte market on Saturday. A protracted meeting is in progress in Tryon street M. E. Church in Charlotte. Forty bars of tobacco will do for an Iredell farmer. Mr. John Dalton is the farmer. The Second Presbyterian Church in Charlotte was worshipped in for the first time last Sunday. The late corn crop west of the Blue Ridge is reported to be much injured by the late heavy frosts. The Charlotte Observer records the death at Davidson College, last Friday night, of Wm. Shakespeare Harris, an old and esteemed resident, and several times a member of the Legislature from Cabarrus county. The Monroe Enquirer says: A little child of Mr. Robert Fowler died on Saturday, the 2d inst., from burns received about a week before by his clothes catching fire. This makes the third case of this kind that we have published in the last three weeks. The Shelby Aurora says: Since the Sewing Machine Company has been operating in our midst, walnut lumber is finding a good market. This lumber is used for the table of sewing machines. We saw the lumber of one tree at the factory, which put in the pocket of the owner the neat little sum of forty-four dollars. The Statesville Landmark says: Capt. W. H. Green has filled the office of Master of Transportation of the N. C. D. of the R. & D. R. R. with great satisfaction to his company. As a substantial appreciation of his efficient services the R. & D. Railroad have recently promoted him to the important office of Superintendent of the N. C. Division.

The Reidsville News says: Col. D. Settle was thrown from his sulky on Saturday last, while driving a young mule, and made a very narrow escape from being mangled to death, his foot having hung under the vehicle as he fell, and his person dragged a considerable distance. Fortunately he recovered the lines, checked the frightened mule, and with much bruising and several scars extricated himself from a most hazardous situation.

LIST OF LETTERS.—The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the City Postoffice October 12, 1875: A—W T Armstrong, Mrs Martha Anderson. R—Miss Kate Bryant, Mrs Anakey Black, Mrs Ellen J Brantley, Mrs Fanny Blossom, 2, Mrs Emma V Brown, Mrs S B Boyer, Mrs Phoebe Beery, Harrison Blanton, Julius A Brown, Theophilus Betts, Wm H Boyette, Capt Peter W Bonowell. C—Mrs Annie E Canaday, Miss Mary Clark, Miss Nancy R Chadwick, Benj G Chavis. D—Wm Dixon, C H Dove, E Davis, Lewis Davis, R J Darden, Mrs Nancy Durham. E—Patrick Evans, Daniel Ellis, E Brester Faison, P A Fulcher. G—Mrs Colarah Green, Mrs Isaac N Green, J W Godwin, Mrs Hester Gause, Mr Gabrell. H—Catharine Hawkins, Mrs Elizabeth Hansley, T Henderson, W H Hardy. I—Ned Innett, 2. J—Miss Nancy Jarrell, Miss Mariah J Judge, Mrs Martha Jones, J Johnson, Mrs Nancy Jones. K—Michael Kelly, Jas H King. L—Miss Lizzie Lamb, Miss Nancy Lamb, Geo Lewis. M—E McClellan, Henrietta McCoy, Miss Hattie Mitchell, J M S Merrick, Jas Mathis, Miss Nelly T May, Mrs R A Moore, Thos E Mayer, Mrs Swift Miller, Miss Silva Moore. N—John Neal, Isaac Northrop, Miss Violet A Nixon. O—Turner Olemu. P—H R Perry, Miss Harriet Perkins, Mrs Ann Peterson, Richard Price. R—Mrs Rosa Revis, Samuel I Reed, Miss Katie Ryan, T B Rast, Miss Joe Robbins. S—Mrs Laura Singletary, Miss Kate Sholar, Miss Mary Skipper, Alex Sampson, B Schmitt, Daniel C Smith, Thomas Sampson, Wm Stanhope, W N Sheppard, W H Strause, Messrs Sharp & Son. T—Alman H Tracy, Alphonzo P Thayer, John Taylor, John A Taylor, Lewis Thompson, Miss Margaret Thigpen, Solomon Thomas, Mrs Rosa Thornton. V—Mrs Edward Vanlear. W—A W Wiggs, Delta Wilson, Wm Willson, W H Walton, Genam Walker, Miss Kate Williams, Mrs Jane Williams.

Mail Hours.

