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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 am " " 8.55 p m Leaves for Richmond at..... 8.32 a m Q.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 1.6 Arrives from Goldsboro at 8.35 p m " 7.40 a m Leaves for Goldsboro at..... 9.50 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 C. F. AND Y. V. RAILROAD. Arrives from Fayetteville at..... 6.15 p m

THE POSTOFFICE.

Mails for the North close at 8.00 a. m. and 0.00 p.m. Charlotte " 9.00 Raleigh " 9.00 " 9.00 Salem Fayetteville " 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.

Presbyterian: Dr. J. Henry Smith, N. Church St. Rev. E. W. Smith, Asheboro St. S. Greensboro! Rev. W. R. Gwaltney, S. Elm St., South Greensboro. Methodist Episcopal.

.Rev. J. E. Mann, W. Market St. " G. F. Smith, S. Greensboro. Methodist Protestant:

Rev. J. L. Michaux, N. Greene St. " J. R. Ball, Spring St. Episcopal:

Rev. A. H. Stubbs, N. Elm St

PRODUCE MARKET.

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	Beef5a8
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ŀ	Dried Fruits-Blackberries,
ı	Cherries 7 1-2
ı	Apples
١	Peaches, unpared 1-2, 21-2
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	Eggs 18
ı	Feathers40
ı	Flaxseed75
ı	Flour—Family 50
ı	Superfine
ŧ	Onions60a80
ŀ	Oats40a45
ı	Pork 6a7
ı	Peas60a75
ı	Potatoes-Irish60
ı	Sweet50
ı	Rags-Cotton
ı	Tallow6
ı	Wool-washed30
ı	unwashed20
	Wheat
	RETAIL PRICES OF GROCERIES.
	Bacon-Sides10
	Hamsi5
	Shoulders8
	Cheese
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Coffee-Rio..... 2-3810

The Morning Items.

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

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are raised."

GREENSBORO, N. C. MAR. 16, 1887.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

Bad on Pension Applicants.

WASHINGTON, March 14.- The Mexican war survivors and widows of soldiers in that war, will be chargrined to learn that no definite period can now be fixed when their cases will receive attention by the pension office. It is estimated that those affected by the provisions of the Mexican pension bill are about 40,000, and it is held at the pension office that it will be simply impossible to take up the cases until additional force is given the office under the law. The appropriation for the payment of Mexican pensions, \$6,900,000 in all, is only available until June 30, 1888. After that time any portion remaining unexpended must be coverted back into the treasury. The strong possibility is, therefore, that the most of it will go back and the bulk of the Mexican pensioners will have to trust to the chances of getting another appropriation from Congress.

Forest Fires in Rutherford County.

FOREST CITY, N. C., March 14 .-Forest fires in the woods Southeast of Ruthertordton are destroying much valuable timber and are burning thousands of pannels of fence. The fire is still ranging, and the dry winds increase its fury. Several farmers have lost nearly all their fences, being unable to protect themselves from the fire fiend. Unless it rains, the fire will continue to burn for sometime.

Mr. Manning's Condition.

NEW YORK, Mar. 14 .- The condition of Secretary Manning, who is ill at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, is some what improved to-day, and his condition is not considered at all dangerous, although it is said he will be compelled to postpone his departure for Europe until Saturday, when he will sail on the Umbria.

Attempt to Asassinate the Czar.

LONDON. March 15 .- The Standard commenting on the alleged attempt to assassinate the Czar says that such an event might suffice to turn the scale in the direction of war, and declares that from this point of view the outrage is one of the gravest possible significance.

MIN'OR TELEGRAMS.

A London special to the Post says : "The report of the attempted assassination of the Czar is universally be-lieved here." The Standard assures its readers that its information is re-

The President pardoned Samuel L Fleming yesterday from a fine of \$2,000 for violating the Virginia rev-

It was thought in Washington yesterday that the President will appoint the United States Commissioners on Wednesday.

The President yesterday appointed Peter F. Cogbill to be Collector of Customs at Petersburg, Va.

Lieut. Jas. S. Powell, of the Signal Service, died in Washington yesterday from softening of the brain.

