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OUTLINES.

An outline of policy has been drawn up by the new French ministry. — Said that Germany asks Italy whether she will continue to permit the Pope to ferment rebellion in Germany. — The new Captain-General of Cuba has arrived. — Lady Maudmont, of divorce fame, has been found guilty of adultery. — Wheatley, Williams & Co., New York sugar refiners, failed. — New York market: Gold, 115½@115½; cotton, 16½@16½; spirits turpentine, 36½; cents; rosin, \$1.07½@1.12½. — Boston Herald, independent Republican, has many words of praise for Gordon and Lamar, who lately canvassed New Hampshire, and predicts good to the South from their speeches. — The Supreme Court decides that the lease of the N. C. Railroad to the R. & D. Railroad, is valid, and that lessee has right to change gauge of former road.

Gordon and Lamar—choice flowers of our climate—were greatly admired in New Hampshire. Read the extract telegraphed as taken from the Boston Herald, a Republican newspaper.

Surely Grant means to bore New Orleans since he has given over the idea of bayoneting it. He sends an Auger to his forces there.

The Legislature.

[Condensed from the Raleigh News.]

SEVENTY-SIXTH DAY.

SENATE.

RALEIGH, March 10.

THE CONVENTION BILL.

Mr. Morehead, from the Committee on Constitutional Reform, reported a bill providing for the call of a Convention "to meet in the city of Raleigh on the 6th of September, 1875, for the purpose of considering and adopting such amendments to the Constitution as they may deem necessary and expedient, subject only to the restrictions hereinafter provided." The bill provides that the election for delegates to the said Convention shall be held on the first Thursday in August, 1875, and that it shall consist of 120 delegates.

[The provisions of this bill were furnished by telegraph and printed in THE MORNING STAR yesterday.]

On motion of Mr. Morehead, the bill was ordered to be printed and made the special order for Friday at 12 o'clock.

A NEWBORN MATTER.

Tucker, colored, had read an article from the Newbern Times, in which a Mr. Pavie stated that the vouchers of that city were burned in 1873 by order of the Commissioners. Messrs. George Allen and the said Pavie, Democrats, burning the same.

Mr. Bell said the vouchers to which he had referred on this floor were burned on the 5th of May, 1874. Among other things as to corruption at the hands of the city officials, the Newbernian, a Democratic Journal of Newbern, had charged the burning of these vouchers for purposes of fraud. If the Times had ever denied it he had not seen it. During the late recess, in company with Wm. H. Oliver, one of the most respectable citizens of Newbern, he visited the office of the Clerk of the City Council and found the order to burn the vouchers as alleged. If he could be made to believe that in any statement of his he had done the Republican party or any of its officials any injustice, no one would be more ready to retract than himself. But if it could be shown that there was no intention of wrong in this voucher matter, enough still remained on record of Radical misrule and corruption in Craven county to warrant the assertion that the half had not been told. It would be difficult for the Times to prove any body to be a lie.

THE W. N. C. R. C. CO.

Mr. Tate's House bill providing for the State to buy the Western North Carolina Railroad with mortgage bonds issued on the road itself, and then finish it to Paint Rock with convict labor, came up as special order on its third reading.

Mr. Linney offered an amendment providing if the commissioners find the sum they are required to pay too great, or the claims they are required to pay to be fraudulent, then they shall make no purchase and report the same to the next General Assembly.

The question was discussed at some length by Messrs. Love, Graham and Morehead, when, at 12 o'clock, the Senate went into executive session on the election of Directors for the different State Institutions, adjourning the same at 2 o'clock without having completed this duty.

BRANCH INSANE ASYLUM.

The bill to establish a Western Branch Insane Asylum at Morganton, appropriating therefor \$50,000 this year and \$25,000 next year.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

By Mr. Trivett, a bill to incorporate the N. C. Tennessee and Virginia Narrow Gauge Railroad Company. Referred.

By Mr. Walker, of Tyrrell, a resolution to adjourn on the 22d instant.