The mails will close at the City Post Office until further notice as follows: Northern (night) mails for all points North, East and West of Weldon, daily at 5:45 P M. Daily through and way (day) mails except Sunday..... 6:30 A M Southern mails for all points South, daily..... 5:15 P M Charleston, daily at..... 5:30 A M Fayetteville (C & E Railway) daily (except Sundays)..... 2:30 P M Charlotte mail close at..... 2:30 P M Smithville (via Easy Hill and Town Creek) Tuesdays and Saturdays, 6:00 A M Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Mondays and Fridays, 1:00 P M Fayetteville by Carolina Central Railway, daily (except Sundays) 5:30 A M Oaslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday..... 6:00 A M The Smithville mails, by steamboat, close at 3 P M, daily, except Sundays. Mails delivered from 6:30 A M to 7:30 P M, and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A M. Stamp Office open from 8 A M to 12 M, and from 2 to 6 P M. Money Order or Register Department open same as stamp office. Stamps for sale at general delivery when stamp office is closed. Key Boxes accessible at all hours, day and night. Mails collected from street boxes every day at 5 P M.

LOCAL NEWS.

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GOLD is quoted in New York to-day at 146. WILMINGTON peanuts are quoted in New York at from \$2 20 to \$2 45 per bushel.

It is useless to talk about beginning to do better to-morrow; either begin to-day, or say nothing about it.

He that will not reason is a bigot; he that cannot reason is a fool, and he that does not reason is a slave.

COTTON in New York easier at 13 1/2 to 14; spirits turpentine firm at 39 and rosini steady at \$1.70 to \$1.75 for strained.

"GRASS-WIDOW" has been corrupted from "Grace-widow," meaning a divorced wife, or a widow by grace of the law.

THERE are 2,750 languages. Two persons die every second. A generation is fifteen years; average of life, thirty-one years.

A bunch of keys, belonging to Mr. S. Solomon, was found at the Post office this morning, where that gentleman can obtain them.

Look out for the epizootic. Wet weather is sure to bring it. Men with rough horse-sense will appreciate this personal warning.

DEPREZ & BENEDETTI's original New Orleans gigantic minstrels will be in Wilmington on Wednesday, the 20th inst. Their advance sheet, entitled the "Minstrel Herald," is already on our streets.

ATHLETIC CLUB.—There will be a meeting of the St. George and St. Andrew's Athletic Club this evening, at which time they will arrange a programme to be observed at the opening of their grounds next month.

A MAN walks 3 miles in an hour; a horse trots 7; steamboats run 18; sailing vessels 10; slow rivers flow 4; rapid rivers 7; moderate winds blow 7; storm moves 36; hurricane, 80; a rifle ball, 1,000; sound, 173; light, 190,000; electricity, 280,000.

AMUSEMENTS.—Mrs. J. A. Gutes will play in Petersburg November 1st. Harry Watkins and the Hoffman Opera Troupe November 22d and 23d. Katie Putnam December 24th and 25th and the Berger Family of Swiss Bell Ringers December 28th and 29th. They all seem to be heading this way.

THE ROSE BUD BAND.—Our Senior acknowledges the compliment of a delightful serenade rendered some time during last night's small hours, by the Rose Bud Band of this city, under the leadership of Allen Evans. They played several fine airs, which were well executed and duly appreciated.

WORTH KNOWING.—A horse can exert his greatest strength in a straight line, being equal to twenty-seven men in this direction. This is seen in the way they draw loads on the road. In a circle the horse exerts his greatest strength in a diameter of forty feet. Reduce the diameter of the circle one-half, and you reduce the power of the horse two-fifths.

STEAMSHIP W. P. Clyde, cleared yesterday for New York, went to sea on Main bar this morning.

A barrel of flour weighs 196 pounds, a barrel of pork 200, barrel of rice 600, barrel of powder 24, firkin of butter 56, tub of butter 84.

THE steamer Urbana, from New York for Charleston, which put in here last week for coal, has been supplied and will probably leave for her destination this afternoon.

THE Anniversary Parade of the White Fire Department takes place to-morrow afternoon. Let us hope that the fates will be propitious and grant them good weather for the display.

THE COMETS.—This colored military organization from Charleston, some fifty odd in number, arrived on the train this morning. They were received at Union Depot by the colored military of this city, and were escorted to their quarters at Giblem Lodge. There will be a ball to-night and target exercise at Hilton to-morrow.

By order of the Mayor, Capt. Fitzgerald had fifteen females from the guard house before him, yesterday, and after cautioning them against ever appearing in court again, under the penalty of being severely punished, he dismissed them. They went on their way rejoicing. This leaves only one woman in the guard house.

