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NEW BERN, CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1905 - FIRST SECTION.

28th YEAR



A NIGHT WITH THE STARS.

The Opening of New Masonic Opera House Will be One of Extraordinary Scintillation.

The New Masonic Opera House will be opened for the season tomorrow night with a vaudeville performance of more than usual merit, in fact there is no other show on the road that can boast of the distinguished artists who appear under the name of the International Vaudeville Co.

Robert Grau, of the Klaw & Erlanger Co. has completed the southern route to be taken by this company designating New Bern for the opening of their engagement. They come here direct from the big theatres of New York. Contemplate these names and anyone acquainted with theatrical matters will see that the people who will appear tomorrow night are top notchers and are not only known to theatre goers but have occupied considerable space in the newspapers first and last. They are May Yoh and Putnam Bradlee Strong, Flo Irwin, James Thornton, Bonnie Thornton, Walter Hawley, Albert Casey Mosler sisters, and Mahoney Lake.

Each one of these artists has a big reputation. The leaders May Yoh and Capt. Strong have been in the public eye ever since May refused to be Lady Hope, choosing rather the fascinating life of the foot-lights than the dull and monotonous existence with an impunctuous member of nobility. Her eloquent with Putnam Bradlee Strong and other escapades are fresh in the minds of the reading public. Flo Irwin, a sister of May Irwin, the greatest singer ofcoon songs on the stage is a worthy sister and has a nice little bunch of fame on her own account. James and Bonnie Thornton are both celebrated exponents of high class comedy having recently gone over from comedy to vaudeville for a change.

Space prevents making further mention and we will simply say that the whole company is an aggregation of accomplished artists, and will produce a show the like of which has never been seen here.

Mikado's Thanks to President Roosevelt.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 4. - President Roosevelt today received from the Emperor of Japan, the following message of thanks and appreciation for the part played by the President in the negotiations which have resulted in a cessation of hostilities in the far east:

Tokio, September 3, 1905
The President;
I have received with gratification your message of congratulations conveyed through our plenipotentiary, and thank you warmly for it. To you interested and unremitting efforts in the interest of peace and humanity I attach the high value which is their due and assure you of my grateful appreciation of the distinguished part you have taken in the establishment of peace based upon principles essential to the permanent welfare and tranquility of the far east.
(Signed) MUTSUHITO.

Given Up To Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured."

Painful Accident to Small Boy

Master Thomas Lee Taylor the eight year old son of Mr. L. J. Taylor met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon. He was playing "Fire Company" with a few friends and was at a picket fence busily engaged in putting out the imaginary fire when he slipped and fell on the fence the picket penetrating his right arm pit and making a bad wound. Dr. Jones assisted by Dr. James A. Duguid and Mr. Walter Watson attended the lad. It was found necessary to take several stitches in the wound.

BIG PROFIT

So Reported of Atlantic Hotel for Season.

More Dormitory Room for Veterans. Death of H. S. Dogge at Ocracoke. Less Distilling Brandy Eastern Carolina. No Confederate Reunion.

Raleigh, Sept. 2. - The Atlantic Hotel at Morehead City had a very profitable season, its net profits having been \$3,250, it stands third in point of profit of all the seasons since the hotel was opened in 1890.

The completion next week of the additional dormitory room at the Soldiers Home with provision for 40 more inmates will take quite a strain from the shoulders of the officials who have long been burdened with applications.

The steel for the bridge across the Cape Fear River at Lillington on the Raleigh and Southport railway is arriving and in 60 days the bridge will be completed President Mills says. That road is doing a remarkable amount of business, receipts from passenger traffic during August being about \$2,100.

A letter to your correspondent from Mr. Hale, inspector of the Life Saving Stations along the North Carolina Coast, tells of the death from apoplexy of Mr. H. S. Dogge, of Ocracoke. He had a very large plant there which manufactured clam juice, and other clam products which were shipped to all the world. He was a New Yorker and his three sons will continue the business. His body was taken to his former home at Islip, N. Y.