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WHOLE NO. 2,319.

THE MORNING STAR.

THE CITY.

The mails will close at the City Post-Office until further notice as follows:
Northern (night) mails daily. 6:15 P. M.
" through and way (day) " " " " " 5:30 A. M.
Southern mails daily. 5:30 A. M.
Charleston direct (night) daily. 5:30 P. M.
Columbia " " " " " 5:00 P. M.
Augusta " " " " " 5:00 P. M.
Western mails (C. C. R. Y.) " 5:30 A. M.
Smithville (via Easy Hill and Town Creek) Tuesdays and Saturdays. 6:00 A. M.
Fayetteville, and on Cape Fear River, Mondays and Fridays. 1:00 P. M.
Fayetteville by C. C. R. Y. daily 5:30 A. M.
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday. 6:00 A. M.
Mails delivered from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M.
Stamp Office open from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 6 P. M. Money order or Register Department open same as stamp office.

NAVY ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. S. ELLIS—Real Estate & Loan Ass'n.
DeRosier & Co.—Virginia Bacon.
R. M. McIntire—Bazaar of Fashion.
WILLIAMS & MURCHISON—Guano.
M. CROLY—Auctioneer.
HEINSEBERGER—Guitars and Violins.
See Ads Certificates of Election.

Local Note.

No session of the City Court yesterday.

The police force has been somewhat increased lately.

Import Entries for sale at the office of THE MORNING STAR.

The House bill concerning Inspectors of Timber in this city passed its readings on Wednesday.

Both printing and ruling done in the finest grades of copying ink at the STAR Job Printing Office.

We understand that the Aldermen elect will qualify to-day and formally demand the city government.

City subscribers who fail to receive their papers regularly will please report the fact promptly at this office.

For the Gulf and South Atlantic States to-day, low barometer, southerly and westerly winds, warmer, cloudy weather and rain.

In the letter of resignation of Mr. A. Adrien, printed in the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen yesterday, it was made to appear that his resignation was to take effect to-day (Friday) when, as written, it was to take effect immediately.

A subscriber at Kenansville complains of the irregular receipt of the STAR at that post-office. Frequently, the Kenansville package is carried by Magnolia, the connecting point, and thus the subscribers fail to get their papers on the day of publication. We hope this evil will be corrected.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

A called meeting of the Board of Aldermen took place yesterday afternoon: The Mayor and a quorum of the Board were present.

A change in the standing committees of the present Board having been rendered necessary by the changes in the Board the following were announced as the committees:

Finance and Expenditures—The Mayor and Aldermen Rice and Neff.
Police Department—The Mayor and Aldermen Rice and Banks.
Streets and Wharves—The Mayor and Aldermen Bates and Brewington.
Public Buildings—The Mayor and Aldermen Gardner and Holmes.
Light Department—The Mayor and Aldermen Neff and Hankins.
Markets and Fairs—The Mayor and Aldermen Gardner and Cassidy.
Auditing—Aldermen Rice, Bates and Cassidy.
Ordinances—The Mayor and Aldermen Holmes and Gardner.
Board of Supervisors—Mayor, the Marshal and Alderman Banks.
Sanitary Department—The Mayor and Aldermen Holmes and Brewington.

A communication was received from Messrs. Wm. H. Turlington, J. M. Henderson, John Colville and John C. Heyer, stating that brick sidewalks, eight feet wide will be laid by a number of lot owners on the east side of Fourth, between Walnut and Campbell streets, and suggesting that, to complete the line, the city cause a similar pavement to be placed in front of the school house on Fourth street, between the Second Presbyterian Church lot and that of J. M. Henderson. Referred to Committee on Street and Wharves with power to act. The Board then adjourned.

Rev. J. C. Hiden will deliver the second and last lecture on "The New Science" this evening at 8 o'clock, in the First Baptist Church. As it is perhaps the last treat of the kind that will be offered to our people, we trust that his friends will show their appreciation of Mr. Hiden's talent and ability as a lecturer by a large attendance this evening.

