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K. KENNEDY, Business Manager.

FAYETTEVILLE, Nov. 16, 1877.

DEAR FRIENDS:

The fifteenth annual fair for the State is now in session. There are many interesting and valuable exhibits on hand.

The fair is well attended and the public are enjoying it very much.

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### There is such a discrepancy between the cash of money and the product of it.

There is, however, so much in this subject that I may make it the theme of another letter, and not further encroach upon this, as I intend to make it short.

The fair closed today, with the usual racing, though the weather was rather warm for sport of that kind, but was an occasion of much interest to the sports-loving visitors.

Col. Alderman, our efficient Secretary, is the right man for the place; his efforts have been successful for several days in the morning, to have everything in order, and though he had charged himself with a great deal of work, he has done it admirably.

He has a fine disposition and well-officer, and is a man of high character.

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### CITY ITEMS.

HOUSES for rent or sale Apply to W. P. CANADAY.

His Honor, Judge Moore, was in the city on last Sunday, looking well.

A good burst on the banks, on the night before Thanksgiving, will take place.

Resigning is quite an epidemic among the police force. Three or four resign every day.

Charles Bradley, an old and much respected colored man, died on Wednesday last.

A son of Solomon Peaves was badly bitten on the leg, by a yellow dog, on Wednesday.

Eleven and lot on Market street, near Housens, for rent by W. P. Canaday.

Dr. A. E. Wright, who has been absent for some weeks at the north, has returned to the city.

We understand that a large quantity of steel rails have been ordered for the Carolina Central Railway.

It was fair on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the past week, but rained on Thursday.

We publish in another column quite an interesting communication from Fayetteville, concerning Cumberland county fair.

For Sale. Two fine, large, white horses for cash.

W. P. CANADAY.

The Wilmington & Seaside Railroad are selling tickets (when a person takes one hundred miles) for \$2.00 a hundred, every person can now ride on the street cars.

The street cars now run on Sundays, from 8 o'clock a. m. to 7 o'clock p. m., for the convenience of the citizens. They run out Market to Seventeenth street, and Fourth street to Hilton.

W. A. S. R. Co. has now a School Ticket, prepared for school child, which is sold at two cents a ride, or 25 rides for 50 cents. Every person who sends child to school should have them.

All who are behind in the payment of their poll taxes had best settle up at once, as we learn that there will be a general overhauling of delinquents at the approaching term of the Criminal Court.

FOR SALE—Three horses, in splendid condition, cheap for cash.

W. P. CANADAY.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TICKETS.—W. & S. B. R. Co. have now ready a Sunday School Ticket, which is good for Sunday school children only, and for which only two cents a ride is charged, or 25 rides for 50 cents.

Mechanics Tickets.—The Wilmington & Seaside Railroad Company are now selling a Mechanics ticket, for workmen or regular mechanics, for which they charge only two cents a ride, 25 rides for 50 cents.

Mr. Joo. C. Koch, one of our most prominent German citizens, died at his residence, in this city, on Sunday night last. Mr. Koch has resided in the city for the past twenty years, most of that time he has carried on a successful grocery business.

HARRIS CORPUS.—Some weeks ago one Lou Stubbs was committed to jail by Justice Howe, charged with larceny, on Monday last Judge Meares discharged her. The prosecuting witness swore that she had drunk when she made the affidavit in the Justice's Court.

Two houses for rent, on Third street, between Brunswick and Housens streets six rooms each. Apply to Daniel O'Connor, next door west of Court House.

WILMINGTON AND NEW RIVER NAVIGATION COMPANY.—At a meeting of the directors of the above company, held at the office of Colonel R. R. Moore, on Wednesday last, it was decided to open books of subscription at once, and proceed to organize as soon as a sufficient amount of money was subscribed to commence the work.

Mr. Herman Hincle purchased a lot of goods a short time ago, and on last Monday six boxes of them got out of the store in which he had placed them. Look up a line of march for the thief. About six o'clock in the evening they were noticed returning rapidly in the direction of the northwest branch of the river, since which nothing has been seen or heard of them.

"One girl kissing another," says the Daily News, "is a good deal like eating maple syrup on ice cream."

