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OUTLINES. In the Northern Presbyterian General Assembly important resolutions offered looking to union of Northern and Southern churches.

Some Gleanings from the Notices in Our North Carolina Exchanges on the Late Press Convention. We have made extracts previously from the Raleigh News.

THE CITY.

The mails will close at the City Post-Office until further notice as follows: Northern (night) mails daily, 6:15 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. See ad. headed "To Excursionists." HARRISON & ALLEN.—Hats.

Local Notes. The Board of County Commissioners will meet on Monday.

There was no cases disposed of in any of the Magistrates Courts yesterday.

We acknowledge the call of Mr. J. H. Myrover, of the Fayetteville Gazette, yesterday.

During the past week there were six interments in Pine Forest Cemetery, three adults and three children.

There were three interments in Oakdale Cemetery during the past week, two of which were children and one an adult.

A correspondent recommends in high terms Dr. Matthew Moore and Capt. James G. Kennan for Convention from Duplin county.

Capt. John W. Hinsop, late of the firm of Sprunt & Hinson, of this city, has determined to locate in Philadelphia, where he will engage in the commission business.

There was no session of the City Court yesterday. The case of the colored man who was arrested with cotton in his possession believed to be stolen was continued until to-day.

We beg our friends to remember that we do not publish communications recommending candidates for office except as advertisements. If we did, we would be overrun with such matter.

Through a private letter from a brother of the late Mr. C. F. Harris, we learn that the publication of the Concord Star will be suspended for short time. We hope it may be continued as a monument to its founder.

A difficulty existing between two sailors was satisfactorily adjusted in one of our public alleys yesterday morning by an appeal to fists. After pummeling one another they went off apparently as good friends as ever.

Vegetation hereabouts bears a forbidding appearance for want of rain. Not a drop of the "pure and unadulterated" has fallen for several weeks.

Rev. J. C. Man being absent from the city for a few days, the congregation of the two Methodist churches worship together to-day, Rev. J. T. Gibbs preaching in the Front Street church in the morning and Fifth Street in the evening.

The newspaper thieves continue their depredations. A gentleman informs us that both the morning papers were stolen from his piazza yesterday morning.

We renew our offer of \$10.00 reward for evidence that will convict any sneak thief of stealing THE MORNING STAR.

NOTES OF OUR BRETHREN.

Our Churches To-Day. First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets; Services at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets; Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Joint services at Front street and Fifth street Methodist Churches to-day.

Services at St. Mark's (colored) Episcopal Church; Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock; Bible Class at 3 1/2 p. m.

Confirmation Class at 4 p. m.; Evening Prayer at 7 1/2 p. m.; Wednesday evenings at 7:45 p. m.

Services in St. John's Church to-day, Trinity Sunday; Evening Prayer at 5 o'clock.

Services at St. Paul's (Episcopal) church, corner of Fourth and Orange streets, as follows: Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock; Evening Prayer at 8 o'clock.

St. Thomas' Catholic Church, Dock St., between 2nd and 3rd. Services to-day as follows: Holy Mass at 7 a. m. and 10 1/2 a. m.

Vespers chanted at 5 p. m. Sunday School at 9 1/2 a. m.; Sunday school for the colored people in the basement of the church at 3 p. m.

Officiating clergymen, Rev. Mark S. Gross, P. R., Rev. James B. White.

St. Paul's Evang. Lutheran Church; English service at 11 a. m.; German service at 8 p. m.; Sunday school at 8 p. m.

Weekly lectures on Wednesday at 8 p. m. First Baptist Church, colored, on Fifth and Campbell streets.

Services as follows: Sunday School at 9 1/2 a. m.; preaching at 10 1/2 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7 p. m.

Rev. F. R. Howell, Pastor. Services at the First Colored Presbyterian Church, Chesnut between Seventh and Eighth streets, at 11 a. m. by Rev. D. J. Sanders, Pastor.