The Election Yesterday.

The municipal election under the new city bill came off yesterday. The polls were opened at 7 o'clock A. M. at the six polling places designated in the bill, viz: one in First Ward, one in Second Ward, and one in each of the four precincts of Third Ward.

There was virtually but one ticket in the field, that nominated by the Convention of Tuesday night. Outside of this there was some scratching of names and some irregular voting.

The entire election passed off in a very quiet manner. There was an absence of the usual stirring scenes and excitement of an ordinary election day, and with the exception of the closing of saloons and a seeming stagnation in business circles, which had the effect of giving the day a sombre, Sunday-like appearance.

There was no organized opposition to the Convention ticket, and consequently that ticket received nearly all the votes that were polled.

FIRST WARD.

F. W. Kerchner. 155
W. L. DeRosier. 151
A. H. VanBokkelen. 146
H. F. Vollers. 142
James Reilly. 12
Thos. H. Smith. 9

SECOND WARD.

S. W. Vick. 193
L. H. Bowden. 193
W. L. Smith. 102

THIRD WARD.

T. W. Player. 224
John D. Love. 206
Wm. D. Mahn. 207
John F. Farlow. 28
John W. Perdue. 38
F. H. Darby. 26
Wm. E. Mayo. 19

The general whosen names are marked * were not candidates.

In no case was the registered strength of any ward polled, as will be seen by the following figures:

First Ward—Registered strength, 220; number of ballots cast about 160.

Second Ward—Registered strength, 233; number of ballots cast, 193.

Third Ward—Registered strength, 361; number of ballots cast, 266.

In accordance with the above returns, the Judges of Election have declared the following gentlemen elected:

First Ward—F. W. Kerchner, W. L. DeRosier, A. H. VanBokkelen.

Second Ward—S. W. Vick, L. H. Bowden, W. L. Smith.

Third Ward—T. W. Player, John D. Love, W. D. Mahn.

Supreme Court Decisions.

On Tuesday: Howett Proctor vs. Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Company, from Nash. Reversed and judgment here for defendant.

On Wednesday: Daniel G. McMillan vs. D. G. McPherson, from Cumberland. No error. Judgment affirmed.

Henry Melvin et al vs. James K. Melvin et al, from Bladen. Judgment affirmed.

State ex-rel. G. W. Aven et al vs. K. Murchison, from Harnett. Judgment below affirmed.

William H. Sykes vs. Commissioners of Bladen county, from Bladen. Reversed, and judgment for plaintiff.

R. H. & C. C. Lyon vs. J. L. McMillan, from Bladen. Reversed.

John P. Roscoe vs. S. B. Hyman et al, from Halifax. Reversed.

J. C. Abbott et al vs. A. K. Cromartie, from Bladen. Reversed.

Other opinions recorded under our State news column.

The New Fan Filtration.

Fashionable ladies may possibly wish to learn the language of the fan, and we therefore publish for their benefit the following, which we find going the rounds:

When a lady uses her fan from inward, from space to the body, it means that she is not engaged; If, however, this inner movement is made by fanning in a downward direction, it means she is a widow; if in an upper direction, that she has never been married. A close fan held upright means "shut up." An open fan resting on the breast means "silence." A closed fan presented to you horizontally means an invitation to dance; presented by the small end, means you are a Jerusalem zoological.

With one leaf open, "friendship;" two open leaves, "sympathy;" three, "love and passion." A "talking fan" should be composed of seven leaves, to correspond with the seven days of the week. A circular movement of the fan means "we are engaged." Spelling may be done with it when the weaver is certain of her spelling.

Coroner's Jury.

In accordance with a statement in our last, concerning a jury to be empanelled, Coroner Hewlett held an inquest yesterday morning over the body of a small colored infant, which had been found dead in bed on Wednesday morning in a house located on Dock, between Eighth and Ninth streets. Dr. Winants was called in and made an examination of the body, after which he submitted a report and in accordance with the result of this medical examination, the jury rendered a verdict that the child came to its death from natural causes.

