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Five Squares estimated as a quarter column, and ten square as a half column.


## OUTLINES.

A murderous assault was made in Lawrence, Mass., on a procession of Orangemen, yesterday, and several persons were injured. —— The preliminary court for the trial of Bishop Whittingham, of Maryland, has been appointed. —— The Freshman yacht race at Saratoga was won by Cornell University. —— Missouri makes an earnest appeal to secure the Democratic National Convention next time. —— German war vessel has been secretly taking soundings and mapping coast of Jutland. —— Yesterday Gov. Brogden welcomed the delegates to the Cotton States Congress, now sitting in Raleigh. —— New York markets: Gold, 15¼@15⅜; cotton, 15¼@15¾; rosin, $1 65@$1 70; turpentine, 32. —— Second annual session of American Hebrew Congregation commenced yesterday in Buffalo, and was largely attended.

## THE COTTON STATES CONGRESS!

### Second Annual Session!

[Raleigh News, Tuesday.]

This body will convene in this city this morning at 11 o'clock, meeting at the hall of the House of Representatives.

At the hour named the President, Col. D. E. Butler, of Georgia, will call the Convention to order, when Gov. Brogden will welcome the Congress in behalf of the State, which will be responded to by the President.

Mr. F. H. Busbee will then welcome the visitors to the city in behalf of Mayor Separks, which will be responded to by Dr. Wm. Maxwell, Master of the State Grange of Tennessee.

After that the usual order of business will be proceeded with.

At 4 P. M. the members of the Congress will visit the Insane Asylum at the invitation of Dr. Grissom. Members of the city and visiting press are invited to accompany the excursion to the Asylum.

This Congress was organized during the meeting of the State Fair in Atlanta in the fall of 1873, and held its first annual session in Atlanta in June last, at which session Col. D. E. Butler was re-elected President of the Congress.

The attendance upon the present session, it is thought, will be good, all the Southern and many of the Northwestern States being represented.

The ladies and the public generally are invited to attend the sessions of the Congress.

## Spirits Turpentine

— Crops in Stanly county remarkably fine.

— Catawba wheat crop the best since the war.

— There is a promising crop prospect in the Danbury section.

— An Edenton sloop landed 4,500 North Carolina water melons at Norfolk on Monday.

— Catawba looks over all our heads down here and counts fifteen feet to her corn stalks.

— Hon. A. S. Merrimon and Gen. W. R. Cox spoke in Carthage, on Saturday, on the subject of Convention.

— The wife of Rev. C. P. Jones, D. D., formerly of the North Carolina Conference, died at Yuba City, Cal., June 21st.

— Charlotte has eleven stores in course of completion. A large number of smaller houses are also going up in that city.

— The Haywood Conservatives will support Dr. Sam. Love for Convention. A Mr. Wilson is running as independent, unfortunately.

— Springs, the fat editor of Mt. Airy, has been heard from. He has lost two hundred pounds, says the Hickory *Press*, but still weighs 800.

— A new Post Office has been established on the Western Division of the Carolina Central Road, called "Mountain Island"—about ten miles from Charlotte.

— Catawba is going to be up on churches, too. Here is the Hickory *Press* saying that the Catawba Baptist new building will be the finest in the State west of Salisbury.

— Gen. R. B. Vance will address the people of Hendersonville at some convenient time during the session of the District Conference there on the subject of the Orphan Asylum.

— The fearless Cornet fellows in Raleigh, in announcing an election, say that "quarters" will be allowed to vote and the Supreme Court will have nothing to do with the election.

— The members of the Edenton Street M. E. Church Choir, Raleigh, kindly and delicately offer their services to sing at the private houses of invalid members who are not able to attend Church.

— Our good contemporary, the Charlotte *Democrat*, has just entered on its 24th volume. The *Democrat* is a popular and very useful paper, and we hope it may live as long as we shall want newspapers.

— Mrs. Grant and Miss Mitchell, who have been conducting a school of high grade in Oxford, for a long time, will take charge of the Simonton Female College, in Statesville this Fall. They are daughters of the late Dr. Mitchell, of Chapel Hill.

