

terday says: The convicts at work on the Vir-

ginia and Carolina Southern Railr form a motley crew. There are preachers, lawyers and doctors in the lot, and shoveling dirt is to them unaccustomed work-or was before they began work for the State. Dr. Jay who is serving a term for killing his two children at Asheville some two years ago, is one of the number, and the man in charge of the work says Dr. Jay makes a mighty good hand.

## Big Comet.

A number of our citizens are getting up early these mornings to see the splendid comet in the southeastern heavens. It is getting brighter with each day.

Ex-Judge Sutton represents Levy. Mile G. Renaudot, a noted writer on There is no question as to the fact scientific subjects and a member of the that Levy killed Ray, but he claims Astronomical society who has been obthat it was an accident; serving the comet of 1907 from the Juvensy Observatory in France, has that he was drunk, and formed an opinion of what would went to slash at another man when he stumbled and fell, the knife happen in event this comet, which stabbing Ray in the leg, severing an is described as a great puff of wind, of fautastic shape, about 20,000,000 artery, from which he died in a very miles in length, would collide with the short while. Levy made his escape, but later came to the city and surrenearth.

dered to the Sheriff. In all probability, she says, the first The following compose the jury: L. effect would be a diminution of oxy-B. McFadyen, J. N. Cameron, W. H. gen in the air. There would be ex-Culbreth, Walter McDonald, J. W. Lee, tremely low spirits, a general depression, a dull lethargic stupor. Busi-W. P. Powers, W. A. Baggett, W. R. Maxwell, Jno. Purnell, Jr., R. S. West, ness would cease and a cold terror would fall on the earth, until the comet W. E. Wood and W. A. Crumpler. passed away.

"Then, with the diminition of nitrogen and the increase of oxkgen in the air, a great reaction would be produced. First there would be a happy satisfaction, and irresistible galety, then would come nervous excitement, caused by a more rapid combustion of the blood in the lungs and its more rapid circulation. A wild orgy would follow. The whole of humanity would palpitate to the beating of one heart and on Mr. J. J. Pate, which was begun fifthe end the brain would be attacked hy oxygen. The world would be transfixed into wid madness, and partransfixed into wild madness, and parending in final exhaustion. But this will probably never happen."

## Death of Mr. R. J. Beard.

Mr. R. J. Beard, who was brought from Latta, S. C., recently suffering with a hopeless case of peritonitis, died early yesterday morning. The remains were taken to the home of the deceased's father, Mr. William Beard, at Beard's Station for Burial.

at Beard's Station for Bara. Ten Years in Bed. "For ten years I was confined to my sed with disease of my kidneys," writes R. A. Gray, J. P., of Oakville, ind. "It was so severe that I could not move part of the time. I consulted the very best medical skill avsilable, but could get no reliet until Foley's Kidnay Cure was recommended to me." Mo-Duffle Drug Store (O. O. Souders, Pron.) Prop.)

the Grand Jury are to be of secret assault. The judge has not for the diligent manner in which they yet pronounced sentence. The crime have tried to break up the many "blind of secret assault is punishable by imtigers" of the county, there having prisonment of from one to twenty been thirty or forty of these cases years, a fine of \$2,000, or both. disposed of. Judge E. B. Jones has been highly

Make Levy on Trial for Murder. commended by everyone for the busi-[From Friday's Daily.] nesslike and expeditious manner in The Solicitor has added the 120th which he has conducted the court. His case to the docket of the Superior

charge to the several juries have been Court now in session for the trial of eminently fair; his advice to defendcriminal cases. ants convicted of crime has been point-The trial of Make Levy, for the mur-

ed and pertinent and his sentences der of Will Ray on the outskirts of have showed that he believed in disthis city on the Fourth of July, was pensing justice, seasoned with mercy. begun at noon to-day, and by one Judge Jones will hold our Civil and o'clock recess, the jury had been se-Criminal Courts this fall, and all suitlected and four witnesses examined. ors may rest assured that they will get a fair and impartial trial in his court.

The court will not adjourned until this evening.

Cases Disposed Of. Other cases disposed of since yes

erday afternoon were: Walter west, larceny, guilty; four months on county roads. Lena Strange, forcible trespass; not

guilty. Roger Brown, who was convicted of retailing Thursday, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and costs, otherwise he goes to the roads for 90 days. Charles Tyson, white, making whisky; jury verdict not guilty.

So far this court has imposed fines Strange to relate, there was not a amounting to \$475; sentences to the challenge by either the State or the roads aggregate 89 months, and to the defendant, both sides being content penitentiary aggregating 48 months. Report of Grand Jury. When the prisoner was arraigned,

The Grand Jury, which adjourned Solicitor Sinclair stated in open court last night, reported as follows: that he would not ask for a verdict of To His Honor, Judge Jones:

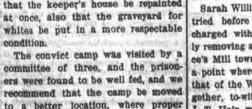
murder in the first degree. The Grand Jury has passed on and The trial of J. F. West, a policeman found 58 true bills of indictment. We of the city of Fayetteville, charged have made seven presentments. with an assault with a deadly weapon The County Home was visited by committee of five, and they found yesterday afternoon, was concluded fifteen inmates well cared for. We esthis morning, the jury returning a verpecially commend the care taken of dict of guilty. The Judge imposed a the infirm in the hospital by the keep fine of \$25 and costs. This jury was er's wife. We recommend that th composed as follows: Wash Carter, houses recently built be painted, and Walter McDonald, J. W. Lee, W. P. Powers, W. A. Baggett, R. S. West, that the keeper's house be repainted

W. E. Wood, J. D. McCorquodale, D. L. Crumpler, W. E. Williford, J. B. condition. Downing, J. B. Jackson.

The case of Henrietta Spearman, re tailing, was nol prossed with leave. John McNelll, carrying concealed weapon, guilty; 60 days an roads. Alex. Williams, rape and incest; defendant called and failed, and indrainage can be had. stanter capias issued for him.