The revenue men say that there was never so little fruit in their collection in Eastern North Carolina and as a result there are fewer brandy distilleries than ever before. Some of them say that scuppernon grapes make better brandy than apples, and that it is probable that there will be some distillation of these grapes this year.

There is no reunion of the Confederate Veterans in this state this year, but the annual convention, at which officers will be elected will be held as usual during the State fair.

Swansboro

September 5th.

Our merchants are getting in their fall stock of goods. J. A. Pittman & Co. have just received quite a large stock by the launch Rosilyn.

The Swansboro Land and Lumber Co. have also received their fall stock.

Mr. D. J. Moore is still at his old stand, laughing.

Miss Dollie Mattocks left for Winterville High School Friday, much to the regret of some of our young gentlemen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Russell of Bear Creek, were in town last Friday. They brought their triplets, Paul, Penley and Pearl, and had their photographs taken by Mr. A. H. Coble.

Mrs. R. W. Freshwaters of Bear Creek, also Mr. D. J. Sanders were visitors to our burg Friday.

Mr. D. G. Ward is selling off a few lots on the suburbs of our town.

Capt. Alex Moore of the life saving station at Bogue Inlet is having a nice dwelling built on a lot he purchased of Mr. D. G. Ward.

Mrs. D. H. Farnell and daughter, Miss Vallie of Suffolk Va, is here visiting her father, Mr. M. Russell.

Miss Pearl Ward, who has been spending a few days in Wilmington returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Odum of Laurinburg, Prof. N. W. Walker and wife of Chapel Hill, Miss Georgia Pritchard and James Pritchard of Hamilton, also G. L. Hardison and family of Thurman were among the visitors here this season.

Mrs. L. Williams and children of Portsmouth, Va. who have been spending a few weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pittman, left for their home Friday accompanied by her mother.

Mr. T. H. Pritchard, of the Swansboro Land and Lumber Co., left Monday for New York.

Mr. C. S. Pittman made a business trip to Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Julia Bloodgood and Miss Besale Heady, who have been visiting relatives in New Bern, returned home Friday.

P. A. J.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea never fails to tone the stomach, regulates the kidneys, stimulates the liver and cleanses the blood. A great tonic and muscle producing remedy. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

CASTORIA.

The Kidney and Bladder Regulator.

A free bottle of Dr. Thacker's Liver and Blood Syrup will be sent to any reader of this paper who will write to the Thacker Medicines Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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CRUSHED BY CARS

Tom Hill, brakeman of A. & N. C. Freight Train Victim of Horrible Accident.

Tom Hill, colored, commonly known as "railroad Bill" was killed by a freight train, No. 15, yesterday morning. He was employed as brakeman, and at the time of the accident was coupling cars. The accident occurred at 8:50 o'clock. He was put on the shoofly and brought to New Bern. He died here at about 11:30 o'clock.

The manner of the accident as told in the evidence was that the train was on a sidetrack picking up empty cars. It had backed down to a car. Hill had arranged the coupling but it failed to work, he motioned train ahead and again got it ready to couple, a second time it failed and again he motioned the train ahead. When the train backed to the car the third time, Hill was seen to go between the train and the car at a time when the train was bearing down on the car and he had gone in too soon. He was evidently caught between the bumpers and crushed. The body had but little exterior show of injury beyond one or two bruises. It is probable that the accident caused internal hemorrhage. After being released he came out from the opposite side to which he went in and went around the car crossing the track the second time, threw up his hands and fell down. The crew picked him up and put him on a cot, Dr. Pollock was called and did all in his power to ease the suffering of the unfortunate man, and came down to New Bern with him to render medical assistance enroute.

Coroner Jones, summoned the following to sit on the jury: Guilford Lewis, Luther Taylor, Albert Bangert, M. C. Crowson, J. F. Patterson, J. W. Smith. They rendered a verdict exonerating conductor D. R. Williams and engineer J. N. Charlton from blame for the accident and charge the deceased with gross carelessness whereby he came to his death.

