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28th YEAR

Plastico

A Perfect Wall Coating
Combines Cleanliness and Durability
Any one can brush it on
No one can rub it off
Plastico is a pure, permanent and porous wall coating, and does not require washing off to renew as do all kalsomines. It is a dry powder, ready for use by adding cold water and can be easily brushed on by any one. Made in white and fourteen fashionable tints. Sample card free.

ANTI-KALSOMINE CO.
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.
For Sale in New Bern by E. W. Smallwood.

FITZNUGH LEE DEAD.

Distinguished Virginian Stricken With Apoplexy On Train Dies Few Hours Later.

New York, April 28.—General Lee was stricken with apoplexy while the Federal Express, on which he was a passenger, was at Mott Haven, the terminal of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, on the East River, early today. Two physicians were summoned, and General Lee remained on board the train while it was transferred by float to Jersey City and proceeded to Washington.

Washington, April 28.—General Fitzhugh Lee, United States army, retired and one of Virginia's foremost soldiers, died at the Providence Hospital here tonight from an attack of apoplexy, which he suffered early this morning on a train while en route from Boston to Washington. After General Lee had been removed to the hospital this morning it was evident to the attending physicians that his case was a very serious one, but they believed that the stroke would not prove fatal.

His condition remained fair, considering the severity of the attack during the day, but shortly after 9 o'clock he began to grow weaker, his breathing more rapid and his pulse lower terminating in less than two hours in death. The end was peaceful and without pain the General remaining conscious until five minutes before he died. Half an hour before death General Lee recognized his brother, Daniel Lee, who came into the room for a moment.

In the room when he died were Dr. Montgomery, one of the physicians at the hospital, Miss Dorsey, a relative, and a nurse, two of the attending physicians, Drs. Eddie and Kean, having retired temporarily. A pathetic feature of the case is that although General Lee had a family consisting of a wife and five children, not one of them was with him at the time of his death. The general was 68 years of age.

Arrangements for General Lee's funeral, together with the selection of the place for interment of the remains, will not be made until after the arrival in Washington of Mrs. Lee, who is now on her way to Washington from Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

General Lee had been a Confederate Major General, Governor of his State and Consul General at Havana, and was a retired Brigadier General in the United States Army and President of the Jamestown Exposition Co.

If you want a pretty face and delightful air,
Rosy cheeks and lovely hair,
Wedding trip across the sea,
Put your faith in Rocky Mountain Tea
F. F. Luffy.

Notice!

To whom it may concern:
I hereby give notice that I shall not honor any debt or assume any responsibility made by M. E. Mason in my name. Signed,
D. A. MASON.

NEW BERN PRODUCE MARKET.
WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.
Eggs, per dozen.....10-11
Chickens, old per pair.....50-55
 young, per pair.....50-55
Pork, per lb.....7-8
Live Hogs.....44-54
Beef.....6 & 7
Hides, green, per lb.....5c & 10
 dry.....5 & 10
Sausages.....20 to 25
Corn, per bushel.....75c
Oats.....57c
Peas.....55c
Potatoes, Yams.....70
Bhamans.....60

Local Grain Market.

Corn, per bushel.....55
Oats.....50
Wheat.....75
Rye.....75
Soy beans, per 100 lbs.....30
Wheat bran, per 100 lbs.....1.50
Feed, 100 lbs.....1.25
Cotton seed meal, 100 lbs.....1.50
Cotton seed hulls, 100 lbs.....1.50
Soy meal.....1.50

ALDERMAN NAMED

By Judge in Raleigh Primary Election.

Oscar J. Spears Well Known Republican Road Decision in Fayetteville Water Works Case. Governor Took Masonic Degree.

Raleigh, April 29.—Last night Governor Glenn took the degree in Raleigh, Raleigh Council No. 10 Royal Arch Masons. He took the Blue Lodge degree in masonry just before he was inaugurated Governor.

