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TAX NOTICE.

If City Taxes are not paid on or before the 30th day of November 1897, I shall proceed to advertise and sell the property.

Payment on or before the date mentioned will save all parties the costs.

J. L. HARTSFIELD, City Tax Collector.

POSTUM CEREAL,

Foulds' Wheat Germ Meal, Atmore's Mince Meat, Hecker's Buckwheat.

FOX

RIVER PRINT BUTTER,

Just Received.

JOHN DUNN'S,

Cash Store,

55 Pollock St., NEW BERNE, N. C.

REPORT OF DOCKERY.

Claims The Condition of The Penitentiary is Satisfactory.

Nash Bros. Get a Contract. Case of Mrs. James. Cotton Growing Afresh. Big Planting of Wheat. Democratic Committee Meeting.

JOURNAL BUREAU.
RALEIGH, N. C., November 17.
Chairman Dockery of the penitentiary board after giving the financial report of yesterday says that the institution will make money; that all this year's indebtedness will be paid; put a supply of corn aside for next year, and deposit a large sum of money in the State Treasury. He says that this year will be the first since the State undertook farming that the institution has been upon a paying basis. Mr. Thos. Evans an expert accountant from Wilmington, who has been going over the books of the last four years, shows that the State during that time lost by the penitentiary \$164,148.51. It was said that the institution was self sustaining in 1896 but Evans' report shows that the loss in 1895 was \$16,541.55 and in 1896 it was \$11,992.06.

General F. H. Cameron is confined to his bed from slipping on the post office steps and badly hurting himself. One of the most elegant "At Homes" ever given here was given last evening at the lovely home of Mrs. J. M. Turner to Mrs. Woodruff of Atlanta and the Misses Ravenel of Charleston.

Nash Bros., Printers of Goldsboro, got the contract for printing the 121st Supreme court reports. There were only four bidders. The Fouts Davies Co., of Atlanta; Wm. J. C. Dulaney Co., of Baltimore; Edwards & Broughton, of Raleigh and Nash Bros., of Goldsboro.

Governor Russell got "his Irish up" yesterday because of the statement that Judge Robinson had "free passes." He had best look to his own affairs and give the Judge credit of being able to fight his own battles. There is a tremendous acreage of wheat being put in this fall all around this part of the country.

The fourth annual convention of the Sons of the Revolution was held here this week. Dr. P. E. Hines was elected president.

Lee S. Overman, Esq., of Salisbury is here to argue before the Supreme court today the case of Mrs. James vs. W. N. C. R. R., for \$15,000 for the killing of her husband. The jury gave her that amount, but Judge Starbuck ruled against it.

There has been \$200 appropriated for the removal of the remains of General Clingman from Concord to Asheville. He was only taken to the Asylum at Morganton for safety for his mind was so impaired.

Cotton has put out fresh leaves on the top and the stalks look really strange. Many young plants have put up from the fallen seed.

Mr. Randall, the artist, has sent to Wake Forest College, a handsome portrait of the late Mr. W. V. Vass, that was ordered for the college.

The meeting of the State Democratic Committee on the 20th, is being discussed eagerly by the populists. They are anxious to know what is the outcome of it.

The first number of the "N. C. Odd Fellows" published here has made its appearance. It is a neat magazine devoted to the work of the I. O. O. F. in this State.

It is stated that boarders have actually been taken at the penitentiary by some of the families living in the prison during this year. It seems to be a perfect hot-bed for rascality, scandals and fraud.

THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

NEW YORK, November 17.
STOCKS.
Open. High. Low. Close
People's Gas... 94 94 93 93
C. R. & Q. 94 94 93 94
COTTON.
Open. High. Low. Close
January..... 5.80 5.80 5.71 5.71
CHICAGO MARKETS.
WHEAT— Open. High. Low. Close
Dec..... 94 94 93 94
May..... 89 90 89 90
CORN—
Dec..... 26 26 26 26
Cotton Sales 126,000 Bales.

Fast Ocean Run.

New York, November 16.—Ex-Secretary of the Navy William C. Whitney and Dr. Theodore von Helldorf, the new German ambassador to Washington, were among the passengers on board of the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which arrived here from Southampton today.

During the voyage the ship made in one day 567 miles, the best day's run ever made by any vessel on the same trip. Gales delayed the passage, which required several hours longer than the best record time.

CASTORIA.

It is the best medicine for children.

AN OCEAN RESCUE

A Steamer Saves a Crew of Ten and Five Men Adrift in a Small Boat.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16.—The voyage of the steamer Edgenland, which arrived here today from Liverpool, was marked by two rescues at sea. To the watchful eye of the lookout can be credited the saving of a number of lives.

The waterlogged and sailless schooner Willie L. Maxwell was sighted last Sunday, and she was taken in tow with her crew of ten men, the vessel having become helpless.

Monday morning a small boat was sighted, drifting helplessly with five men aboard. When the men were taken on the steamer it was found that they were the crew of the abandoned schooner Theodore Dean, Capt. James F. Hodgson, of the Dean, has been washed from the sea all boat and lost.

The Dean left South Amboy last Friday for Norfolk, with a cargo of coal. When off Aisecoon light she lost her mainsail, and on Saturday at noon, when forty-five miles from Barnegat she sprang a leak, a plank having been torn from her side.

The vessel filled rapidly, and with four feet of water in her hold the captain ordered the small boat lowered, and the crew of six men left the schooner. An hour later the schooner sank.

The boat drifted until 9 o'clock Monday morning, when it was sighted by the Edgenland and the men were rescued from their perilous situation 137 miles from the Delaware capes.