Can't you eat, sleep or work? Bad liver! Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes rich, red blood, gives strength and health. Cures when all others fail. No cure no pay. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

A Disappointed Audience.

Last night was the opening performance at the New Masonic Theatre, the piece being called the International Vaudeville Stars, and advertised to be high class vaudeville. If it was high class the audience failed to see it and showed its disapproval, by persistent refusal to applaud any of the acts, songs or parts.

The first announcement from the stage was that the projectoscope man had "got left" and the audience felt the same when it saw the so-called vaudeville acts.

It was a sore disappointment to a large audience which went out to see something first class, and failed. The performance merits no criticism, but rather severe disapproval from every one who was unfortunate enough to see it.

Mr. C. H. Dugas has purchased the livery stable of Sam Hudson and is overhauling the building and preparing it for a larger and better stable. He has gone west to buy horses to fill it.

Mr. Claud Miller, an employee of the cotton oil mill had the misfortune to step on a nail while at work inflicting severe injuries to confine him to his home.

Announcement.

Maysville Academy will open Sept. 11th, 1905. Prompt and thorough work guaranteed. For further information apply to O. W. Johnson, Principal, Maysville, N. C.

LABOR DAY

Some Observance of This Legal Holiday.

Rains injure Tobacco and Cotton. Aldermen Not Likely to Call Saloon Election. Orders From Adjutant General. Habeas Corpus for Ex-Mayor McCowan.

Paleigh, Sept. 4. - Today was a legal holiday and so the Capitol and other public buildings, banks, etc., were closed. A great deal of rain fell yesterday and last night, and the ground was extremely wet, which made things rather unpleasant for holiday makers, who here, had two objective points, the State fair grounds, where the labor organization gave a barbecue and at Pullen Park there was a contest by old-time fiddlers for the championship of North Carolina and money prizes, this event being pulled off in the afternoon, the judges being Treasurer Lacy, Auditor Dixon and ex-Congressman John Nichols, all of whom are devoted to the fiddle and the old tunes but caring nothing for violins and new music.

Governor Glenn went up to Salisbury on an early train to make a speech there at the Labor Day Celebration. He will return here and will probably remain until he leaves next week for his tour of four of the New England States to make a series of speeches.

The rains which have so marked this summer just ended, have had a bad effect on certain crops, but most of all upon cotton and tobacco. They cause two great growths of cotton and now they are checking to a quite marked degree the opening of the bolls. Cotton is generally pretty rank on clay lands.

It appears to be the general opinion here now that the aldermen will not call an election on the question of open saloons. The saloon men and their lawyers, it is intimated will in such a case take the matter to the court. The question hinges upon this point, whether a registered voter is a man who is not only registered, but who has paid his taxes by May 1st, of the year in which he votes.

The following from the Adjutant General's office has been published, under its provisions a number of veteran officers of the National Guard now on the retired list will take a step up:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

OFFICE ADJUTANT GENERAL,

Raleigh, August 29, 1905.

General Orders

No. 15.

The following paragraph of Section VIII, Chapter 103, of the Revised Statutes of North Carolina, is published for the information of all concerned:

"Retirement of officers. Whenever an officer of ten years service and upward makes application for retirement he may, by consent of the Commander in Chief, be retired with the next higher grade, and all officers now on the retired list of the National Guard of this State are advanced one grade."

Officers on the retired list will be permitted to wear the uniform of their rank on occasions of ceremony, and upon courts-martial, courts of inquiry, or duties of a kindred nature, when called upon or assigned by competent authority.

The names and residences of retired officers will be published in the Register of the Military forces of the State of North Carolina, in the Annual Report of the Adjutant General.

By order of Commander in Chief:

T. R. ROBERTSON,

Adjutant General.

ALFRED WILLIAMS,

Assistant Adjutant General.

Mrs. John Getting died yesterday at Decatur, Ala., of typhoid fever. She was born Anna Gates and was the only daughter of the late Rev. Weston R. Gates of Raleigh.