Sabbath School at 9 a. m. Military Reception. The Independent and LaFayette Light Infantry Companies of Fayetteville, which had been in attendance upon the Mecklenburg Centennial, arrived here from Charlotte yesterday morning and were received by the Wilmington Light Infantry at the depot of the Carolina Central Railroad.

The battalion then formed under command of Capt. M. P. Taylor, of the Wilmington Light Infantry, in the following order: Wilmington Light Infantry.

Independent Light Infantry. LaFayette Light Infantry.

The procession, headed by the LaFayette Silver Cornet Band and the drum corps, marched down to the armory of the Wilmington Light Infantry, where an excellent breakfast had been prepared.

On the arrival of the battalion at the armory Capt. M. P. Taylor made a short speech welcoming the Fayetteville companies to the hospitalities of their Wilmington friends.

The remarks of Capt. Taylor were fittingly responded to by Mr. J. H. Myrover on the part of the Fayetteville companies.

A general charge was then made upon the breakfast, which had been provided for the occasion, and after the tables had succumbed to the charge the companies were disbanded until 12 o'clock for a stroll around the city.

Reforming again in the same order as before, at 12 o'clock they visited by invitation the house of Mr. F. W. Kercher, where a general good time was had.

Numerous toasts were proposed and appropriately responded to, after which the battalion again formed in front of the residence.

A salute of three guns was fired by the Independent Light Infantry, under command of Major Chas. Haigh, and also by the LaFayette Light Infantry, under command of Captain A. B. Williams, after which three cheers were given and the battalion faced about and marched down to the Fayetteville steamers where they embarked and departed for home.

General Notes. The Fayetteville battalion, composed of the Independent Light Infantry and LaFayette Light Infantry companies, which attended the Mecklenburg Centennial, were the recipients of many encomiums at Charlotte and elsewhere where they drilled, for their orderly bearing and the precision and uniformity of their drilling.

Master Harry Smith, aged 7 years, son of Jas. B. Smith, First Lieutenant of the LaFayette Light Infantry, acted as marker for the Fayetteville Battalion and also led the procession of the Caledonian Club, dressed in a full Scotch costume of Highland plaid, on the occasion of the Mecklenburg Centennial, on the occasion of the Mecklenburg Centennial.

The Scotch suit was sent to master Smith from Scotland by his grand-mother especially for that occasion.

Accident. Mr. John J. King last night left a cassimere coat hanging at his stall in the Market House and walked a few steps away from some business. When he returned to his stall he discovered that somebody had had the audacity to steal his coat, which contained only a memorandum book, during his short absence.

A reward of five dollars has been offered for the coat, or ten dollars for the coat and evidence sufficient to convict the thief.

The grand family excursion under the auspices of the Young Catholic Friends Society, which was to have taken place on next Tuesday, has been necessarily postponed for some days on account of the religious exercises which the Catholic congregations take part in this week.

Centennial Trains. We are requested to say that all of the three trains by the Carolina Central Railway arrived at Charlotte in good time; the last one, leaving this city at 9 P. M., arrived in Charlotte before 8:30 A. M. There was no accident or delay at all.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

Third and Last Day's Proceedings. Next Convention to Meet in Hillsboro.

[From a Star Correspondent.] NEWBERN, May 21. Convention met at 9 1/2 o'clock A. M.

Bishop Atkinson brought to the notice of Convention certain changes proposed by the General Convention in the Constitution of the P. E. Church of the United States.

The Bishop announced the following persons as Examining Chaplains: In the Southern part of the Diocese, Dr. Watson and Mr. Paterson; in the West, Dr. Burton and Mr. Butler; in the Centre, Dr. Marshall and J. C. E. Smedes; in the East, Mr. Forbes and Mr. Larmour.

On motion of Mr. Sutton, it was resolved that the proposed changes be laid on the pages of the journal.

It was moved and carried that the admission of St. John's Church, Rutherfordton be referred to the Committee on New Parishes.

A resolution on the subject of Convocations was referred to the Committee on Canons.

The Committee on Canons reported that it is inexpedient to alter the Canon on New Parishes.