LATER.

afternoon, counsel for Levy submitted to a verdict of manslaughter, and the Judge sentenced him to two years in the court-house. the penitentiary.



Smith and Britt Cameron, colored. She We further recommend that Justices was bound over to the Criminal Court of the Peace be requested to make in the sum of \$50,

their reports to the Clerk of the Court at each term of the Criminal Court. We further recommend that the Courty Commissioners place a bell in ter's Rocky Mountain Tea each week; Shortly after court reconvened this at each term of the Criminal Court.

thomad J. O. WEST, berry's Son. Prop.)

Creek; J. R. Strickland, Rockfish. measure, is a good thing for North Second Week-Duncan McColl, Ced-Carolina. The serious question confronting the Democracy is whether or River; W. O. Haywood, Flea Hill; J. not it shall enter the campaign of L. Scott, Cross Creek: E. C. Geddie 1908, handicapped by a "combine," in

Pearce's Mill: J. W. McLaurin, Cedar which men are to be elected to both Creek; John Munns, Black River; A. branches of the legislature, condition-West, J. H. Harmon, Seventy-First; ally on pledges to pass a certain law E. H. Jackson, Cedar Creek; C. E. and to vote for a certain man for of-Hall, Gray's Creek; T. F. Faircloth.

Cedar Creek; W. A. McMillan, J. C. As this movement is already in agi-McMillan, Pearce's Mill; D. E. Beard, tation, in ten months it will have so Beaver Dam; R. H. McDuffle, Cross solidified and chrystalized as to make Creek; J. S. McKay, Carver's Creek; the State nominating convention "cut M. J. Crumpler, Flea Hill. and dried." its assembling perfunctory It was ordered that \$6,000 he paid its mission forestalled. Its action a

to the Owego Bridge Company on acfarce and every right of the minority count of contract for Lock's Creek absolutely nullified, despite any plan bridge, the balance to be paid and the of the party organization. This "combridge accepted upon the report of bine" will create disaffection in the Jerre Respass, C. E., approving said party ranks and cause dissatisfaction bridge as fully up to contract. to the minerity; and the Republican

party, seizing the opportunity of our Fayetteville. weakness and want of harmony, will

A writer in the Rale th Enterprise make a mighty effort to capture counof recent date says: ties and parts of counties in the per In coming to this city, we had occasonnel of the legislature.

sion to stop over at Fayetteville, our For years it has been the policy of train on the Raleigh and Southport the North Carolina Democracy, tahaving reached that city before the citly understood and avowed-Atlantic Coast Line Rallroad train. ly expressed, to regard the Fayetteville shows a great impetus in liquor question as a moral question, the building lines since the Raleigh not to be thrust into a political camand Southport Railroad connected it paign. State prohibition may be a with Raleigh, the trade of which has good thing, and its adherents, as indialso increased. Sewerage system is viduals, have a right to advocate it. being laid and work on the new street But it has not the imprimatur of the railway has begun at Fayeteville. The Democratic party assembled in con-Observer has recently added a linotype vention, and enunciating its principles machine and is prospering. Mr Atkinby its platform; and no branch of the son, a clever gentleman, is foreman of party has a right to commit the Demthe paper. The Highsmith Hospital is ocracy, in advance of its State cona magnificent institution, and is a vention, to this or any other measure credit to the city. A general remod--even though it be led by the Govelling of stores on Hay street has tak-

ernor of North Carolina. en place. A new \$25,000.00 Missionary Suppose that the Democratic con-Baptist church is nearing completion vention of 1908 declares against the and ground has been broken for a party's adoption of State prohibition, new Methodist church. Haymount is what will be Governor Glenn's attitude now in the corporate limits, and is a after that convention? poem of loveliness.

J. H. MYROVER. Fayetteville, Sept. 3, 1907.

To check a cold quickly, get from our druggist some little Candy Cold Fablets called Preventics. Druggists Bound Over for Removing Landmark. verywhere are now dispensing Pre ventica, for they are not only safe, but feeddedly certain and prompt. Pre-rentice contain no Quinine, no laxa-ive, nothing harsh nor sickening. Sarah Williams, a negro woman, was tried before 'Squire Overby to-day, charged with wilfully and malicious-Taken at the "sneese stage" Preven-tics, mothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "sneese stage" Preven-tics will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchi-tis, LaGrippe, etc. Hence the name. Preventics. Good for feverish child-ren. 48 Preventics 25 cents. Trial Boxes 5 cts., Sold by B. E. Sedberry's Conly removing a stone landmark in Pearce's Mill township. The stone was at a point where five properties, besides that of the Williams woman, came together, to-wit: J. McN. Baxley and J. T. Hair, white, Geo. Jenkins, Peter

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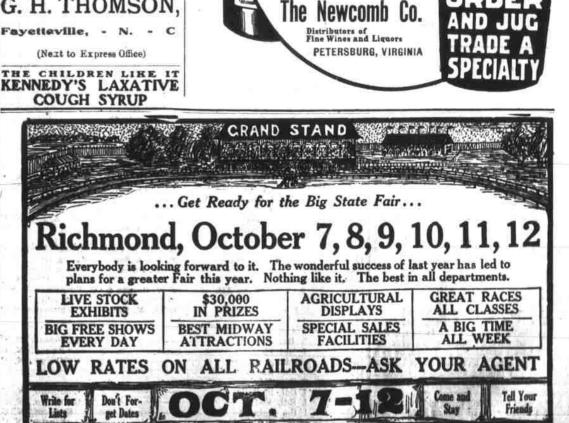
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