Magistrate's Court.

Before J. J. Cassidy, J. P. S.: Phillips Moore and Eliza Self were arraigned for an affray and creating a disturbance on the street. Judgment suspended on payment of costs. Defendants were sent to jail for costs.

TRANSFER PRINTING—Invaluable to railroad companies, steamship companies, banks, merchants, manufacturers and others. They are enduring and changeless, and will copy sharp and clear for an indefinite period of time. Having just received a fresh supply of these inks, we are prepared to execute orders promptly and at moderate prices.

Bishop Lyman's Appointments.

The following are the appointments of Bishop Lyman, of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina:

5th Sunday in Lent, March 14th, Durham. Easter Day, March 28th, Tarboro.

Wednesday, March 31st, Greenville, Pitt county.

Thursday, April 1st, St. John's Pitt co. Friday, April 2d, Snow Hill.

Sunday, April 4th, Kinston.

Tuesday, April 6th, Holy Innocents, Lenoir county.

Thursday, April 8th, Beaufort.

Sunday, April 11th, Newbern.

Tuesday, April 13th, Swift Creek Bridge.

Wednesday, April 14th, St. John's, Durham's Creek.

Thursday, April 15th, South Creek.

Saturday, April 17th, Blount's Creek.

Sunday, April 18th, Trinity Church Beaufort county.

Friday, April 23d, Sanford.

Saturday, April 24th, St. Mark's, Deep River.

Sunday, April 25th, Pittsboro.

Sunday, May 2d, Williamsboro.

Tuesday, May 4th, Goshen, (Consecration.)

Collection in each congregation for Diocesan Missions.

Bishop Atkinson's appointments.

March 13th, Rockfish.

March 14th, Fayetteville.

April 1st, Jackson.

April 3rd, Windsor.

April 4th, Woodville, Bertie co.

April 5th, Murfreesborough.

April 6th, Winton.

April 7th, Gatesville.

April 8th, St. Peter's, Gates co.

April 9th, Hertford.

April 10th, Woodville, Perquimans co.

April 11th, Edenton.

April 12th, St. Luke's, Washington co.

April 13th, St. David's.

April 14th, Columbia.

April 15th, Plymouth.

April 16th, St. James, Beaufort co.

April 17th, Lake Landing, Hyde co.

April 18th, Sladesville.

April 19th, Zion Church, Beaufort co.

April 20th, Washington.

April 21st, Jamesville.

April 22nd, Williamston.

April 23rd, Scotland Neck.

CITY ITEMS.

BOOK BUSINESS.—THE MORNING STAR BOOK BINDERY does all kinds of Binding and Ruling in a workmanlike manner, and at reasonable prices. Merchants and others needing Receipt Books, or other work, may rely on promptness in the execution of their orders.

CERTIFICATE OF TESTIMONIAL.—HARRINGTON, Mo., May 30, 1874.—Messrs. J. & W. Tolley, 30 Maiden Lane, New York.—Gent.: The 13 Gun which you built for me, No. 3093, has arrived safely to hand. Allow me to thank you for the fidelity with which you carried out my instructions. The general outline, beauty of proportion and excellent finish, are all that could be desired, and more than meets my expectations. I am more than ever impressed with the idea that it is as necessary for a man to have a gun built to measure as to have a boot so built to ensure a good fit. The pattern 17 and penetration 40 are very superior. The pattern is as close as I desire, and the penetration I think is wisdom attained, being far ahead of any public record which I have seen.

Respectfully Yours,
G. W. DORRAN.