Memphis had a cotton fire Sunday morning, consuming 1,300 bales. Esquire Smith, of New Orleans, was

stabled to death yesterday by Thos. The wife of Columbus Tuffer was

burned to death in Washington Sunday evening. Mme. Forget, of Montreal, died yesterday of injuries received by the bursting of a bomb shell at the

storming of the ice coast during the Gen. Miles has reported to the War Department that troops are in pursuit of renegades from the San Carlos Indian Agency, who are committing depredatious, and also of the Indian

who murdered Lieutenant Mott. M. Bey, the newly accredited Minister of Turkey, to the United States, was presented to the President yesterday, by Secretary Bayard.

ROME, March 8 .- In an interview today Cardinal Gibbons said that his and Mgre. Straniero's reports, although published through a wonderful stroke of newspaper enterprise, were in the first instance confidential. The Cardinal said;

he plutocracy of soulless corporations | deal.-Baltimore American.

and men. The Catholic Church will take the side of the weaker against the stronger in this instance. There is no question of secret societies. Powderly and many other chiefs are good Catholics. Above all, I wish it go be known that there is no essential divergence between myself and the archbishop of Quebec on this subject. French Canadian society is not that of the United States,

tions behind every hedge. "America is quite able to take care of itself and the interests of American citizens. It will be time enough to consider all sorts of side issues when they

and perhaps French ecclesiastic or ad-

ministrative mind is more inclined to

take alarm than we, and to see revolu-

Senator Gaines's Successor.

PETERSBURG, Va., March 15 .- Have not received complete returns from Twenty-eighth district, but Worsham (republican) undoubtedly elected .- Danville Register.

STATE NEWS.

A gentleman from Henry county told us on Monday that most of the town of Martinsville has been found to be covered by a deed belonging to Col. Wm. Martin and that several parties have offered to purchase the right to their establishments from him.-Leaksville Echo.

The appropriation by the Legislature for the Industrial School is \$7,500, and when established it will receive a further sum of \$15,000 from the United States which was voted at recent session of Congress. The trustees are Messrs. H. E. Fries, Rufus Barringer, G. Z. French and Elias Carr. The school will be located at Raleigh.

Fayetteville News: A day or two ago Albert Surles, a constable of Hgrnett county, went to the house of Bavid Truelove, near Dunn's, to execute a paper on the said Truelove, whereupon he resisted and defied the officer. Mr. Surles, in compliance with his papers, went to levy on some of Truelove's property, whereupon Truelove shot Surles with a shot gun.

On Friday last our truck farmers made the second shipment of radishes by the Eastern Carolina Dispatch Through Freight Line. This one shipment embraced 227 boxes and 78 barrels of radishes. These packages contained about 100,000 bunches, which should sell at 2 to 3 cents per bunch, and amount to from \$2,000 to \$3,000. For so early in the season, this is a fine shipment. A small shipment of asparagus was made on the same day. Nearly one hundred acres near New Berne are now set in asparagus. This promises to be a profitable truck year.-New Berne

From Poor's Manual, recently issued, it appears that 3,131 miles of railroad were constructed in the United States during 1885, and that at the year's close there were throughout the country 128,967 miles of rail-road completed for traffic. The gross earnings of 123,110 miles of road, as reported, were \$765,310,519; operating expenses were \$498,821,526; leaving as net earnings \$266,488,993. There were other receipts amounting to \$86,393,477, and thus a total net revenue of \$352,881,470. From this were paid as interest on bonds \$179,-681,323; other interest, \$6,571,848; dividends, \$77,672,105; and sundries, \$86,138,976; a total of \$350,064,252; leaving a balance of \$2,817,218, or about 31 per cent. of the entire capital of over \$3,500,000,000. If half the stock is water, the earnings upon the solid part amounted to about 7 per cent.—Insurance Critic.

Maud S. has a remarkable record for fleetness, but her velocity is only trivial when compared with John Thompson, the comedian, who makes a tour of the world every evening. He started again last night on the good ship "Academy of Music," with a full complement of passengers, every berth being taken, and a jollier set of passengers we never saw before; they laughed immoderately, and there was not a single case of sea-sickness during the vovage. The only serious occurrence during the trip was sickness during the voyage. The only The Cardinal and the Knights, As a comedian John Thompson cannot be surpassed; his versatility is astonishing, and imitation is out of the question.

—Exchange.

The company will play in Greensboro to-night.

aid:

"I am and ever shall be an enemy to sold. Now, then, for another alleged

Inquiry.