News is received here from Lillington of the death of Hon. Oscar J. Spears, one of the best known republican politicians of that section, he having died at his home two miles from Lillington after an illness of three weeks of nephritic colic. The deceased served his State in the General Assembly and during the first McKinley administration served as assistant district attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina. He also received the nomination of the republicans for Congressman in his district and for election at large. He is survived by a wife and three children.

An order is made for the postponing of the United States District and Circuit courts for Raleigh from May 22nd to June 5th. This is for the reason that Judge Funnell is designated by Judge Goff as a member of the Circuit Court of Appeals that is to convene May 9th.

The Raleigh Clearing House Association held their first annual session yesterday and the report of the secretary showed that the clearings for the year ending April 11th aggregates \$11,801,837. Joseph Brown was elected president, Col. C. K. Johnson vice-president, James Litchford treasury and Walter Durham secretary. It is estimated that the business of the Raleigh Banks aggregates \$100,000,000.

Governor Glenn has accepted an invitation to deliver an address before a mass meeting of Wake county cotton farmers next Tuesday, the meeting to be held under the auspices of the Wake County Cotton Association.

The final report of Special Master E. B. Bain in the matter of the sale of the Fayetteville Water Works to the city has been made his report which is to the effect that the city is due the Fayetteville Water Light and Power Co. \$22,063. In closing the sale which the company is forced to make to the city under an order from the Federal court. The value of the plant including the \$5,000 bonds is \$79,000.

Judge Fred Moore this morning in Wake Superior court made an order giving the aldermanic fight from the fourth ward, growing out of the recent democratic primaries, to Sherwood Upchurch as against W. G. Goodwin, contestant. This is the case in which Judge Moore was asked to issue an injunction against the retiring democratic executive committee on the ground that it was within the province of the new committee named in the primary to pass upon the merits of the aldermanic contest. After it was agreed that the Judge should pass upon the matter. And the ruling just made is the result.

CHICAGO DISTURBED

And No Sunday Observance Because of Strike.

Chicago, April 30.—Chicago had on working clothes today as a result of the teamsters' strike, which today failed of spreading and of settlement. From daylight until dark, down town streets were crowded with heavily laden wagons, giving the city a week day appearance. Believing that the fight now going on for supremacy between the Employers' Association of Chicago and the union teamsters is to be a protracted one, business men today sought to procure an extra stock of material and supplies. Every available team, and even one-horse vehicles, were brought into use during the day to replenish coal bins and to obtain other material necessary to the transaction of business.

Children of the Confederacy to Meet.

The monthly meeting of the Jane Graham Hughes Chapter, Children of the Confederacy will be held at the "Daughters of the Confederacy" rooms on Broad street on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. A full attendance is desired. The program is as follows:

EMMA HENDERSON POWELL.

Leader Jane Graham Hughes Chapter.

PROGRAM FOR MAY.

1. Lord's Prayer.
2. Answer roll call with facts about Memorial Day.
3. Song—"The Old North State".
4. When did North Carolina secede from the Union?
5. How many soldiers did N. C. furnish to the Confederacy?
6. Reading—"The Old Gentle".
7. Song—"Dixie".

Notice Royal Arcanum.

Having received W. F. Dunbar as a member of the Royal Arcanum, all members are hereby notified to pay assessments on or before the 1st of May.

CORN FIELDS ARE GOLD FIELDS

to the farmer who understands how to feed his crops. Fertilizers for Corn must contain at least 7 per cent. actual

Potash

Send for our books—they tell why Potash is so necessary to plant life as corn and rye; sent free, if you ask. Write to-day.

GERMAN KALI WORKS
New York—93 Nassau Street, or
Atlanta, Ga.—101 South Broad St.

AN UNCONVENTIONAL MARRIAGE.

Mr. W. D. Melver and Miss Mary Patterson Joined in Wedlock to the Surprise of Many Friends.

A surprise of much more than ordinary proportions was given New Bern people last evening when the announcement was made of the marriage of Mr. W. D. Melver and Miss Mary Patterson which occurred at half past five at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride. Rev. H. S. Bradshaw was the officiating clergyman.