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Want a Salesman,
Want a Servant Girl,
Want to rent a Store,
Want to sell a Piano,
Want to sell a Horse,
Want to lend money,
Want to buy a House,
Want to buy a Horse,
Want to rent a House,
Want to sell a Carriage,
Want a Boarding place,
Want to borrow money,
Want to sell Dry Goods,
Want to sell Groceries,
Want to sell Furniture,
Want to sell Real Estate,
Want a job of Carpentering,
Want a job of Blacksmithing,
Want to sell Millinery Goods,
Want to sell a House and Lot,
Want to find any other Address,
Want to sell a piece of Furniture,
Want to buy a second-hand Carriage,
Want to find anything you have lost,
Want to sell Agricultural Implements,
Want to advertise anything to advantage,
Want to find an owner for anything Found,
Advertise in
THE MORNING STAR.

MARRIED.

CRAIG-ALTAPFER.—In this city on the 9th inst. by Rev. R. Mann, Mr. Henry C. Craig to Miss E. Ida Lee Altapfer, all of the city. No cards.

DIED.

HINES.—December 23, 1874, Nettie M., youngest daughter of J. C. and N. F. Hines, aged 1 month and 16 days.

March 11, 1875, Mary Leeds, oldest daughter of same, aged 4 years, 3 months, 24 days.

We miss them—yes, we miss them—
Their features yet are plain,
Hope is wreathed around them,
So we submit and endure the pain.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Fashion Department.

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ON SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1875, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M. I will sell at Exchange Corner, in lots to suit, 2d Shares Capital Stock W. & W. R. R. Co. Term: 6 months cash. Interest: 6% approved paper.
MAR 12-11 E. C. HAMNER,
MAR 12-11 E. C. FURCH.

Certificate of Election.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED JUDGES, DULY qualified to hold an election for Aldermen for the First Ward of the City of Wilmington, on the second Thursday of March, 1875, pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina entitled "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Wilmington," ratified the 3rd day of February, 1875, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct statement and return of said election:

F. W. Kerchner received one hundred and fifty-five (155) votes;
Wm. L. DeRosier received one hundred and forty-eight (148) votes;
A. H. VanBokkelen received one hundred and forty-six (146) votes;
H. F. Vollers received twelve votes;
T. W. Player received one vote;
J. D. Love received one vote;
W. D. Mahn received one vote;
J. F. Farlow received one vote;
J. W. Perdue received one vote;
F. H. Darby received one vote;
Wm. E. Mayo received one vote;
Thos. H. Smith received nine votes;

and we do hereby declare that F. W. Kerchner, Wm. L. DeRosier and A. H. VanBokkelen, having received a majority of the votes cast, are elected Aldermen of the City of Wilmington from the First Ward.

E. H. ELLERS,
D. M. BUTE,
J. S. F. BRYAN, Judges.
E. S. MARTIN,
Wilmington, N. C., March 11, 1875.

Certificate of Election.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED JUDGES DULY qualified to hold an election for Aldermen for the Third Ward of the City of Wilmington on the second Thursday of March, 1875, pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina entitled "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Wilmington," ratified the 3rd day of February, 1875, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct statement and return of said election:

Thomas W. Player received 224 votes;
John D. Love received 206 votes;
Wm. D. Mahn received 207 votes;
John F. Farlow received 28 votes;
John W. Perdue received 38 votes;
F. H. Darby received 26 votes;
Wm. E. Mayo received 19 votes;
Wm. L. DeRosier received 1 vote;

and we hereby declare that Thomas W. Player, John D. Love and Wm. D. Mahn, having received the majority votes cast, are elected Aldermen of the City of Wilmington from the Third Ward.

W. H. STRAUSS,
R. C. ORRILL,
J. M. WISE,
C. O. WIGGINS,
C. H. SCHULKEN,
A. J. YORP,
JOHN M. ROBINSON,
C. J. ELLWELL,
JOHN D. ROY,
S. C. GODSHALL,
JOHN C. BAKER,
R. J. MOYER,
J. HODGES,
JAMES H. HOWE,
FRANK H. DABY,
P. T. DICKSEY.

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March 12, 1875-11 Secretary & Treasurer.

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