

# THE MORNING NEWS.

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Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publishers.

Under the head of "Special City Items," business notices will be inserted at the rate of 5 cents a line, or every insertion.

## THE RAILROADS.

### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

#### RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD.

Arrives from Richmond at.....	9:43 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	" " " "
Leaves for Richmond at.....	8:32 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	9:55 p.m.

#### NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

Arrives from Charlotte at.....	8:22 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	9:47 p.m.
Leaves for Charlotte at.....	9:48 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	9:05 p.m.
Arrives from Goldsboro at.....	8:35 p.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	10:20 p.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	7:40 a.m.
Leaves for Goldsboro at.....	9:30 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	6:00 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	9:52 p.m.

#### NORTH-WESTERN N. C. RAILROAD.

Arrives from Salem at.....	8:00 a.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	8:24 p.m.
Leaves for Salem at.....	10:00 p.m.
" " " " " " " " " "	10:00 p.m.

#### C. F. AND V. V. RAILROAD.

Arrives from Fayetteville at.....	6:15 p.m.
Leaves for Fayetteville at.....	10:00 a.m.

## THE POSTOFFICE.

Mails for the North close at 8.00 a. m. and 9.00 p. m.	
" Charlotte " 9.00 " 9.00	
" Raleigh " 9.00 " 9.00	
" Salem " 9.00 " 9.00	
" Fayetteville " 9.00 " 9.00	

The money order and registered letter office will only be open from 9.00 a. m. to 6 p. m.

General Delivery is open from 7 a. m. until 8 p. m. except when opening mails. Also, half hour after opening the Southern night mail.

Sunday hours, for general delivery, 8.00 a. m. for half hour; and half hour after the opening of the mails from both North and South.

The lock-boxes are accessible at all hours.

## RESIDENT CLERGYMEN.

<b>Presbyterian:</b>	
Dr. J. Henry Smith, N. Church St.	
Rev. E. W. Smith, Asheboro St. S. Greensboro	
<b>Baptist:</b>	
Rev. W. R. Gwaltney, S. Elm St., South Greensboro.	
<b>Methodist Episcopal:</b>	
Rev. J. E. Mann, W. Market St.	
" G. F. Smith, S. Greensboro.	
<b>Methodist Protestant:</b>	
Rev. J. L. Michaux, N. Greene St.	
" J. R. Ball, Spring St.	
<b>Episcopal:</b>	
Rev. A. H. Stubbs, N. Elm St.	

## PRODUCE MARKET.

Apples—green, per bu.....	1.00-1.50
Bacon—hog round.....	.50
Beef.....	.58
Butter.....	.82-25
Beeswax.....	.21-8
Chickens—old.....	1.50-20
spring.....	1.00-15
Corn new.....	.25-30
Corn Meal.....	.26-30
Dried Fruits—Blackberries.....	6-12
Cherries.....	7-12
Apples.....	2-3
Peaches, unpared 1-2.....	2-12
" unpared 1-4.....	2
" pared.....	.50-9
Eggs.....	.18
Feathers.....	.40
Flaxseed.....	.75
Flour—Family.....	.40-50
Superfine.....	.40-80
Onions.....	.60-80
Oats.....	.40-45
Pork.....	.62-75
Pineapples.....	.60-75
Potatoes—Irish.....	.60
Sweet.....	.50
Rags—Cotton.....	.10
Tallow.....	.6
Wool—washed.....	.30
unwashed.....	.20
Wheat.....	.50-125

## RETAIL PRICES OF GROCERIES.

Bacon—Sides.....	.10
Hams.....	.15
Shoulders.....	.8
Cheese.....	.20
Coffee—Rio.....	.19-2-3-18

# The Morning News.

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO, AND OF THE STATE.

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## THE LATEST NEWS.