The wedding was the most unconventional of any marriage that has happened in this city for a long time. None of the intimate friends of either party had the suggestion of a suspicion that our popular barrister friend was going to take unto himself a wife although several wondered why "Mac" was in such a hurry during the entire day. The fact was not known until he arrived at the A & N C depot with his bride preparatory to leaving for Philadelphia and the news came in the most matter of fact manner imaginable; almost as if it were an every day occurrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Melver left on the train at 6:10 for Philadelphia, where he has some business matters to look after and they expect to return Saturday.

Both groom and bride are well and favorably known in the city and State. Mr. Melver is a lawyer whose legal ability is recognized by everybody. He has a wide practice and is very successful. He is a brother of President Chas. D. Melver, of the State Normal School at Greensboro. The bride is a lady who has established a fine reputation as manager of one of the leading private boarding houses in the city.

THEY COME AND GO.

Mrs. J. A. Thomas left on the Neuse last night, for a short trip to Norfolk.

Mrs. E. Strudwick, who has been visiting relatives here, left last evening returning to her home in Richmond.

Messrs Leopold and Max Cohn of Goldboro were guests of their father Mr. Isaac Cohn, Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Summerfield of Durham, a representative of Durham Prints Co., was a visitor in the city Sunday.

Mr. Samuel Mannee, of New York, was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Mr. James Hunter, of Haverlock, was in the city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eby returned yesterday from a visit with Raleigh friends and relatives.

Prof. and Mrs. Craven and daughter went to Dunn yesterday. Prof. Craven is expected to return today but his wife will remain there during the Summer.

Rev. R. P. Walker of Morehead City was in New Bern yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cochew of Brooklyn are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hahn.

Mrs. Julia F. Armes of Cherry Point is visiting friends in the city.

Messrs J. J. Trader of Cherry Point and R. Rowe spent the day here yesterday.

Miss Amy Haas returned last night from a winter visit in El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. J. H. Kippa, of Blacksburg, Va. is the guest of her daughter Mrs. W. S. Sumner.

Mr. J. T. Ives went to Elizabeth City last night.

Mrs. Sarah Oley and her daughter, Miss Minnie, returned from Kingston Sunday.

Miss Jessie Stewart and her friend Miss Judith Bent have returned to Miss Smallwood's School in Washington, D. C.

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FORMAL ELECTION AFFAIR.

Series of Farmers Institutes. Evidence in Damage Suit. Probable Reduction of Colored State Normals.

Raleigh, May 1.—Two series of farmers institutes have been arranged by the State Department of Agriculture for the month of July 18, to August 12, one under the direction of State Veterinarian Tate Butler and the other under State Horticulturalist H. H. Hume. Several members of the faculty of the A. & M. College and two specialists from Washington will participate. The institutes under Dr. Butler will be in Granville 18, Vance 19, Franklin 20, Orange 21, Pearson 22, Caswell 24, Rockingham 25, Stokes 27, Davidson 28, Rowan 29, Stainly 31, Iredell August 1, Catawba 2, Lincoln 3, Gaston 4, Anson 5, Richmond 7, Scotland 8, Robeson 9, Cumberland 10, Johnson 11, Harnett 12. Institutes under Dr. Hume will be: Chatham July 18, Moore 19, Montgomery 20, Randolph 21, Guilford 22, Cabarrus 24, Mecklenburg 25, and 26; Union 25, and 26; Cleveland 27, Rutherford 28, McDowell 29, Burke 30; Caldwell August 1, Alexander 2, Wilkes 3, Surry 5, Yadkin 7, Davie 8, Forsythe 9, Alamance 10, Durham 11.

The taking of evidence in the damage suit of Pogram vs Seaboard Air Line for \$35,000 damages for the burning of John M. Wilson to death in the Hamlet Compress fire in 1902 was concluded today and the argument by counsel and the charge to the jury will take place tomorrow. An effort was made to show that the fire was from a spark from a wood-burning engine and the railroad company was therefore liable. On the other hand the railroad company sought to show that such was not the source of the fire and that even if it had been Wilson's act in rushing back into the compress after the fire was started as reckless and rash to a degree that relieved the company from liability.

