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Advertisement for 'GONE NORTH' featuring Mr. Alexander, with details about clothing and shoes.

Advertisement for boots, shoes, and hats, stating 'OUR FALL STOCK OF BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND TRUNKS'.

Advertisement for Dr. Geo. W. Graham, a professional in eye, ear, and throat medicine.

Advertisement for W.S. Everitt, a surgeon and dentist, located at the corner of Trade and Tryon streets.

Advertisement for Perry's Bouquet Cigars, described as 'THE BEST CIGAR IN AMERICA'.

Advertisement for Perry's Caramels and Walnut Cream Chocolate, highlighting their quality and taste.

Advertisement for 'Dry Goods, Clothing, &c' featuring 'FIRST OF THE SEASON!' and 'Wool Bunting'.

Advertisement for 'Hamburgh Edgings' and 'Spring Prints', with a list of various fabric types.

Advertisement for 'S.S.S.' (Swiss Skin Specific) medicine, used for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'Hostetter's Stomach Bitters', a well-known medicinal product.

Advertisement for 'Perry's Caramels' and 'Walnut Cream Chocolate', with a list of agents and dealers.

STATE NEWS. Rev. Dr. Joseph R. Wilson lectured in Wilmington Monday night on 'Success.'

The Asheville Journal, Republican, is quite emphatic, saying: 'We regard those who do not favor an honest sale of the Western North Carolina Railroad as enemies to themselves and all mankind.'

Asheville Journal: The revival at the Baptist church is yet in progress. New interest springs up at every service during the day and night.

Endowment of Friends' College. The will of the late Gideon Frost, of High Head, L. I., bequeaths almost his entire estate, valued at between \$100,000 and \$200,000, to the Friends' College at Matinecock, which was founded by the testator in 1877.

The Feminine Mouth. A person who has made the feminine mouth the object of much study volunteers his conclusions to males with sweet teeth. They are as follows: If her mouth is very small there is not much mind, but overmuch shallow sentiment.

Building by the Electric Light. Baltimore Sun. Two years ago there were three hands in this country for every job of work almost that offered, particularly if it was a building job.

The Marriage Tie in New York. A strong but quiet effort has been visible in certain quarters for some time past to make divorces easier in New York than they are already, and it has taken shape in the introduction of a bill by the assembly.

A Woodman's Test of Affection. Morganland Blade. Not long since an aged citizen of this county, possessed by a spirit of devilry and curiosity, went out near his house and cut a large white pine tree, and just as it fell he screamed a few times at the top of his voice, which alarmed his family and neighbors who in ten minutes time had assembled at the tree.

BLESSED BE MORTGAGES. For, According to the Rev. Dr. Talmage, they are the Next Best Thing to Cash.

The history of the mortgage would be the domestic social, political, financial, and ecclesiastical history of all ages," said Dr. Talmage in the opening of his eleventh annual sermon in the Brooklyn Tabernacle yesterday.

There is a great deal of nonsense talked about not dedicating churches until the Rothschilds or the Astors, or Vanderbilts? Secular institutions fail, while churches live. I have known but two churches to go down in the eleven years I have been in Brooklyn, and those two have revived again.

Next to the happiness of cash down for a religious movement is the happiness of getting money on a loan for that object. This slang against churches in debt had better cease, until business men give no more notes and ask no more accommodations in the neighborhood of getting money on a loan for that object.

When farmers, or merchants, or churches have a chance to pay off a mortgage, they ought to pay it off. There are some persons who advocate a church debt because it keeps the people busy. So do the rheumatism and neuralgia; but that is no argument in favor of the rheumatism or neuralgia.

Reviewing his eleven years' ministry in Brooklyn, he found two chief sources of congratulation. One was the utter forgetfulness of his clerical enemies, and the other was his satisfaction at his reception on his recent visit abroad.

Courting by Proxy. Judge McAdam rendered a decision in the Marine court, by the plaintiff's complaint, brought by John W. Boyle against Philip H. Ottman. The claim of the plaintiff, which amounted to \$474.20, was made up of an item of \$100, and a balance for training two pedestrians at defendant's request, and the balance for services in winning back the estranged affections of a lady of position whom the defendant desired to marry.

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FOR ONE WEEK. GREAT CLOSING SALE OF WINTER CLOTHING, TO MAKE ROOM FOR SPRING STOCK. 400 Fine all Wool Cass. Pants Reduced from \$7.50, 5, 6 & 7 TO ONE UNIFORM PRICE, \$3.50.

CLOSING SALE OF FALL AND WINTER Clothing!! Clothing!! GREAT ATTRACTIONS IN FINE SUITS. WE WILL SELL TO-DAY A SUIT WORTH \$25.00 FOR \$20.00, \$30.00 FOR \$25.00, \$40.00 FOR \$35.00.

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