### LEE'S RIFLE FOR ENGLAND'S ARMY.

#### The Military Committee Report in Favor of American System.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—It is reported this evening that Committee appointed by the War Department to determine on the rifle to be adopted by the English army have practically made their decision, and that it is in favor of the Lee, an American magazine rifle. Some further tests are to be made, but there is reason to believe that the Lee rifle has outdistanced all competitors, the Schulhoff included. The magazine of the Lee rifle is immediately under the firing chamber, as in the case of the Schulhoff, and can either be fed singly, or two or three cartridges can be inserted at a time. The entire British army is to be gradually supplied with whatever rifle may be adopted by Gen. Wood's committee. There will probably be an order for 50,000 given at first, and so on till the total reaches fully 500,000. Although the report is denied in to-day's *Globe* it is generally believed to be true, and is stated to be so by several other daily and evening papers.

It is stated here on excellent authority that the German Government is not altogether pleased with its Mauser rifle, and that it is to be used only as a stop-gap till a better arm can be discovered.

### Four Indictments Against W. L. Royal.

RICHMOND, VA., Feb. 9.—Notwithstanding the fact that the grand jury of the Hastings Court yesterday refused to indict W. L. Royal in certain cases of baratry, they to-day brought in four indictments against him. Judge Thomas S. Atkins yesterday gave the jurors until to-day to decide whether, on account of intimidation, they would answer or not the mandates of the court and carry out the oaths of jurors. His language was so emphatic that the grand jury brought in the above named indictments. The peculiar action of the jury, nothing like it ever having been known in the State, caused a great deal of interest to attach to the case. A crowd assembled in court room.

Mr. Royal filed a demurrer to the plea and this afternoon argument was heard upon the demurrer, and the Court withheld its decision until next Monday.

Mr. Royal said that he would institute at once suit for damages against each of the grand jurors, and would put the amount of damages in each case at \$10,000.

### Senate Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The Senate has confirmed the following appointments: J. R. Diller of Chicago, consul at Florence; E. J. Smithers of Delaware, consul at Tientsin; S. A. Pratt of Mississippi, consul at Zanzibar; F. B. Lowrenson, appraiser, Baltimore, Md. Postmasters—Jacob A. Bowles, Hickory, N. C.; Mary S. Sellers, Marion, S. C.

### Restraining Order Dissolved.

NORFOLK, Feb. 8.—In the United States District Court to day, Judge R. W. Hughes presiding, the case of P. T. Woodfin, executor of the will of the late Harrison Phoebus vs. Miss Anna Phoebus, widow of the testator. The Court entered an order dissolving the restraining order entered on January 26th, restraining the defendant from proceedings in the County Court of Elizabeth City. County waives its judgement upon the other questions raised until Thursday next.

## MORE ABOUT THE REJECTION OF MATTHEWS.

### A Colored Man Leads in the Opposition.—Charges of Bribery.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 8.—The remainder of the document bearing upon the nomination of Mr. James C. Matthews, of Albany, N. Y., to be Recorder of Deeds for the District of Columbia, were made public to-day in conformity with the removal of the injunction of secrecy by the Senate in secret session yesterday. The greater part of the petitions and memoranda received from persons outside of Washington, appears to have been originated by Mr. Mm. H. Johnson, (colored) of Albany, N. Y., whose name leads those attached to the petitions and whose signature alone is attached to a number of long letters, accusing Matthews of attempts at bribing him, intimidation of colored voters and uttering threats of removal of colored men from employment at the State Capitol unless they voted the Democratic ticket. Johnson further asserts that in past years Matthews was with him, an earnest Republican worker, but changed his politics for corrupt motives. Among the protesting documents is an editorial from the *Daily Troy Telegram*, characterizing Matthews as the worst kind of offensive partisan. Report of the executive committee of the Columbia Democratic club defining its position upon Home rule, and a letter from J. Owen Moore, of Washington, Orange county, N. Y., declaring that "Matthews is a scoundrel and is only using his black skin as stock and trade in politics."

