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WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, SUNDAY MORNING, JANUARY 14, 1877.

10 CENTS A WEEK

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

OUR CITY DELIVERY.

From to-day Mr. William Keen becomes City Agent of the CAPE FEAR. He will deliver one-half of the papers himself and will have the other portion delivered by a careful and trusty person.

Collections will be made at the rate of ten cents a week, or forty-five cents a month.

In order to give Mr. Keen a fair chance let him know if your paper is not delivered. In a day or two he will be perfectly familiar with the route. January 10, 1877.

New Hanover Superior Court.

State vs. Patton Paulton, larceny; continued for State.

State vs. James Patterway, peace warrant; dismissed at the cost of defendant.

State vs. Ephraim Smith, peace warrant; dismissed at the cost of defendant.

State vs. Henry Newkirk, larceny; verdict, not guilty.

State vs. Robert Doshier, bastardy; continued for State, and defendant bound over to the next term of Court on a bond of \$200.

James King, larceny; verdict, not guilty.

Sad Accident to a Young Wilmingtonian Away from Home.

Mr. M. Cronly, of this city, went up the C. C. Railway yesterday morning, having received a dispatch from Laurinburg the evening before stating that his little son Robby had shot himself, shattering his collar bone very badly.

A later dispatch was received yesterday saying that he was resting easier. Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy accompanied the parents.

We sincerely trust the bright young fellow may recover.

New Advertisements.

J. C. Stevenson.—North Carolina hams. Everything but liquors usually kept in a first-class family grocery.

Charles D. Myers & Co.—Sugar cured and other kinds of hams. Many grades of flour, gilt edge butter, Fox's crackers, imported cigars, and a host of other articles. Read their attractive advertisement this morning.

Thermometrical.

The state of the thermometer at the various stations named below was observed at the signal office in this city at 4:30 p. m.:

Augusta, 68; Charleston, 65; Galveston, 43; Jacksonville, 78; Mobile, 62; New Orleans, 72; Norfolk, 43; Savannah, 74; Wilmington, 68.

Death of Mrs. Satchwell.

Mrs. Satchwell, wife of Dr. S. S. Satchwell, of Pender county, died yesterday at the Dr.'s residence, near Rocky Point. In this sad bereavement the friends of Dr. Satchwell throughout the State will sympathize with him and his family.

Mayor's Court.

A party for shooting at two dogs which attacked his poney, while riding along Nutt street. Case dismissed.

Another party for keeping dogs which were a nuisance on the streets, was dismissed on payment of costs.

Market Report.

The following number of animals were slaughtered for this market during the past week: Beaves, 46; sheep, 5; calves, 4; hogs, 44; deer, 1.

Rev. Dr. Wilson at the First Presbyterian Church, will to-night resume the subject of Moses' life and character, considering the leader of the Israelites as lawgiver and judge.

How long is that gas lamp in front of the Dawson Bank alley, to go without a glass cover? The wind coming up the alley from the river blows the gas so near out that it gives no light.

On account of the absence of Rev. J. B. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church, no regular service will be held in that Church to-day.

There were two interments in Pine Forest (colored) Cemetery during the past week—one adult and one child.

One hundred and fifty-one carts came to market last week.

A little son of Jones Orr, col., of Charlotte, was shot a day or two ago by a young colored barber named Lewis Grey.

The Winston Sentinel learns that a negro girl in the employ of Dr. Wm. A. Lash, of Walnut Cove, as a cook, was burned to death last week.

Correspondence.

The following correspondence explains itself:

ARMORY WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY, WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 10, 1877.—To His Honor, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Charlotte, N. C.—Gentlemen:

The undersigned committees of the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Cornet Concert Club beg leave to tender to your honorable body the thanks of the organizations which they represent for the very handsome and generous manner in which you were pleased to entertain them during their stay in your city. They regard this act of hospitality extended by your honorable body, the representatives of the good people of Charlotte, as another expression of the good feeling and harmony which a community of interests between your city and our own has engendered, and as a part of the barter that has grown out of the intercourse between the two growing cities of our State.

Best assured every member of our command will gratefully recollect the pleasant visit to your city.

Very respectfully,
MATTHEW P. TAYLOR,
GEO. GILLET THOMAS,
WALTER CONEY,
E. S. NASH,
G. W. BAILEY,
Committee of W. L. I.