The city election held today was the most quiet ever known in Raleigh, it being the merest formality for the confirmation of the nominations made in the recent legalized democratic primary. James I. Johnson is Mayor. W. W. Wilson City Clerk, Thos Badger police justice and John S. Jones City Tax Collector. There was no ticket in opposition to any of the democratic nominees.

TROUBLE FEARED IN POLAND.

Quiet Easter Sunday in Russia. Police and Cossacks on Duty.

St. Petersburg, May 1.—Easter Sunday, which is the occasion in Russia of a general interchange of visits, both of fiscal and personal, and of generous hospitality, passed off with entire quiet in St. Petersburg, and no disturbances in the provinces have been noted. In the factory quarters of St. Petersburg police and Cossacks were much in evidence manifesting their presence by constant patrolling, but there was no occasion for their services, and it is thought the situation is well in hand for today, when disorders have been apprehended. The situation has none of the ominousness of the eve of January 22.

In Poland, however, serious trouble today is feared. There was rioting on a small scale on Saturday in one or two places. From Kishineff, where attempts to stir up the Jew-baiting sentiment have caused the clergy to exhort their congregations to preserve order, no demonstrations have been reported.

Glad to Tell His Friends.

I have never, in all my life, seen a paint that will cover so much surface per gallon as the Davis 100 per cent Pure Paint. Once tried—always used.
D. A. WENTWORTH.
McDaniel, Md., May 21, 1904.
For sale by E. W. Smallwood.

Musical Recital.

Mrs. Emma H. Powell gave an interesting pupils recital Monday evening in her home on Broad street. The program was as follows:
Waltz by Rosewig, Carl Hughes; Waltz by Engelman, Corinne Blalock; Trio, Nell Jordan, Mary Arndell, Hilda Willis; Nocturne, Ryder, Mary Meadows Mitchell; Song, Please Leave The Gate Ajar, Nell Jordan; Flower Song by Lange, Saddle Hibbard; Waltz, by Engelman, Virginia Preitman; Valse de Strauss, by Carl Coerny, Mary Hughes; Duet, Mary Turner, Mary Meadows Mitchell; Echoes Valse, by Steabog, Natilie Hancock; March, by Behr, Hilda Willis; Evening Bell, by Reigelmami Lillian Jones; Duet, Tanscred, by Roschini, Mary and Gladie Willis; Old Oaken Bucket by Ryder, Louise Pearce; Two Step, by Hart, Mary Turner; Second Mazurka, by Gohard, Gladie Willis; La Ronde Op 57 by R. Weizel; Lily May Willis; Song, Hilda Willis; Duet, The Distant Shore, Gladie Mitchell; Lily May Willis; Duet, The Cornet, by Roschini, Mary and Gladie Willis.

WOULD KICK AND SCREAM

Baby's Awful Suffering from Eczema—Could Not Hold Her—Tore Face and Arms Almost to Pieces—Grateful Mother Says:

"CUTICURA REMEDIES SAVED HER LIFE"

"When my little girl was six months old, she had eczema. We had used cold creams and all kinds of remedies, but nothing did her any good; in fact, she kept getting worse. I used to wrap her hands up, and when I would dress her, I had to put her on the table, for I could not hold her. She would kick and scream, and when she could, she would tear her face and arms almost to pieces. I used four boxes of Cuticura Ointment, two cakes of Cuticura Soap, and gave her the Cuticura Resolvent, and she was cured, and I see no traces of the humor left. I can truly say that they have saved her life, and I should advise any one suffering as she did, to give Cuticura a fair trial. Mrs. G. A. Conrad, Lisbon, N. H., Feb. 7, 1893."