— At a mass convention of the Democratic citizens of Randolph county, on Friday last, M. S. Robbins, Esq., was nominated for the State Convention to fill the vacancy on the ticket occasioned by the declination of Dr. Craven.

— We copy the following brief from the Baltimore *Gazette*: "The Bishop of North Carolina is pleading for $13,000 to establish the Ravenscroft Associate Mission in the western part of his diocese. He has received already one-third of the amount."

— The Concord *Register* has just learned of the commission of a rape by one William Thomas, a white man of low repute, on Mrs. Caroline Stogner, near Big Lock, Stanly county, on the 26th of last month. The scoundrel escaped, and the woman makes two or three different statements.

— In the Northwestern portion of Johnston county recently a man named Buck Suggs ravished a little girl nine or ten years of age. He is the same fellow who was indicted once for the committal of a similar outrage in Harnett county, but got clear upon some ground. He is at large, says the *News*.

— The *Pioneer* says that at Bakersville, in Mitchell county, on the 1st inst., William M. L. Deaton, aged 13 years, committed suicide by hanging himself to a beam under a stable shed on the premises of T. C. Buchanan, with whom he has lived for some time in the capacity of a boy-of-all-work.

— Concord *Register*: Mr. White, who lives in the Bethel neighborhood in Township No. 10, had on exhibition in town one day this week a nugget of gold about the size of a hen's egg, which was found on his farm a few days before by his little boy. Large quantities of gold have frequently been found in the same neighborhood.

## THE CITY.

### The Mails.

The mails will close at the City Post-Office until further notice as follows:

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| Northern (night) mails for all points North, East and West of Weldon, daily at | 5:45 P. M. |
| " through and way (day) mails daily except Sunday, | 6:30 A. M. |
| Southern mails for all points South, daily | 5:15 P. M. |
| Western mails (C. C. R'y) daily (except Sundays,) | 5:30 A. M. |
| Smithville (via Easy Hill and Town Creek) Tuesdays and Saturdays | 6:00 A. M. |
| Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Mondays and Fridays | 1:00 P. M. |
| Fayetteville by C. C. R'y, daily (except Sundays) | 5:30 A. M. |
| Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday | 6:00 A. M. |

The Smithville mails, by steamboat, close at 3 P. M., daily, except Sundays.

Mails delivered from 6:30 A. M. to 7:30 P. M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M.

Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 6:00 P. M. Money order or Register Department open same as stamp office.

Stamps for sale at general delivery when stamp office is closed.

Key Boxes accessible at all hours, day and night.

Mails collected from street boxes every day at 5 P. M.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HEINSBERGER—New Novel.
ALEX. SPRUNT & SON—Porter and Ale.
JAMES C. MUNDS—St. John's Lodge.
MUNSON & CO.—Linens at Cost.
A. V. HORRELL—Notice.
V. D. MACUMBER—Excursion.

### Local Dots.

— Justice Cassidey had one case of petty larceny before him yesterday, but it was continued over.

— The Howard Fire Relief Engine Company No. 1, were out with their engine yesterday for parade and practice.

— The Democratic Conservative County Convention will meet in this city Thursday evening, July 22, at 8 o'clock.

— The Independent Order of Rechabites is said to be in a very flourishing condition, the membership numbering about sixty members.

— We receive many complaints of mail failures, especially on the W. & W. Railroad. We hope the mail agents will "mend their licks."

— The funeral services of Mrs. E. H. Lord did not take place at St. John's Church, as the types made us say yesterday morning, but at St. James'.

— An open-air concert by the Cornet Concert Club will take place at Sunset Hill on next Wednesday night. The programme for the occasion will be announced in due season.

### Range of Thermometer.

The following was the range of the thermometer at the Signal Bureau, in this city, yesterday:

7 A. M., 80; 12 M., 89; 2 P. M., 90; 4:30 P. M., 91; 9 P. M., 77.

### Magistrate's Court.

Henry Taylor, colored, (not the well known 110-pounder) was arraigned before Justice Gardner, yesterday, charged by his wife, Araminta Taylor, with wilful abandonment. He was found not guilty and the case dismissed.