### What other preparations fail to do,

Hall's Hair Renewer surely accomplishes. It renews the hair and especially restores its color when gray and faded. As a dressing it is unsurpassed, making the hair moist, soft and glossy. The most economical preparation ever offered, its effects remain a long time, and those who have once made trial of it will never use any other. Address: *Wm. F. Hall, Freedonia, N. Y.*

One House for rent on Market, between 11th and 12th streets, north side, in good order, 6 rooms. Apply to Dan O'Connor, next door west of Court House.

BODY RECOVERED.—Mr. E. Gause, one of the Smithville pilots, states that the body of a drowned white man was found washed up off Snow's Marsh, on the Brunswick side of the river, abreast of Federal Point and about four miles this side of Smithville, on last Saturday. There were eight dollars in money in one of the pockets of deceased, together with a number of orders bearing the name of Thaddeus Moore, the unfortunate gentleman from Point Caswell, Pender county, who was drowned off one of the wharves of this city a short time back. Coroner Lewis, of Brunswick county, subsequently held an inquest over the body, the jury returning a verdict of accidental drowning, when it was interred on the island, where it can easily be found by the family or friends of the deceased, who will no doubt wish to have it removed to Point Caswell.

The body drifted with the current full twenty-five miles, and Mr. Gause says that during his long experience as a pilot up and down the Cape Fear river he has never before known one to be so far from land as this. It looked fresh when first discovered and had suffered little or no mutilation.

One house for rent on the corner of 4th and Walnut streets, in good order, 8 rooms. Apply to Daniel O'Connor, next door west of Court House.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS OF THE FIFTH BATTALION, (COLORED) N. C. S. G.—In accordance with General Orders No. 17, received from the Adjutant General, the Fifth Battalion N. C. State Guard, composed of Company A, Hanover Light Infantry; Company C, Cape Fear Light Infantry; Company D, Howard Light Infantry; Company E, Fayetteville Rifle Guard, and Company F, Charlotte Bules, met in the Armory of the Hanover Light Infantry, in this city on last Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a Lieutenant Colonel and a Major of the Battalion.

S. W. Nash, of the Cape Fear Light Infantry, being the Senior Captain, presided, and Lieut. A. Sampson, of Company A, was elected secretary.

E. F. Neece, W. A. Wright and J. W. Thompson were appointed a committee to examine proxies and ascertain the number of shares of the capital stock of the Company represented.

The committee reported 2,728 shares represented in person and 5,787 shares by proxy.

The President, Hon. R. B. Bridges, then submitted the annual report of the President and Directors to the Stockholders of the Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroad Company, in person and by proxy.

On motion of W. A. Wright, it was Resolved, That in accordance with a recommendation contained in the report of the President and Directors above referred to, the chairman appoint a committee of five Stockholders, who reside in the State of North Carolina, to examine the condition of the Road and its equipment; and to compare the rates, both for freight and passage, at present in force with those of former years when the management of the affairs of the Company were entirely in the hands of the citizens of this State.

The Chairman named W. A. Wright and Donald MacRae, of Wilmington, Fred Phillips, of Tarboro, A. Branch, of Wilson, and N. M. Long, of Weldon, as the committee under the foregoing resolution.

Resolutions authorizing the sale of lands in Pender county at and adjacent to Burgaw, in and Edgecombe at or near Tarboro, were then offered and adopted.

An election for a President and ten Directors was then held, resulting in the choice of Hon. R. B. Bridges for President, and the following gentlemen for Directors, viz:

W. A. Wright, George Harris, O. H. Brogden, W. H. Willard, Geo. Howard, W. T. Walters, B. F. Neece, S. M. Stegmaier, A. J. DeLozier, and J. D. Cameron.

On motion, it was resolved that the annual meeting be held in Wilmington on the Tuesday next after the third Monday in November 1877.

A vote of thanks was thereupon tendered to the Chairman, and the meeting was adjourned.

H. R. SHORT, Chairman.  
J. W. THOMPSON, Secretary.

Above all earthly gifts a good mother stands pre-eminent. She is worth her weight in gold—more than an army of mercenaries. Those who have played a game of chance, and lost, backed in the same mother's smile, in whose veins the same blood flows, are bound by a sacred tie that never can be broken.