Report of the Committee on the State of the Church was read by Mr. Boel. Baptisms, 663; Sunday School pupils and catechumens, 4,290; marriages, 115; burials, 200; contributions, \$53,480.92.

Resolved, That in charge of that great work, we believe him to be the "right man in the right place."

The meeting then adjourned, each of the excursionists, expressing personally his thanks to Col. Fremont.

W. L. DeRosset, Chm. H. C. McQueen, Sec.

CITY ITEMS. LATE PAPERS.—To Harris' News Depot, West side Front Street, we are indebted for copies of the New York Ledger, Chicago Herald and Tribune, the Standard, and the New York Herald.

BOOK BURNING.—The MORNING STAR BOOK BINDERY, of the kind of binding and ruling in a workmanlike manner, and at reasonable prices.

COPIES OF TESTIMONIAL.—HARRISON, Mo., May 30, 1874.—Messrs. J. & W. Tolley, 29 Maiden Lane, New York.—Gent.: The 13 Gun which you built for me, No. 3028, has arrived safely to hand.

A resolution was adopted calling on all the ministers and laymen of the church to unite in an effort to raise funds for Ravenscroft training school and associate mission.

Bishop Atkinson announced that there would be a missionary meeting to-night.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Mr. Byrum, of Lincolnton, proposing to amend Art. 9th of the Constitution, in which female members of the church are not allowed to vote for vestrymen.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Batchelor, of Raleigh, prescribing that none but communicants shall be elected members of the Vestry.

The resolutions of Mr. Byrum and Mr. Batchelor were referred to the Committee on Canons.

Mr. Barber read a report from the Committee on New Parishes, proposing to admit St. John's Parish, Rutherfordton, which was agreed to by the Convention.

Mr. Forbes read a report on the division of the Diocese.

On motion it was resolved that the report on the subject should be laid on the pages of the journal and all action on the subject be postponed to the next Convention, the same Committee being continued.

On motion it was resolved that when the Convention adjourn to-night it should adjourn sine die, and that the next meeting of the Convention shall be held at Hillsboro, on the third Wednesday in May, 1876.

On motion it was resolved that 1,300 copies of the journal be printed.

Judge Battle presented a canon on convocation which was adopted.

Judge Battle reported from the Committee on Canons that the subject of suffrage in parishes be referred to a new committee of five to report on the subject.

It was on motion adopted and the following gentlemen appointed a committee: Rev. Dr. Sutton, Rev. Mr. Rich, Rev. Mr. Petegrew, Mr. Byrum and Mr. Batchelor.

On motion, it was resolved that the thanks of the Convention are tendered to the congregation of Christ Church, and the citizens generally, for their hospitality and kindness to the delegates.

On motion, the Convention took a recess till after divine services this evening, when the Convention met, and after reading the minutes adjourned sine die.

On Thursday evening your townsman, Rev. Dr. Watson, preached a most stirring and instructive sermon on "Obedience."

There was a missionary meeting Friday when eloquent addresses were delivered by Bishop Lyman, Mr. E. H. Battle, of Raleigh, and Col. Martin, of Elizabeth City, CAROLINA.

MARKET REPORT. The following is the report of the Clerk of the Market for the week ending May 23d, 1876.

No. of Carts in Market, 40; Bees Slaughtered, 80; Sheep, 161; Hogs, 8.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS. The New Hanover Centennial Executive Committee having been invited by the officials of the Carolina Central Railway to accept their hospitalities, several of them, with representatives of leading business houses of this city, accepted.

Everything for their comfort and entertainment possible was done by Col. Fremont.

Upon the return a meeting was held when the following proceedings were had.

Col. W. L. DeRosset was called to the chair, and Mr. H. C. McQueen was appointed Secretary.