S. G. HALL,
C. J. MITCHELL,
S. W. SAUNDERS,
Committee of C. C. C.

ARMORY WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY, WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 10, 1877.—To Capt. V. Q. Johnson, Gen'l Supt C. C. R. R.; Col. A. Pope, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent W. & W. R. R.; Capt. A. B. Anderson, Supt. N. C. R. R.—Gentlemen:

The undersigned committee on the part of the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Cornet Concert Club, appointed to return the thanks of these organizations to the managers of the railroads over which they passed, for the comfortable and pleasant accommodations which were arranged for them, and for the free transportation which was granted them on the occasion of their visit to Raleigh as escort to the Governor of North Carolina and on their return therefrom to Wilmington, have adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the generosity and uniform polite attention extended to the organizations which we represent, during the trip to Raleigh by way of Charlotte and return to Wilmington by way of Goldsboro, by the managements of the railroads, deserve their and our own most earnest thanks, and that we tender to Capt. V. Q. Johnson of the Carolina Central Railroad, Col. A. Pope of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, and Capt. A. B. Anderson, of the North Carolina Railroad, these resolutions as an expression of the obligations under which their many acts of kindness and courtesy have placed us.

Resolved, That much of the enjoyment which was equally shared by our organizations on this occasion was the result of the successful efforts of the railroad managers to provide comfortable facilities for the military, whom they received and treated as their guests.

Resolved, That we desire to place on record this testimonial of their obligations to the railroads for their generous action, which we regard as an expression of the good will of these great corporations towards the military organizations present at the Inaugural ceremonies, and particularly to the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Cornet Concert Club.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the daily papers of the city for publication.

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A Conflict of Evidence.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 11.—The American of this morning says:

A though efforts are being made to make it appear that Fred. May of New York was not injured, it is given out on the authority of a member of the family here that May was wounded in the duel beyond all question of doubt.

Per contra, a gentleman, probably as intimate with the May family as any man in Baltimore, states most emphatically and positively this morning that May was not wounded. To use his own words, "He did not receive a scratch, and I know it."

The Gazette this morning says that Dr. Fred. May and Dr. Charles Tilghman, second and surgeon to May, on receipt of the news of the arrest of Dr. Chas. Phelps in New York, immediately left the city for parts unknown, their destination being withheld from their most intimate friends. But the Sun says both of these gentlemen were in town yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Patrick, of Wadesboro, father of John T. Patrick, proprietor of the Pee Dee Herald, died on Sunday night last. Mr. Patrick was a good citizen, and was for many years postmaster at Wadesboro.

On Friday morning Watson, W. Rumble, a student of Davidson College and son of Rev. J. Rumble, of Salisbury, died at the College.

The N. C. R. R. has declared a dividend of six per cent.

Worship in the various churches of the city to-day as follows:

Second Baptist, on 6th between Church and Castle streets. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M.

Seamen's Bethel, on Dock between Front and Water streets. Rev. J. L. Keen, chaplain. Services at 11 A. M.

First Congregational. Services every Sunday in Academy Hall, corner of Seventh and Nun streets, at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M.

St. Paul's (Episcopal), corner of Fourth and Orange streets. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sunday School at 3 1/2 P. M. Rev. T. M. Ambler, rector. Seats free.

St. James', corner of Market and Third streets, Rev. Dr. A. A. Watson rector. Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock. Evening Prayer at 5 o'clock. Sunday School at 4 P. M.

St. John's, corner of Third and Red Cross street, Rev. George Patterson rector. Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock; Evening Prayer, 5 o'clock. Sunday School at 4.

St. Thomas' Catholic, Dock street, between Second and Third street. Morning Services at 7 and 10 A. M. Vespers at 7 1/2 P. M. Sunday School at 9 1/2 A. M.

Front Street M. E. (South), corner of Front and Walnut streets, Rev. J. E. Mann pastor. Service every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 3 P. M.

Fifth Street Methodist E. (South), situated on Fifth, between Nun and Church streets, Rev. J. M. Rhodes pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 9 1/2 A. M.

St. Paul's Evang. Lutheran, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. G. D. Bernheim pastor. Preparatory service (German) at 10 1/2 A. M.; German service and communion at 11 A. M.; English service at 7 1/2 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M.