The shipwrecked men suffered greatly from cold and hunger. They had with them in the boat only a small quantity of biscuit and a gallon jug of water. This they touched sparingly, as they feared that even should their boat not be swamped, it might be many days before they would be saved.

Latest News Items.

NEW YORK, November 16.—It is asserted that Spanish spies are known to be inspecting our fortifications.

GRAND FORKS, N. D., November 16.—"An innocent man was hanged by lynchers last Saturday night at Williamsport" was the startling statement made today by Chief Justice Corliss, of the North Dakota Supreme court.

BERLIN, November 16.—Dr. Carl Peters, former German High Commissioner in Africa, the well known African explorer, charged with extreme cruelty to natives in Africa, has been dismissed from the German service and been ordered to pay the entire costs of the prosecution.

PAIS, November 16.—Countess Bon de Castellane, formerly Anna Gould, has paid \$250,000 for a large site in the Rue Pierre Charron, which is to be given by the Countess for the erection of a permanent building for the annual charity bazaar, whose last bazaar cost 100 lives by fire.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., November 16.—The memorial exercises which were originally to have been held in Memphis October 5th in commemoration of the life and services of the late Senator Isham Harris, but which were postponed on account of the presence of yellow fever, will be held in this city on Sunday night next.

PHILADELPHIA, November 16.—President Fetterolf, of the Girard College, has issued an edict against football, and henceforth the students of the institution must keep off the gridiron. The ban on football was the result of a boy having his leg broken last Saturday during a practice game.

ST. PETERSBURG, November 16.—All day long a fierce wind from the sea has driven the waters of the Neva up the stream and flooded the canals, the suburban islands and outlying portions of the city. Several bridges have been swept away and the flood continues to rise, threatening to assume grave proportions. At frequent intervals, cannon at the fortresses are fired to keep the inhabitants alert.

PARIS, November 16.—M. Schurer-Kastner, one of the vice presidents of the Senate, who has been agitating for a reopening of the case of Alfred Dreyfus, the former captain of artillery, now undergoing banishment for life for selling important French military plans to Germany, has written a letter to the newspaper in which he asserts that on October 13 he presented to the French Minister for War, General Bilot, documents proving the prisoner innocent and another officer guilty. The French Cabinet will take the matter up.



Thanksgiving Dinner Deserts

Should include glace fruits and choice chocolates, rich bon bons and white Turkish nougat. We will have them fresh, delicious and tempting, and fit to grace the table of a King. If you are invited out to dine, a box of our exquisite chocolates will be an acceptable and pleasing gift to your hostess and the children.

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DEATH AVERTED.

Governor Russell Has Commuted the Negro Johnson's Sentence.

New Evidence The Reason. Pressure Brought to Bear to Save the Negro Evans at Rockingham. Number of Penitentiary Escapes This Year. Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 17.—Governor Russell commutes to life imprisonment the death sentence of George Johnson the negro condemned to be hung at Wilmington on Thanksgiving Day, November 25th. The reasons stated for commuting the sentence are that evidence produced since the trial clearly proves the negro woman's bad character.

Strong evidence is being brought to bear on the Governor to commute the death sentence of the negro John Evans, convicted of rape at Rockingham and condemned to be hung on November 26, at that place. Letters urging the Governor to pursue this course are being received by him in large numbers. Among others Cyrus B. Watson will urge Governor Russell to commute the sentence to imprisonment.

Superintendent Smith of the Penitentiary reports that 29 convicts have escaped this year, against 52 escapes last year and 36 during the year before last.

Government Armor Plant.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—Secretary Long will ask for bids for the construction of an armor plant complete upon plans to be furnished by the special board now considering the subject. This board has orders to report its findings to the Navy Department by December 1, and immediately on the report being received advertisements will be issued calling for bids. Firms like the Carnegie and Bethlehem Companies may put in bids for the disposition of their establishments complete.

The Department, however, is not bound to accept any bid, nor has it any authority to do so, until granted by Congress. Under the resolution by which the Board was appointed the Secretary is called upon to furnish Congress the cost of building an armor plant, together with the proposals submitted by outside parties for carrying out the work.

The Surprise of All.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Gowden, Ill., speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and he was very serious so that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a little home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and had ten dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at F. S. Duff's Drug Store.

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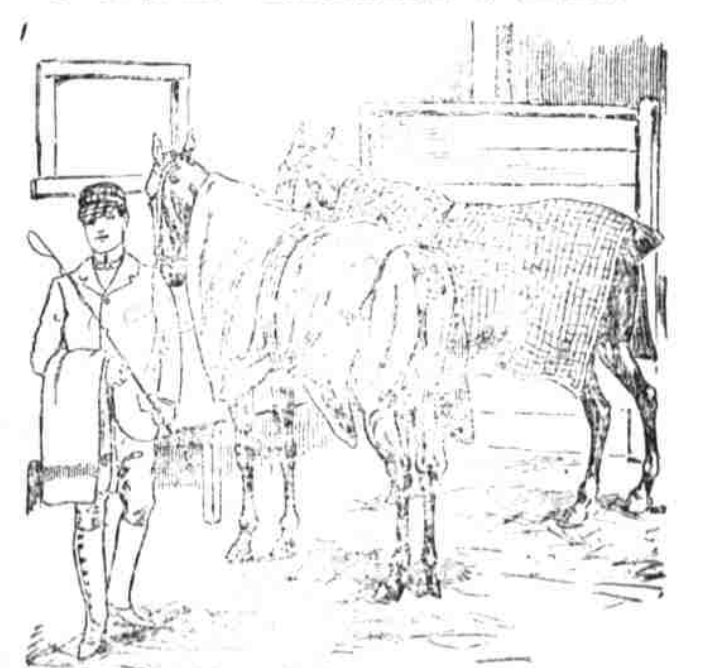
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