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Twenty-Fourth Year

SUMMER FORECAST.

One piece Silk Mull 27 inch wide, worth 50c for 22c. One piece Pink Linen, worth 35c for 19c. Children H and W waist, cool and airy. The only comfortable garment for hot weather. All sizes for 25c.

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10 Pieces fine quality Cannon Cloth

this sale 9c a yard.
SLIPPERS
65 pair Ladies Slippers only 45c a pair.
Ladies Misses and Children White Canvas Oxfords to close at Great Bargains.
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Extract from decision of Supreme Court in the case of Georgia Home Insurance Co. vs. A. H. Allen.
"An Iron Safe Clause in a policy of insurance requiring the assured to keep a set of books and inventory of the stock, which shall be kept in an iron safe at night and at other times when the store is not open for business, is a valid condition and binding upon the assured, the breach of which will void the policy unless it is waived by the insurer."

F. E.—We sell the J. Hamm Safe and Lock Company's Safes, one of the best safes on the market. They succeeded in winning the Gold Medal at World's Fair, St. Louis, 1904.
We have them in stock, weighing from 425 lbs to 2,000 lbs.
Write for Catalogue and Prices.

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TRIED FOR MURDER.

John Peterson, the Negro Alleged to Have Shot His Wife on Fire and Caused Her Death.

A murder case which in many respects was one of the most spectacular affairs of the kind ever seen in New Bern was tried at the court house yesterday. John Peterson was put on trial for his life, being charged with setting fire to his wife and causing injuries from which she died. The crime occurred December 4, 1904.

The case was called about 10:30 yesterday morning but it was postponed before a jury was obtained. Two special venirees of 75 talesmen were exhausted in the effort to get twelve men to pass on the evidence and determine whether "John Pete" should live or die.

The jury selected was as follows: A. D. Thomas, J. S. Miller, John R. Bowden, L. M. Edgerton, Furnie Gaskill, W. H. Griffin, S. A. Gaskin, W. J. Barrington, W. B. Parker, F. M. Bowden, W. K. Baxter, G. T. Winfield.

The first witness for the State on the stand was Dr. Jones who as coroner viewed the remains of the woman and stated the character of the injuries and gave evidence that the woman died directly from the burns.

Hattie Perry stated that she saw the fire and the woman run out on the street with her night clothing on fire. She stated that Peterson and his wife were at her house on the Wednesday before the woman was killed and they quarreled a good deal. When she went to the place she found the bed on fire and all the woman's clothing burned from her body. A good deal of evidence was produced to show that the characters of both parties were such that respectable people held their noses and it will hardly meet with the principles of decency to publish. The evidence of officer C. Lupton was that he saw the woman on fire, having responded to the firebell as he is bound to do by his duty. He saw the woman and heard her cry murder and fire. The woman made statement to him between three and four o'clock Sunday morning in which she declared she was going to die, and that her husband, John Peterson, set fire to her. She was rational.

Officer Montague was on the witness stand and stated that he saw the woman Sunday morning at 8 or 9 o'clock and got her statement which was essentially the same as that taken by officer Lupton.

The defense produced testimony tending to show that the woman was seen the night of the alleged murder; she was drunk and was seen with several men. She consorted with Portuguese and was swearing and cursing in a very disorderly manner, other witnesses said that the character of Katie Peterson was bad.

The most convicting testimony of the state witnesses was that of Henry Mc Rae who told the story of the fire and his positive identification of the defendant. His testimony could not be shaken by a sharp cross questioning.

The evidence was closed at six o'clock and the speeches will be made this morning.

Beautiful eyes and handsome faces are eloquent commendations. Bright eyes are windows to a woman's heart. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes bright eyes. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

The remark is often heard, during warm weather, that the water from the pumps is much better than that from the hydrants. Certainly it is much cooler and therefore more agreeable to the palate, but it is safer to drink warmer water knowing it to be pure than to drink cooler water which is perhaps contaminated with poisonous germs. As long as the city keeps its water pure it is better for people to drink that from the works.

There were a great many barrels of resin lying on the E. C. D. wharf Friday, which reminded one of old times. From an early period in its history, until fifteen or twenty years ago, New Bern, to except Wilmington, was the largest shipper of naval stores of any other port in the State. Several turpentine distilleries were located in the city and the air was constantly charged with resinous odors, which made the town healthy and the products of the stills made the manufacturers wealthy. Very little turpentine is now made in this section. A few patches of trees are to be seen in Onslow and there are two or three stills in the county, and it was from one of these stills located on Queen's creek this resin was brought.