First Presbyterian, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. Jos. R. Wilson, D. D., pastor. Prayer meeting preparatory to communion at 10 A. M. in the Lecture Room. Joint communion services with the Second Presbyterian Church at 11 A. M. Usual evening service at 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School exercises at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second Presbyterian, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. C. M. Payne pastor. Services at 7 1/2 P. M. No service at 11 A. M. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 3 P. M. At 11 A. M. to-day the congregation will unite in a communion service with the First Presbyterian Church.

LOUISIANA.

Demoralization of the Radical Legislature.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 11.—The State House is reported in a filthy condition, with its inmates still badly demoralized. New interior barricades have been improvised; among others one of all the law books in the House, as a breast-work at the head of the staircase. Although free egress and ingress is maintained but few avail themselves of the privilege, and then merely during the day. A general air of flabbiness is apparent everywhere; haggard countenances and bleary eyes meet you at every turn. The talk is still of demoralization and hopefulness, but the attitude is one of despair, and it is plain the present status of affairs cannot exist much longer.

This morning a dead negro was carried out of the State House and reported to have died of heart disease. It has transpired, however, that during a debate last night, about one o'clock, a melee occurred, in which two Metropolitan were shot and one named Auction died. It was with great difficulty that a stampede was prevented. The wounded man is still in the State House. Another fight, in which pistols were drawn, occurred to-day.

The impression that the Nicholls movement is a complete success is growing upon them, and symptoms of defeat in the legislative quorum are more apparent to-day than ever. In the meanwhile the Democrats are not idle. Emissaries are busily at work, and the secession of a large body to the Nicholls House in a day or two is now more than a probability. Two—Mr. Barrett, of Rapides, and Mr. Kennedy, of St. Charles—came over to-day and more have promised for to-morrow.

A meeting of the Democratic Legislature has been called for to-night, it is supposed, to perfect arrangements for receiving a seceding body from the Packard House.

The Metropolitan, of whom less than 200 are left, are anxious to get out, and send messages to their friends outside to that effect.

The mill and cotton gin of Mr. F. W. Rankin, of Mecklenburg county, valued at \$4,000, were destroyed by fire on Thursday night.

Disappointment in love caused a young Raleighite to attempt to commit suicide by swallowing two ounces of laudanum.

LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Thirty-first Day.

Condensed from the Observer.

SENATE.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12.

The committee on penal institutions to whom Moore's resolution was referred, have considered the same, and are of the opinion that it should not pass, as there is no evidence to sustain the allegation that any prisoner had been shot down and then shot three or four times after he was down, and other prisoners being required to witness the same; and as to fire and blankets, the committee is satisfied that the convicts are comfortable, so much so that an old woman who had visited her son in the Penitentiary, went home so well pleased with the accommodations, that she was going home and try to get the old man and Jim in there also.

Bill to incorporate the town of Beaufort in the county of Carteret, passed its third reading.

Bill to punish assaults with deadly weapons, was laid on the table.

Bill to amend an act to incorporate the town of Shoe Heel. (This bill proposes to change the name of said town to Tilden.)

Moore, col., of New Hanover, moved to amend the bill by striking out "Mr. Tilden" and insert "Mr. Hayes." The amendment was lost.

Dockery moved to amend by striking out "Tilden" and insert "Wheeler," which was voted down, and the bill passed its third reading by a vote of ayes 38, nays Dockery, Green, Mabson, Col. and Moore, col., 4.

Resolution in favor of Hon. Thomas Settle, (proposes to pay him \$50 for organizing the late Constitutional Convention), passed its several readings.

Bill to regulate the rate of interest, was made the special order for Friday next at 12 o'clock, and was ordered to be printed.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

By Moring, from committee on privileges and elections, a majority report upon the matter of the contested seat of J. J. Horton, from Hertford county, contested by H. C. Maddrey.

By Clarke of Craven, minority report upon same matter.

Postponed till Tuesday.

Wilson of New Hanover: A bill to be entitled an act to provide for the colored insane in this State. Committee on insan asylums.

Bill for the support of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, providing for a State appropriation of \$5,000 for the years 1877-78, was laid on the table.

Bill to protect the people of the State from incompetent and ignorant physicians, reported favorably on by the committee on education, failed to pass its second reading.

On motion of McLean the vote was reconsidered, and on motion of Staples the bill was referred to a special committee of physicians.