Editor Morning News: - I have read with a great deal of interest, your articles respecting the progress of our neighboring cities-the introduction of electrict lights, street railways. water-works, &c .- and would be glad to see these improvements in our own city, if it can be demonstrated that they are not too costly or can be made to pay. Understand me; I am not opposing progress, but believe in making haste slowly, and counting the cost before hand.

Will you be kind enough to state in your next issue how much it costs this city now for public lights, and how many gas lights are now used to light our streets, and how much more it would cost to do so by electricity?

Good paved streets and a graded school are a necessity, but I think we can get along with gas for the present, if electric light is going to cost doubly the amount now paid for public lights. Yours truly,

Greensboro, N. C., March 15, 1887.

There are in the city 59 gas lamps, which cost the city \$20.00 a year each, and 44 oil lamps, which cost six dollars a year each, making a grand total of \$1,444 per annum. As to the difference between the cost of gas and the electric light, we cannot answer as we have no means of ascertaining the cost of the latter; though, being a new thing and greatly superior to gas, the electric light doubtless will cost largely in excess of this sum .- [ED. NEWS.]

AN ACT

To Amend the Charter of the City of Greensboro, North Carolina.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA DO

SECTION 1. That the charter of the city of Greene boro be amended so as to add thereto; That the city of Greensboro shall be divided into four wards. numbered respectively, wards number 1, 2, 3 and

That ward number one (1) shall embrace all that portion of the city lying north of West Market street, and west of a line marked by North Pimstreet and a continuation thereof in the same distrect and a continuation thereof in the same district and a continuation the continuation thereof in the same district and a continuation the continua rection to the northern boundary of the city. That ward number two (2) shall embrace all that portion of the city lying north of East Market street, and east of a line marked by North Elm street and a continuation thereof in the same direc-tion to the northern boundary of the city. That ward number three (3) shall embrace all that portion of the city lying south of East Market street, and east of South F.m street. That ward number four (4) shall embrace all that portion of the city lying south of West Market street, and west of South Elm street.

SEC. 2. That there shall annually, on the first Monday in May, in each year, be elected a mayor and twelve commissioners, three from each ward, who shall hold office until their successors are qualified, all to be elected by the qualified voters of

SEC. 3. That the board of commissioners are her by authorized and empowered to issue from tin e to time, to an amount not exceeding one hundred toousand dollars, bonds in the name of the city of Greensboro, in such denomination and form, and payable at each place and time, but running not less than thirty years, nor more than fifty years, and bearing interest at no greater rate than six per centum per annum, and payable annually, or remi-annually, as said board of commissioners

Sign 4. That none of said bonds shall be issued un it approved by a majority of the qualified voters of said city, at a public election to be held at such time or times, and under such regulations as the board of commissioners may prescribe, at which election those favoring the issue of bonds shall vote "Is-ue," and those opposing it shall vote "No It-sue."

The board of commissioners shall provide special registration of the qualified voters of the city to be made for said election, for which no pre, ayment of taxes aball be required as a qualifi-cation to register or vote.

SEC. 5. That said bonds shall in no case be sold, hypothecated or otherwise disposed of, for a less

sum that their par value.

SEC. 6. That the money arising from the sale of these boads shall be used for public improvements

these boads shall be used for public improvements in said city of Gr ensboro.

SEC. 7. That the board of commissioners of the city of Greensboro is hereby authorized and empowered to ere t suitable graded school buildings, in such part of the city as they may select, to grade the city and lay out streets, to make local assessments, to provide water supplies for the city, either by erecting water-works, or by coutracting with other persons or corporations, to provide a proper system of sewerage for the city, and make all such other public improvements as the health of the cit zens, and the safety of property may require.

PEC. 8 That said bonds and their coupons shall not be subject to the city taxes until after they become duc, and the coupons on said bonds shall be receivable in payment of said city taxes for any facal year in which they fall due, or thereafter, and if the holder of any of said bonds shall fail to present the same at the time and place therein named, he shall not be entitled to more than fifteen days interest thereon, for the time they have been outstanding after maturity.

As a comedian John Thompson cannot a sufficient special tax, each and every year, u. on a sufficient special tax, each and every year, u, on all subjects of tax ition, which may be now or hereafter embraced in the subjects or tax ition, under the charter of the city, and all the amendments thereto, which taxes, so collected, shall at all times be kept separate and distinct.