### A Mysterious American Actress.

The scriptural saying about the prophet in his own country seems to be particularly applicable to actresses. Grace Hawthorne had to go to London to get a hearing, and she seems not only to have obtained the hearing, but to have profited by it. Every one will remember how the irrepressible W. W. Kelly tried to force her on the American public as a star with ill success; how she wrapped herself in the American flag, dubbed herself "Only an American Girl," and took frightful tumbles down stairway and on hard floors to get people into the theatre, but all to no purpose. Well, she is in London now as sole lessee of the Olympic Theatre, where she is playing the consumptive Camille in Mortimer's version of the play under the title of "Heartsease."

I have received a circular, which seems to indicate crowded matinees, and refers to the coming production of "Theodora." Miss Hawthorne has also leased the Princess's Theatre from Mr. Wilson Barrett and will hold both houses. With recollection of how Miss Hawthorne and her manager gyrated on the brink of the financial precipice for several seasons, no one seems to know where they obtained the money to cut such a wide swath in London, but it is said that Nichols, the wealthy London, billposter, has faith in her future and is backing the enterprise.

### A Bloody Affair in Texas.

DEKALB, Texas, Feb. 8.—Four dead bodies of men besmirched with blood and surrounded by their weeping wives and sisters lay in this little village last night. There was a duel between the four Rossers, father and three sons, and a preacher, J. O. White, resulting in the death of J. E. Rosser and the wounding of his son William, and the death of White and his two young nephews, the two last not being actively engaged in the fight. A feud had long existed be-

tween White and the Rossers on account of a disputed ownership of a farm on which White lived. The District Court issued an injunction restraining the Rossers from interfering with White, and after this the County Court granted a writ to Rosser dispossessing White. In trying to eject White the fight was brought on, the four Rossers being pitted against White in a short engagement with six shooters.

### Report on Civil Service.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Mr. Mitchell, commissioner in reporting to-day to the House from the committee on reform in the civil service, the Senate bill increasing the salaries of the civil service commissioners from 3,500 each, pays the reform a high tribute and observes that the duties of the commissioners are unpleasant because they are compelled to resist the importunities and complaints of friends, the mistrust and cavils of their opponents and the denunciations of the many who may fail to secure positions. The civil service law is the great break-water of many politicians employ it as excuse for failure to secure positions for friends and sometimes unjustly attack it.

### A Flood in Illinois.

ELGIN, Ill., Feb. 8.—Elgin awoke this morning to find a large sized flood upon the city. The Chicago street bridge is partly washed away. It was built six years ago by the Milwaukee road after the washout of the spring of 1881, boat has been swept away. There is no power to run the presses as water power is cut off and electricity is supplied through that power. There will be no daily papers here to-day.

### A Temperance Lecturer Comes to Want.

DETROIT, Feb. 9.—Augustus Littlejohn, who 40 years ago was one of the most popular authors of the day, and rivalled Gough as a temperance lecturer, applied last week to the Superintendent of the poor at Kalamazoo for subsistence as a pauper. It is stated that Bishop Littlejohn of Long Island, and the late Honorable De Witt C. Littlejohn were his nephews.

### A Brutal Assault.

CARTERSVILLE, Ga., Feb. 9.—Thursday evening while a 15-year-old daughter of T. F. Kendricks was on her way home from a neighbor's she was seized, bound, gagged and brutally assaulted by a negro. She was found insensible. When able to talk the girl told her story. It aroused the people to madness, and they scoured the country in search of the miscreant. Word reached here last night that he had been captured and lynched.

### The Randall-Lancaster Nuptials.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 9.—The marriage of Miss Annie Randall, daughter of Representative Randall, and Mr. Charles Colvert Lancaster, took place this afternoon at the family residence on Capitol Hill, at 3:30 o'clock. Only a family gathering were present at the ceremony at which Bishop Spaulding, of Peoria, Ill., officiated.