Rev. N. C. Hughes, of Chowchilly, will conduct services in Christ Church tomorrow.

The latest story on the Dewey matter is still in the air. He gets clear he will sue the directors of the late Farmers and Merchants bank, \$50,000 for malicious prosecution.

There's a pretty girl in an Alpine hat, A sweeter girl with a softer face, But the handsomest girl you'll ever see, In the month of the year, was Rocky Mountain Tea.

Sold by F. S. Duffy.

THE CONFEDERATE SOLDIER.

Speech of Hon. Charles R. Thomas July 4, 1905, at the Confederate Veterans Dinner in Response to The Toast.

We take great pleasure in publishing the excellent speech which Hon. Charles R. Thomas delivered on the occasion of the dinner to the Confederate Veterans at the Naval Reserves armory July 4.

"I feel myself specially honored in being called upon to respond to this particular toast. Had I the golden mouth of Chrysostom, or the silver tongue of the greatest orators of the world in the past and in the present, living and dead I would be unable to do such a theme and such a subject the justice it merits.

The Confederate Soldier: In his conception of duty, his heroism, his fortitude and his courage, the superior of any soldier of ancient or modern times. The soldiers of the Revolution, fighting for the liberties of thirteen united Colonies at Moore's Creek, Guilford Court-House, Kings' Mountain, Lexington and Bunker Hill and Yorktown; with their bleeding feet, staining the snows of winter at Valley Forge, securing the liberty and independence which our forefathers decreed upon this "Birth-day of the Republic" the soldiers of the war of 1812 reflecting unfading glory and lustre upon the flag of the Republic, with Jackson at New Orleans; the soldiers of the Mexican War, under Scott and Taylor, in one unbroken succession of victories, carrying the flag of the Republic and planting it in triumph upon the glittering halls and palaces of the Montezuman kings in the City of Mexico; the soldiers of Wellington and Napoleon at Waterloo engaged in a battle involving the destinies of the world—none of these surpassed the soldier of the Confederacy, who for four long years with unflinching courage, followed that banner, which bore the St. Andrew's Cross and the Stars and Bars which is now furled upon the broken flag-staff of a "Lost Cause" but which is still unstained and undishonored.

The Confederate Soldier: May God bless his declining years. Born of race of fighters, of a race and stock which from 1800 to 1861 controlled the Government and the destinies of the Republic; chivalrous, knightly, brave, tender and true, loyal to every duty, acknowledging no superior but God and the women of "Dixie Land" I have not words in which to portray his valor and his virtues nor phrases of speech in which to do him justice. I know not what you and other men may think, and what opinions others may have entertained in the past, but the cause for which he fought was in my opinion the cause which was eternally right, admitted to be right by even the statesmen of the North; for Daniel Webster and Senator Pickens, of Massachusetts said the Constitution was but a compact between the States. I know not how you and other men may feel, but for my single self I never see one of these men with an empty sleeve and halting gait, who has sacrificed his all in devotion to principle and duty, without saluting him as the peasant salutes his prince. No more gallant men ever breathed than the soldiers of the South.

The Confederate Soldier: Dead, the South honors his memory and transmits to future generations his name and fame.

Living, the South will teach the children his virtues and courage, and to emulate his example, and while this earth holds a true Son of the South no maimed and helpless soldier of the Confederacy shall suffer for the needs of life.

The Confederate Soldier: I see him as he leaves his home and fireside to enter the war, accompanied by the prayers and tears and the undying love of the wives, mothers, sisters and sweethearts of the Southland; the purest, sweetest, best women upon whom God's sunshine, telling him with Spartan virtue, but with tears dimming their eyes, to return from the field of battle dead upon his shield or not at all. I see him in the first weary days of the war around the camp fire, uncertain of the future, thinking of the loved ones at home, but facing all with a brave and courageous heart. I see him in the trenches, cold and hungry and weary, but still brave and unflinching. I see him upon a hundred battlefields from Bethel to Bentonville, in Tennessee, in the Valley of Virginia, in Maryland, in Pennsylvania, at Chancellorsville and Gettysburg, and finally at Appomattox, where over-powered by numbers he laid down his arms.

Often times in the closing years of the war, half clad and half famished, his grey jacket faded and torn, oftentimes plucking victory from defeat, but always the same brave, generous, noble, gallant soul.