LAST NIGHT'S MUSIC.—Notwithstanding a serious drawback in the way of the weather, the Cornet Concert Club gave one of their delightful entertainments last evening in the beautiful boulevard on Third, between Dock and Orange streets. It was listened to with much pleasure by the many who were present. We are glad to learn that the Club will give still another, and perhaps others, of these delightful concerts before the close of the season.

W. L. I. AND C. F. L. A.—Our two fine military companies, the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Cape Fear Light Artillery, under the command of their respective commanders, went through the manual and sundry military evolutions, yesterday afternoon, at the corner of Sixth and Ann Streets, greatly to their own credit and to the appreciation of the large number of ladies and gentlemen who had assembled there to witness the parade. The citizens would be glad to see these companies on the street, either in company or battalion drill, at least once each month.

MAYOR'S COURT.—The following cases were disposed of by the Mayor this morning: Sam Bell, charged with obtaining money under false pretences. The case was dismissed by the prosecutor by defendant retaining the money and paying costs. W. J. Carter, for two cases of disorderly conduct, was fined \$10 and costs for one and dismissed on the payment of costs for the other.

Cornelius Kelly was also up for two cases of disorderly conduct. He paid the costs in both and was dismissed. The two last named individuals were arrested for shooting off fire arms within the city limits. We are glad to see that the Mayor is stopping this out-occurring nuisance.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—The Board of County Commissioners, present Chairman Wagner and Commissioners Van Arman, Morris and Nixon, met in adjourned session in this city yesterday afternoon, but transacted very little business of general interest.

Applications of F. W. Manning, in reference to his taxes, was granted; of W. J. Gordon in reference to his property, was referred to Finance Committee; of Alfred Howe, for reduction of assessment was referred to Finance Committee.

H. Brunhild & Bro. were granted license to retail spirituous liquors. Application of T. J. Hewett, accompanied by a certificate of the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Onslow county, for board, nursing and furnishing a coffin for a citizen of New Hanover, who died in that county, was disallowed and the Clerk notified to return the application.

Bills of Alex. Sampson and W. H. Moore were referred to the Auditing Committee. The consideration of the matter of the injunction against the county was postponed until the next meeting.

The Board then adjourned to meet again this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A CAUTION.—The public are cautioned against dropping letters in the Postoffice without stamps as, under a recent regulation from the office of the Postmaster General, all such are immediately sent to the Dead Letter office at Washington City. It is a silly regulation, and should be repealed, as it can be productive of no good and eventually entails greater trouble on the Department. Under the former plan of advertising them at the local office, nine out of ten letters were recovered and properly stamped.

THE VERY FIRST.—The first communication ever had in this city, by telegraph, with a vessel at sea, took place yesterday, the parties in the city being Messrs. Heide Bros., and the ship the Norwegian barque Nyje, Capt. Hendrickson, bound in. The barque arrived off the bar and signaled for a pilot, and at the same time and in the same way, sent in a message to Messrs. Heide Bros., which was received at the telegraph office in Smithville and sent over the wires to this city. This is the first instance of the kind ever known in this locality.

THE CAPE FEAR FAIR.—Our citizens generally, and the ladies in especial, are earnestly requested to lend their best efforts toward promoting the success of the next Fair of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association, which falls due the second week in November. We have an active, energetic and enterprising people, and if they would only each one help a little the Fair could be made by far the most successful one ever known to the people of this section. The ladies, who have heretofore done so nobly, are appealed to to make their own peculiar province, Floral Hall, a cabinet of beauty and attraction, and the gentlemen are urged to contribute something besides their money; to give personal attention and to take a personal interest in the conduct of the affair, and especially in the matter of securing articles for exhibition.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. James A. Willard has been appointed Superintendent of the Fair, and his large experience and earnest application to the duties of that position will contribute greatly to the success of the exhibition.

WILMINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.—This Cemetery occupies a beautiful site on Market street, extending about one and a half miles from the Market House. The lot is an irregular figure of several sides. It fronts on Market street for a distance of three hundred feet in a right line, and the west side is also a right line, about seven hundred feet long; the remainder of the contour is broken into compound curves conforming to the outline of the adjacent creek.

The lot contains about five acres of gracefully undulating land, and was purchased by the United States for the sum of \$2,000. A beautiful lodge building was built near the main entrance, on Market street, in 1874, of rubble stone, one and a half stories high, with Mansard roof, and surrounded by a neat little garden. In this building resides Mr. M. Dellagham, the Superintendent of the Cemetery, under whose care the grounds always present a neat and attractive appearance of cleanliness and good order.