### Cheating the Gallows.

ERIE, Pa., Feb. 7.—Christian Schau, who shot and killed one daughter, wounded another and fired on an officer who arrested him on Dec. 18, hanged himself in the county jail this evening. In his pocket was found a will and a letter to his family, dated Feb. 2, showing that the act had been premeditated for some time.

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## RATES OF ADVERTISING:

One Square One Day.....	\$ 30
" " Two Days.....	75
" " Three Days.....	1 00
" " Four Days.....	1 25
" " Five Days.....	1 50
" " One Week.....	1 75
" " Two Weeks.....	3 00
" " Three Weeks.....	5 00
" " One Month.....	6 00

Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates.  
Ten lines solid Nonpareil type make one square.

## SPECIAL CITY ITEMS.

—Be sure to get a piece of Kernodle's fine meat to-day. Best supply of good meats in the market.

### Nice and Fresh.

Cakes, Ginger Snaps, Crackers, Cocoanuts, Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Royster's Candy at  
E. M. CALDCLEUGH & BRO.

Fine cabbage at the Racket Store at 3 1/2 cts lb. Sweet Potatoes 20 cts. Irish potatoes at 20—25. Turnip salad at 20c peak. Delivered anywhere in the city.

I am selling all my tin ware at cost. Also a good lot of geese feathers comparatively new. Come and examine them.

J. A. Kernodle.

The McDonald House, one hundred yards west of the depot is the best arranged Boarding House in the city; terms reasonable.

### Just Opened

another lot of those Fat Mullets at McKnight & Albright's.

P. L. George & Co's nice hams, breakfast strips, shoulders and lard, at  
M. K. CALLUM.

Graham wafer, water crackers, Sultana, fruit Dried Beef, Potatoes, Sea, foam crackers. All goods pure and fresh.  
M. K. CALLUM.

### Dinner Time.

Mince-meat, canned tomatoes, peaches, peas and corn at  
E. M. CALDCLEUGH & BRO.

### Fine French Candy.

The finest French Candy made in the United States at  
E. M. CALDCLEUGH & BRO.

### Heads the List.

At D. B. Yancey's stall this morning you will find the best and finest beef, pork and sausage in the market. He has one steer weighing nearly six hundred pounds. Yancey tries to get the best for his customers. Give him a call and supply yourselves. Orders sent him will receive prompt attention.

—Fine old native wines and brandies at  
E. G. NEWCOMB'S.

### Dike Book Company.

Ladies' Fine Note Paper, selling at cost, to make room for new purchases. Fresh supplies of Paper-covered Literature.

Valentines, Valentines, Valentines.  
DIKE BOOK COMPANY.

—Genuine excelsior and Clysnic spring waters, at  
E. G. NEWCOMB'S.

Croup, whooping cough, sore throat, sudden cold, and the lung troubles peculiar to children, are easily controlled by promptly administering Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. This remedy is safe to take and certain in its action.

—Fine old everglade rye whiskey, at  
E. G. NEWCOMB'S.

"It is worth its weight in gold," is a common expression. But, while the value of gold is easily affected, the worth of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, as a blood purifier, never depreciates. It will eradicate scrofula from the system when everything else fails.

—White label, bass ale and gunness tout, at  
E. G. NEWCOMB'S.

If you want anything in the line of Staple or fancy Groceries, Canned Goods, Baking Powders or Tea. Call on  
J. W. SCOTT & CO.

I wish to inform my friends, old customers and the public generally that I have opened a new place of business next door to the place I formerly occupied, where I shall keep constantly on hand Northern Cabbage and Irish Potatoes, and a general line of Country Produce. Also Sugar, Coffee and Bacon, which I will sell at lowest living prices for strict cash. Give me a call and be convinced.  
J. H. SWAIN,  
Davie St., next to old Steele corner

—Go to Groome's for great variety Valentines, best Chewing Tobacco, best Cigars, best Apples, Fresh Teas just received, Spices, Essences &c., &c. Fine line of Groceries, all cheap for cash at  
GROOME'S

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