A committee, consisting of F. W. Kercher, S. W. Vick, T. H. McKoy, W. A. Cumming and G. J. Boney, were appointed to draft resolutions, who retired and reported as follows:

Desires of acknowledging our indebtedness to the officials of the Carolina Central Railway for many acts of courtesy extended to us during our trip to Charlotte and return, be it.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Our City. AND THE WHOLE CAPE FEAR SECTION was grandly represented.

Our Centennial. It only needed an "Exposition Building" where we could have placed.

Our Samples. To have put the name and fame of.

Our "Favorite Flour". Fair Trial. That it is Superior to any brand of.

Family Flour. SOLD IN THIS CITY. TRY OUR FAVORITE FLOUR.

We Offer. 130 Barrels Refined Sugar, 150 Bags Coffee, 900 Barrels Flour.

Water Ground Meal. Weekly from our Virginia Mills. We are prepared to offer inducements in price.

Fresh Parched. AND GROUND JAVA AND LAGUAYRA Coffee every day. Send us your order.

C. D. BROOK'S. Celebrated Stuffed Mangos, Stuffed Peppers and Family Pickles.

Best Butter in the World. Try it and always use the "Best" Choice Fresh Family Supplies.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. OF THE Bank of Cape Fear, Bankrupt.

AMERICAN WILD FOWL SHOOTING. BY JOS. W. LONG. ILLUSTRATED. Fancy Stamped Cloth, \$3.00.

The Centennial is Over. AND THOSE WHO DID NOT ATTEND should buy one of our Centennial Suits.

Blank Books. AND STATIONERY, THE LARGEST, BEST AND CHEAPEST STOCK.

Inks, Mucilage, Ink Stands. Lead Pencils, Pen-Holders, Steel Pens, Gold Pens, Steel Pens, &c., &c.

Blue Flannel Suits. ANOTHER LOT OF THOSE JUSTLY CELEBRATED.

Flannel Suits. Received yesterday. Also, FOLDED SCARFS.

Tauks, Bags, Hats, &c. Very handsome STYLES.

Hay, Hoop Iron, Glue, Syrup. 500 Barrels Hoop Iron, 100 Barrels Glue, 75 Barrels S. H. Syrup.

Excelsior Styles in Hats. FINE MILAN STRAW HATS, THE GENUINE Mackinaw Straw, New Styles in White and Black Hats.

Meal. ASK YOUR GROCER FOR FRESH BOLTED WHOLESALE GROCERS AND COMM. MERCHANTS.

Wanted. TWO NO. 1 MILLERS WHO UNDERSTAND THE MANAGEMENT OF COWS, are wanted immediately.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Administrator's Sale. ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 25TH, 1876, AT 11 o'clock A. M., we will sell at Exchange Corner.

Guano, Guano, Guano. 200 Tons Eureka Guano, 300 Tons Guanapo Guano.

Oysters, Pickles, Peaches, Tomatoes, &c. 250 Cases quart and pint Pickles, 100 Cases 2 and 3 pound Peaches.

Hay, Meal, Rice and Flour. 250 Bales Eastern Hay, 500 Barrels Rice, 1000 Bushels Flour.

Iron, Glue, Spirit Cakes. 10 Tons Hoop Iron, 200 Bushels Glue, 300 Spirit Cakes.

Corn, Corn. 4000 Bushels Corn. For sale by KIRCHNER & CALDER BROS.

Just Received. ANOTHER LOT OF SMITHS BELLOWES. ALSO A large stock of hardware.

\$10 Reward. STOLEN FROM MY STALL (No. 6) in the market-house, Saturday night in the 10 and 11 o'clock.

Cigars. 5 CENTS A PIECE AND UPWARDS. TOBACCOES in plug, packages and fine cut.

MISCELLANEOUS. Binford, Crow & Co. OFFER TO THE TRADE AT LOW FIGURES.

Lace Sacques. WE HAVE NOW ON CONSIGNMENT A large lot of.

LACE POINTS. WHICH WE OFFER AT IMPORTERS PRICES.

SACQUES. Large No. 1 Shore Mackerel, Pressed Corn Beef.

Oranges, Lemons, Nutt, Candies, &c., &c.

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