Fighting against such tremendous odds it was impossible for the Confederate soldier to succeed, but never in the history of the world has such splendid courage been exhibited, or such magnificent generosity been seen.

Finally I see him after the war, returning foot-sore and weary to his home and loved ones, his plantation devastated, his home in ruins, often times with one arm following the plough and rebuilding the waste places. And I see him today, having returned and restored the South to its pristine prosperity, greater in peace time in the opinion of the great masses, than in the days of the great emergency.

of the whole country; in the war with Spain the bravest defender and the most gallant fighter under the same flag against which he fought from 1861 to 1865.

May his closing years be bright with unalloyed happiness and when he passes through the pearly gates there with Jackson and Lee and his other great leaders "to rest under the shade of the trees" may he find there the palms and crowns of victory.

The Confederate Soldier! Those of you who prefer, may drink to him in the most sparkling mineral water gushing from "Mother Earth," and those who may wish to do so, may drink to him in sparkling champagne from the sunny fields of France, but living or dead we honor him now and for all time and the cause for which he fought, which still lives and is cherished in all undying memories in the hearts of its the people of the South.

It makes no difference how many medicines have failed to cure you, if you are troubled with headache, constipation, kidney or liver troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

Seeking Temporary Peace.

St. Petersburg, July 7.—In spite of denials at the foreign office there is excellent authority for stating that Russia is persisting in her efforts to secure an armistice. Representations to that effect have been made direct to Japan but Tokio thus far has vouchsafed no reply. It is said the request is made less on account of the rebellious spirit being manifested throughout the empire than to a desire to end the war and prevent further fighting and bloodshed in Manchuria pending peace negotiations at Washington.

A Notable Honor.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Beaufort, this week Mr. T. A. Uzzell, cashier of the Citizens bank was elected president of the first named bank. He was cashier of that institution for two years after its organization.

The honor is well placed and well deserved. He is a young financier of acknowledged ability and his friends rejoice in the handsome compliment paid him.

The new office will not necessitate his removal from New Bern as he will be able to hold his present position and look after the interests of the Bank of Beaufort also.

The Dewey Deadlock.

Affairs in the Dewey case are at a standstill pending the verdict which it is believed by most of the people will be a mistrial. The jury have been kept in their little room for about 36 hours and they would like to get out but the demands of the law are imperative and the officers are only performing their sworn duty.

It is probable that the jury will remain until the last adjournment of court or at least until the Judge sees fit to discharge them unless a verdict is reached at an earlier time and that is not liable to occur.

The Bridge Will Be Built.

Contracts have been made and active work will soon be started on the bridge between Morehead City and Beaufort. The A. & N. C. Company have promised to have it built provided the city of Beaufort would grant some some favors which were readily complied with by the Board of Aldermen of that city.

It is estimated that the cost of the bridge will be from \$150,000 to \$200,000.

LOVE OF NATURE.

The More Man Loves Out of Door Life the More He Admires It.

The more man has become engaged in the routine of civilization, in intellectual disappointment, the more he has felt the uselessness of knowledge, the more he has turned to certain expressions of art as an escape. He has addressed poems to nature, has painted landscape more and more, has shown in every way that such an escape was a dream. Art has exalted from the very beginning, even before the first man stuttered out his naming of the animals and expressed their character by the sound of their name. The dances of savages, as we call them, that is to say, of people of earlier forms of civilization—invented before the arts of design, record in a poetic way what they do and the seasons of such doing and even the appearance of nature—the storm, the rain, the clouds blowing across the sky, the lashing of the sea against the shore. In all they have a dance where the women spread out their arms like the waves here of the surf, and the children, springing up behind them, represent the foam of the waves crests. From these beginnings we know that tragedy and comedy, as we call them, have grown. Then, as all these things in fact, they are recorded in the actual painting. And so man came and man never looked like a life of out of doors in as much does a desire to admire it. —McClure's Magazine.

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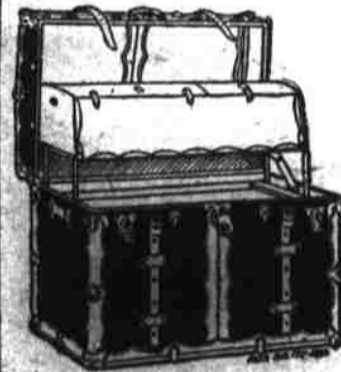
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