We have noticed for some weeks past, that some improvements were being made at this depository of the Union Dead, but we have not until recently made any inquiry respecting the character and extent of the same.

The Cemetery is now being enclosed with a very substantial and neatly built wall, on the plan of double panels, with piers resting on a foundation of hard brick, laid in cement, which foundation extends to an average depth of three and a half feet below the surface.

The piers on the front are capped with pyramidal-shaped stone from the quarries at the Manassas battle field, being of a dark red color, and contrasting well with the neatly-laid bricks and white mortar. The panels being laid at elevations to conform with the grade of the ground, lend a beautiful and graceful view, when approached either from the East or West, and add much to the natural beauty of the situation.

These improvements commenced on or about the middle of July last, and have been carried forward with much energy and dispatch, by Mr. Jno. J. Lennen, U. S. Contractor, under the direction of Col. Wm. B. Gaw, Engineer U. S. A.

The Charlotte street force is now two strong.

Dr. Benj. F. Cobb is to be associated with Dr. H. S. Norcom in the conduct of the new drug store spoken of by us yesterday. The firm name will be Cobb & Norcom.

KEEP AN EYE TO WINDWARD.—Dangerous counterfeiters are in circulation of the denomination of \$5 of the following banks: The First National Bank of Chicago, Ill.; the Traders' National Bank of Chicago, Ill.; the First National Bank of Paxton, Ill.; the First National Bank of Canton, Ill. Nearly the entire amount of genuine \$5 notes of these banks has been withdrawn from circulation, and no additional issues will be made.

FOR THE FAIR.—We have seen, recently, a very handsome toy chamber set of furniture, manufactured by Mr. J. J. Bowden, of this city, for exhibition at the State Fair and at the Fair of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association. It consists in all of ten pieces, not one of which would more than cover the palm of the hand, and was cut out with a pocket knife from the cedar wood of which cigar boxes are made. It is upholstered with crimson rep, and some of the pieces are very handsomely carved. All of the work was done with a pocket knife and must be seen to be thoroughly appreciated.

Mr. Bowden is also engaged at this time on some handsomely ornamented and carved picture frames, which we hope may be placed with the set on exhibition at the Fair.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOWARD RELIEF FIRE ENGINE CO., No. 1. OFFICE OF RECORDING SECRETARY, J. October 12, 1875. MEMBERS.—You are ordered to appear at the Engine House, in full Uniform, for Parade, to-morrow (Wednesday), afternoon, at 2 o'clock, sharp. By order of Foreman, W. J. BUHMANN, R. S. 11

FOR RENT.

A COMFORTABLE DWELLING HOUSE on North side of Market, between Second and Third streets. Apply to oct 12-11 CROSLY & MORRIS.

TONSORIAL.

CLEAPOR & KING, Barbers and Hair Dressers, North Front St., just above the Dawson Bank Building. Employ only first class workmen and guarantee satisfaction to all. Ladies and gentlemen served at residence when so desired. oct 12 5-11

SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK.

Brunswick Bridge and Ferry Co. A limited number of SHARES CAPITAL STOCK in this dividend (monthly) paying corporation. For sale by CROSLY & MORRIS, Auctioneers, oct 12-11 Stock & Real Estate Brokers.

MILLINERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO inform the ladies that she has just returned from New York, where she has been several weeks making her Fall purchases in FINE FRENCH MILLINERY, and will be prepared in a few days to show her friends and the public generally the latest styles in FRENCH PATTERN BONNETS AND HATS and everything pertaining to the business. I have also a very fine selection of Fancy Goods, consisting of LADIES' CORSETS, HOOP SKIRTS, POMPADOUR LACES, FRINGES, BUTTONS, SLIPPER PATTERNS, MOTTOES AND FRAMES, Linen Collars and Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Kuching Belts, Switches, Braids, and the largest and cheapest stock of Zephyr Worsted and Shetland Wool to be had this side of Baltimore. Orders from the country solicited and attended to with promptness and care. VARIETY STORE, 42 Market Street. Mrs. L. FLANNAGAN. oct 12 1-11-11

THE WEED.

SMOKERS WILL FIND A LARGE AND choice assortment of the most popular brands of CIGARS, TOBACCO AND SNUFFS at the store of JAMES W. LIPPITT, North Front Street, opposite Parcell House. A full and complete assortment of the most desirable goods in this line kept always on hand. The stock is constantly being replenished, and smokers, chewers and dippers will find there the best goods at the lowest prices. oct 12 1-6m-needew