The Supreme court will tomorrow take up the docket of appeals from the second district.

Yesterday attorney Jones Fuller came here from Durham and procured from Associate Justice Walker of the Supreme Court a writ of habeas corpus for Moses McCowan, ex-mayor of Durham who was in jail on the charge of assaulting Superior court Judge Ward, Saturday night, Judge Ward having sent McCowan to jail and fined him \$200. The writ was made returnable at noon today at the Supreme court, Judge Walker requesting all the members of that court to sit with him in this curious and unique case in North Carolina. It is also said that the attorney General would appear for Judge Ward in the absence of the Solicitor of the Durham district who is attending a luncheon court. Mr. Fuller said the

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Covered With Sores and Scabs From Head to Foot - Doctors and All Other Remedies Fail - Skin Now Smooth and Clear.

ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE BY CUTICURA

Writing under date of Sept. 7, 1904, Mrs. Mattie Shaffer, of Cumberland, Miss., says: "Some time ago I ordered and received your wonderful Cuticura Remedies, which I used on my little afflicted babe with wonderful results. I had tried many other remedies without any benefit whatever, and Cuticura came to the rescue when my doctors and all other remedies had failed. One doctor pronounced it scrofula, the other eczema. The little one was one solid sore, with scales and scabs from head to foot, when I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The result was wonderful, and now my baby's face and body are 'smooth and clear.'"
(Signed) Mrs. Mattie Shaffer.

THE DUTY OF MOTHERS

At the First Sign of Disfiguring Humors is to Use Cuticura.

Every child born into the world with an inherited tendency to torturing, disfiguring humors of the Skin and Scalp, becomes an object of the most tender solicitude, not only because of its suffering, but because of the dreadful fear that the disfiguration is to be lifelong and mar its future happiness and prosperity. Hence it becomes the duty of mothers of such afflicted children to acquaint themselves with the best, the purest, and most effective treatment available, viz: the Cuticura Treatment, consisting of warm baths with Cuticura Soap, and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, and the gentle Skin Cure. Cures made in childhood are speedy, permanent, and economical.

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contention of his side would be that McCowan's act in striking Judge Ward was not one of contempt under the statute, but that it was one covered by the law regarding simple assaults. There is universal condemnation of the act of McCowan in making the assault on the judge. Justice Walker heard the case above, as it was arranged that

there should be an immediate hearing by the full supreme court. He denied McCowan application for discharge and release from imprisonment, and remanded him to Durham jail to serve out the sentence imposed by Judge Ward. McCowan was accordingly taken back to Durham this afternoon and replaced in jail. The supreme court will specially hear the case tomorrow morning. Solicitor Fooks and Attorney General Gilmer representing Judge Ward and the State. The question to be decided is the original one, whether Judge Ward had the right to attach for contempt for an assault upon his person out of court.

Lawn Party.

A lawn party was held Thursday evening on the lawn at Mrs. E. J. Hesters residence, which was decorated in Japanese lanterns. A large crowd attended. The proceeds are for the window in the ladies parlors of the new Methodist church.

Launch Party.

Mr. Clarence Crapon gave a delightful sail on his launch, Sans Souci, Friday afternoon complimentary to Messrs. Gertrude Bryan and Sallibell Jackson, who are visiting Mrs. D. L. Roberts.

Yellow Fever Situation

New Orleans, La., September 3. - For the first time in over a month the number of new cases today was in the twenties. With only three deaths, compared to eighty-three deaths on September 3, 1878, the feeling that the fever is being wiped out is growing.

Why suffer with headache, constipation, stomach, kidney and liver troubles, when Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will cure you? No money wanted unless you are cured. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

Until September 15th - Reduced Rates.

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Ladies Night Robes made of the best Cambric or Nainsook at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.
Ladies Underskirts at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25, beautifully trimmed in Val Lace or Lawn tuck flowered.
Pants at 25c, 35c, 50c.
Corset Covers at 25c, 35c, 50c.

Take advantage of this sale, a look will convince you, the garments speak for themselves.

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