But 10, That the board of commissioners may acquire, by gift or grant, lands, or easements thereon, or rights of way over the same, or the right to use springs, branches, or water courses, for the purpose of arecting and operating water-works or conducting the water to the city.

Suc. 11. If the board of commissioners cannot agree with the owners upon a price for the lands

SEC. 11. If the board of commissioners cannot agree with the owners upon a price for the lands and rights above named, they shall have the right to have the same contemned, and compensation

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fixed therefor, by filing a petition in the Superior Court of Guilford county, (meaning the clerk) against the owners of the land, making them parties, as provided in the Code, and setting forth all the facts, and describing, as near as may be, the lands, rights and easements necessar y to be condemned, and making the summons returnable in not less than twenty days, and saking that said lands, rights and easements may be condemned, and compensation for the same be assessed. On the coming in of the answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties to answer or demurrer, or on failure of the parties indicated, to condemn the same, and assess the damares, and report fully to the clerk, describing the land by meters and boundaries, and the sasements allowed, as near as possible; Provided, that the parties shall have five days notice of the time and place of meeting of the commissioners, and it shall be sufficient to serve the same on the parties or their attorneys, or file the same on the parties or their attorneys, or file the same on the parties. They may have witnesses, who may also be sworn, as provided for by law, by a justice of the peace, or other person having power to as minister an oath. The report of the free holders or a majority of them, unless good cause be shown on exception thereto, shall be confirmed and recorded and judgment shall be rendered accordingly. From this judgment, either party may appeal to the Superior Coart, under like rules as in other cases: Provided, that no appeal shall be taken from an interlocutory order in the cases. The final judgment given by the court, if it shall con grant in conveying to, and vesting said lands and rights in the board of commissioners. SEC. 12. That the board of commissioners of the

city of Greensboro shall have the power to employ detectives and autorneys, and to offer rewards for the capture and conviction of criminals and to exercise like powers in the premises, in order to bring offenders against the laws of the State and city ordinances when the crime is committed in the city limi s, to justice, and to use any funds belonging to the city, not otherwise appropriated, to cerry out this purpose.
SEC 13. That all acts and clauses of acts in con

flict with this act, be repealed. SEC. 14. This act shall be in force from and after Ratified this, the 26th day of February, A. D.,

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE.

W. L. SAUNDERS,

I. WILLIAM L. SAUNDERS, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the foregoing (eight sheets to be a true copy from the Witness my hand rnd official scal. In office at Raleigh, this 12th day of March, 1887. [L. S.] W. L. SAUNDESS.

SPECIAL CITY ITEMS.

Nice and Sweet.

Grapes ! Grapes ! Grapes ! Lake Keuka, Catawba, 21/2 lb, boxes 35 cts. at M. K. Callum's.

Lake Keuka Grapes, fresh and nice, at M. K. Callum's.

Ask for Blue Peter.

Do you know what Blue Peter is?

Have you seen Bluc Peter?

Tar Heele Liniment is sold on Church Street by J. W. Pugh. Call for Catawba and Lake Keuka

I have on hand a full line of best Liquors, Bailey's Rectified Corn Whisky and Nathans Bros, old Wheat Whiskey six years old, fine Brandies, Gin, Rum, Beer, Wines and Cigars. Price from one to ten cents each. Every man that buys whiskey from me by the drink he gets a glass of pure apple cider free of charge. This cider is nice

for family use and can be bought for

50c per gallon, Yours Very Respectfully. J. R. JEFFREYS.

M. K. Callum's.

What is Blue Peter?

Blue Peter! Blue Peter!

Early Rose, Peerless and Goodrich otatoes at Houston & Bro's.

An excess of animal food and a partial closing of the pores of the skin, during the winter months, cause the system to become filled with impurities. These can be removed and the blood purified and invigorated by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Price \$1.

Onion Sets 5c quart at Houston Bros.

-Choice Old Pennsylvania Rye Whis-E. G. NEWCOMB'S

A good Beer Pump for sale cheap R. JEFFREYS.

-Budweis and Bohemian Export Beer very fine E. G. NEWCOMB'S.

-Old N. E. and Jamaica Rum at

E. G. NEWCOMB'S Wanted

To buy a second hand soda fountain. Address, LOCK BOX 108, city postoffice.