By request of Dr. Ransom, Staples was added to the committee.

Bill to amend the charter of Davidson College passed its second reading.

Bill to be entitled an act to prevent the destruction of fish in the waters of Pender, New Hanover, Harnett and Sampson counties, was taken up on its third reading, and on motion of Rose, laid on the table.

Bill for the protection of legal notices was put upon its third reading and passed.

Resolution of instruction to State Geologist in relation to the establishment of a department of agriculture asking that officer to furnish statistics, was adopted.

A Lively Set of Senators.

New York Herald Columbia correspondence of the 11th.

The proceedings of the Senate committee are still secret, but occasionally some information breaks out. Senators Christianity and Cameron cannot suppress everything, and, if report speaks the truth, some extraordinary scenes ensue during the sessions of the committee. Yesterday, while a Republican judge was testifying, Senator Merrimon (Democrat) asked the witness a question, to which Senator Christianity objected.

Upon this a violent discussion took place, which was participated in by all the members of the committee, and which became so threatening that the judicial witness arose and said:

"Senators, I shall have to interpose my authority as a peace officer of the State unless you calm yourselves and preserve order. This, gentlemen, is an outrage. The peace must and shall be maintained in South Carolina at all hazards."

This timely warning restored order and good humor, and the venerable belligerent Senators proceeded with their investigation. The committee will probably conclude its labors to-morrow and return to Washington.

Wilmington District.

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.—FIRST ROUND OF APPOINTMENTS FOR QUARTERLY MEETINGS AS MADE BY THE PRESIDENT ELDER, REV. W. S. BLACK, FOR THE PRESENT CONFERENCE YEAR:

Whiteville & Waccamaw Mis.	
at Whiteville	Jan. 13, 14
Bladen, at Deems' Chapel	" 20, 21
Elizabeth, at Elizabeth	" 27, 28
Wilmington, Front Street	Feb. 3, 4
Smithville, at Zion	" 10, 11
Clinton, at Clinton	" 17, 18
Topsham, at Union	" 24, 25
Cokesbury and Coharie Miss.	" 31, 1
at Hill's	Mar. 3, 4
Kenansville, at Kenansville	" 10, 11
District Steward's meeting, at Lecture Room of the Front Street Church, Wilmington, at 11 o'clock, a. m., Feb. 5.	

In a communication published in the Raleigh News Mr. Scarborough says:

"In your article, 'Rumored Defalcation,' published in the News, some statements are made which I deem it proper for me to correct. Mr. Pool may be a defaulter, but if so, I do not know it, nor have I the means of knowing it. Who the parties are to whom Mr. Pool paid the money subject to his order in the Raleigh National Bank, whether they were teachers or not, or for what purpose they were paid said money, I have no means of knowing. I suppose these facts will appear from Mr. Pool's report to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs at Washington. Mr. Pool states this in his letter to me."

Respecting this matter the News says it derived its information from Col. Taylor, for twenty-five years past agent for the Eastern Band of North Carolina Cherokees.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

ANNUAL EXPORT TABLE FOR 1876.

THIS TABLE WILL BE DELIVERED to those who have subscribed this day. Others who may desire to obtain copies can do so up to midday on Monday. Price 65.

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A. SHRIER, dec 8-17 30 Market street.

Wilmington & Weldon RAILROAD.

OFFICE OF GEN'L SUP'T, Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 1, 1877.

ON AND AFTER WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31, 1877, Passenger Trains on the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad will run as follows:

DAY MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAINS: Leave Wilmington, Front St. Depot, at 7:15 A. M. Arrive at Goldsboro - 11:32 A. M. " Rocky Mount - 1:40 P. M. " Weldon - 3:20 P. M. Leave Weldon, daily - 12:40 P. M. Arrive at Rocky Mount - 2:23 P. M. " Goldsboro - 4:05 P. M. " Wilmington, Front St. Depot - 7:30 P. M. NIGHT MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN, DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY: Leave Wilmington at - 5:30 P. M. Arrive at Goldsboro - 10:15 P. M. " Rocky Mount - 12:50 A. M. " Weldon - 2:20 A. M. Leave Weldon, daily - 4:20 A. M. Arrive at Rocky Mount - 6:01 A. M. " Goldsboro - 8:00 A.