A member of the Cabinet, when asked about the appointment of a Democrat to official position, replied: "This is a republican administration." Glad to hear that. That is what we thought it would be when we voted to elect its chief a year ago.

Quaker Buck went to the races because if he didn't give the people of Kentucky would not think he was properly representing them."

### The St. Joseph Herald man has been

writing an article about "Kansas Democrats." "Kansas Democrat! What in the world are they! We never heard of them before! Must be a new variety of grasshoppers."

It is an incontrovertible fact that the five great producing States—Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota and Nebraska—were the only States that were not struck by the late pestilence.

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W. M. TERAY, Editor and Proprietor.

County Commissioners' Rooms,

OCTOBER 11, 1877.

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The said claims must be presented on or before the 22d instant. NO BONDS WILL BE ISSUED AFTER THAT DATE.

JOHN G. WAGNER, Chairman.

GRACE'S SALVE

A VEGETABLE PREPARATION, invented in the 17th century by Dr. William Grace, Surgeon in King James' army. Through its agency he cured thousands of the most serious sores and wounds, and was regarded by all who knew him as a public benefactor. In a box, by mail, for sale by druggists generally.

AGENTS WANTED. Address SETH W. FOWLE, a BONS, Boston, Mass.

STREET CARS.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY NEXT THE STREET CARS will commence running at 6 o'clock in the morning, and run every 15 minutes, each way from the Market House, until 8:30 o'clock, except Saturdays, when they will run until 10:00 o'clock.

The Cars will alternate between the Cemetery and Brooklyn.

There will be a sign on the rear of the Car just over the dash board, designating which place the Car is going—either Brooklyn or the Cemetery.

Persons wishing to take the cars on either of the three Railroads, will find the Street Cars the cheapest and most comfortable way of reaching them. Persons arriving in the city will always find a car at the upper end of Front street, near Union Depot, which will take them to any of the streets for ferries, or to any other part of the city.

Persons are required to report any delinquency on the part of the drivers, to the Superintendent, HENRY WRIGHT, August 21-14

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

A book containing a list of towns in the U. S. having 500 pop. and the newspapers having largest circulation. All the Religious, Agricultural, Suburban and other special class journals. Tables of rates showing cost of advertising and everything which an advertiser would want to know. Mailed on receipt of ten cents. Address: *W. P. CANADAY, No. 10 Spruce St., N. Y.*

GOOD WHARF between Malberry and Walnut streets, to rent for a term of years by

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is not easily earned in three months. We can make you three months by any one of our new system. A few more are needed. We have agents who are making money. All who engage to do so can make money. At the same time we can make you a large profit. It is a new system. Terms of making, by mail.

WANTED—A few county orders. Apply to *W. P. CANADAY.*

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**Ayer's Sarsaparilla**

For Scrofula, and all scrofulous diseases. Erysipelas. Rose or St. Anthony's Fire, Eruptions of the skin, Ulcerations of the Liver, Stomach, Kidneys, Lungs, Pimples, Itch, Blisters, Tumors, Piles, Scurvy, Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Ucers, Sores, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Pain in the Bones, Sore and Head, Female Weakness, Sterility, Leucorrhoea, arising from internal debility, and other diseases, Syphilis, and Mercurial diseases, Dropsy, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, General Debility, and for Purifying the Blood.

This Sarsaparilla is a combination of vegetable alteratives—Sulphur, Magnesia, Yellow Dock, with the juices of Potassium and Iron, and is the most efficacious medicine yet known for the disease it is intended to cure.

Its ingredients are so skillfully combined that the full alternative effect of each is secured, and while it is so mild as to be harmless even to children, it is still so effectual as to purge out from the system those impurities and corruptions which develop into loathsome diseases.

The reputation it enjoys is derived from its cures, and the confidence which prominent physicians all over the country repose in it proves their experience of its usefulness.

Certificates attesting its virtues have accumulated, and are constantly being received, and as many of these cases are publicly known, they furnish convincing evidence of the superiority of this Sarsaparilla over every other alternative medicine.

So generally is its superiority to any other medicine known that we need do no more than to assure the public that the best qualities it has ever possessed are strictly maintained.

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is beyond comparison the best remedy for the cure of BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, and other pulmonary affections.