FIVE YEARS LATER

Mrs. Conrad Writes

"It is with pleasure that I can inform you that the cure has been permanent. It is now six years since she was cured, and there has been no return of the disease since. I have advised a lot of friends to use Cuticura in all diseases of the skin."
Instant relief, and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure. This is the purest, sweetest, most speedy, permanent, and economical treatment for torments, disfiguring, itching, burning, scalding, crusted and pimply skin and scalp humors.

WHISKEY CASES PISSED UP.

Not Sufficient Evidence to Convict For Violation of Prohibition Laws.

There were two interesting liquor cases in the police court yesterday. Interesting because it indicates the futility of superficial temperance legislation such as we are suffering now. These laws have done little to prevent the sale of liquor but they are encouraging perjury splendidly.

The first case called was that of Tom Toler who was arrested for selling whiskey to West Boyd, a negro. The color man Boyd and John Moore, another colored man, told the chief on Saturday all about their purchase of whiskey describing the man who sold it to them, they gave all the circumstances of the affair. Toler was arrested and appeared in court. When Boyd was called on to state who he got the liquor of he said he was unable to tell, and could not identify him as the one who sold him the stuff. The case was dismissed for lack of sufficient evidence.

The other case was Miles Askew, a white farmer of Pamlico county who was found drunk and down in the rear of John Garretts place. He said he did not know where the whiskey was obtained as he was treated and he drank it without asking any questions. He told a different story to Chief Saturday but disclaimed all knowledge to the mayor except what he had said in open court. He was taxed the costs of the trial.

SHORT PASSING EVENTS.

Truckers in the strawberry belt are bothered by a shortage refrigerator cars in which to transport their goods.

The Jones-Adams Carnival showed in Washington last week and met with good financial success.

Fifteen hundred baskets of peas were shipped on the Neuse for which one dollar per basket was paid.

In view of higher rates of living expenses the machinists at the A. & N. C. shops made a request for an advance in their wages. The company granted the request and there was very little controversy over the matter. There was no endeavor to create any excitement. It is stated that the increase is from \$2.50 to \$2.80 per day.

Among the cases tried before Justice S. B. Street's court yesterday, were two white school boys, charged with an affray. They were fined \$2 and costs. Two young negro men were up also for the same offense. They were each fined \$2 and costs.

The excursion to Morehead City Sunday was patronized by more than 100 people. The morning train was crowded with passengers, over 30 tickets being sold at this station.

The condition of Mr. Arnold Borden of Goldboro is more encouraging and physicians believe that he will recover.

Tired out, worn out women cannot sleep, and so work during the day. They need a rest. Hildegarde's Rocky Mountain Ointment.

Fruit Paper Free

Every farmer raises some fruit. All could raise more and better fruit and make more money from it if they read a first-class fruit paper like

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Published at St. Joseph, Mich., in the heart of the famous Michigan Fruit Belt. A large, beautifully printed Monthly, fully edited, full of the latest and best methods of cultivating, handling and marketing large and small fruits.

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FIVE YEARS OLD SMOOTH AND MELLOW

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Express Charges Paid By Us.

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Write for price list of other liquors.

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10 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 ST. RICHMOND VA.
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Free! ONE 10-CENT PLUG OF RED MEAT TOBACCO

To any chewer of Tobacco who will cut out this advertisement and mail it to us within five days from the date of this paper, we will mail him a card which will entitle him to one 10-cent plug of

RED MEAT TOBACCO

Free! At any store handling this brand.

Write name and address plainly on lines below.

Signet Seal Co. Winston-Salem, N. C.

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Rockers and Couches.

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Furniture, Stoves, Refrigerators, Freezers, Go-Carts and House Furnishing Goods purchased from Disoway and Taylor are offered at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

New arrival of pictures and frames, Picture Mouldings, etc. Frames made and fitted.

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Successor to Disoway and Taylor,
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New Store IS OPEN

With a complete line of

MEN'S, YOUTH'S AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

and Fashionable Gent's Furnishings. Everything in latest styles. CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

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