### The Crops.

We learn from a gentleman recently from Onslow that the crops in that and other counties on the coast, especially cotton, are very poor. It seems difficult to assign a cause for this partial failure on the part of the farmers of that section, but it is hoped that they will do better next time.

### Opera House To-Night.

The Apollo Cornet Band will play some of their choice music on the portico of the Opera House, on the occasion to-night of the first appearance of the Wilmington Amateur Dramatic Association. The Uterpean Club will preside in the Orchestra, and taken altogether the young men intend to present for the entertainment of their audience a bill which cannot fail to interest and please. The box sheet may be found at Heinsberger's book store.

### Supreme Court.

Opinions have been delivered in the following cases in the Supreme Court:

D. D. McBryde et al. vs. John Patterson, from Robeson; judgment modified; cost equally divided.

By Reade, J.:

M. L. Holmes et al. vs. T. J. Crowell et al., from Union. Error, and judgment here for defendant.

R. J. Holmes et al. vs. T. J. Crowell et al., from Union. Affirmed, and judgment here for defendant.

By Rodman, J.:

Alfred Duckery vs. R. S. French et al., from Robeson. Reversed and action dismissed.

### Property Changing Hands.

Messrs. Cronly & Morris sold the following pieces of property to the highest bidder yesterday:

Two-story brick store No. 2 Granite Row, Front street, 24x89, with L. on alley of 15 feet, now occupied by H. G. Hashagen; to Brunhild & Bro. for $6,500.

Two-story brick store on South Water street, 24x95, now otcupied by Grant & Hinton, including two warehouses in rear of same; to R. E. Heide, for $5,975.

Two-story brick warehouse in rear of above, to John Haar, for $1,475.

Two-story brick store, 40x186, occupied by Cronly & Morris, to Edwards & Hall, for $6,100.

Wharf, shed and offices opposite to above, 99 feet front upon Water street, occupied by Geo. C. Barker & Co., to Geo. Harriss, for $4,450.

Warehouse on Wilkinson alley, 13½x40, to C. M. Stedman for $850.

Wharf, with all buildings thereon, 158 front on North Water street, occupied by Harriss & Howell and others, to C. M. Stedman, for $15,000.

A three-story double brick building, upon North side of Princess, between Front and Water streets, occupied by J. W. Gordon, W. H. Harrison and Mrs. Warren, to W. H. Bernard, for $6,500.

The three brick stores, corner of North Water and Princess streets, occupied J. C. Heyer, 66 by 91 feet, to C. M. Stedman, for $15,000.

### City Court.

The following cases were disposed of before this tribunal yesterday morning:

Morgan Henry, charged with cursing and abusing his wife, Mary Francis, was found guilty, but the case was dismissed on the payment of costs.

Alice Mathews, charged with drunkenness, was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $10 or work for thirty days on the streets.

Isaiah Brunson, charged with fighting and other disorderly conduct on Campbell street, was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $20 or work for thirty days on the streets.

Ann McAllister, charged with the same offence as above, was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $20 or work for thirty days on the streets.

Mary Nixon, charged with the same offence as above, was found guilty and fined $20 or work for thirty days on the streets.

Alice Mathews, up on the same charge as above, was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $20 or work for thirty days on the streets.

Mary Nixon, charged with playing cards on Sunday, was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $20 and costs or work for thirty days on the streets.

Isaiah Brunson, charged with allowing card playing on Sunday, was found not guilty and discharged.

Martha Williams, charged with using profane language on the streets, was found guilty and fined $20 and costs or work for thirty days on the streets.

Annie McAllister, charged with playing cards on Sunday, was ordered to pay a fine of $20 or work for thirty days on the streets.

Geo. W. Davis, charged with a violation of the dog ordinance, was ordered to pay a fine of $10 and costs. Defendant appealed to the Superior Court and was required to give bond in the sum of $100, for his appearance.

There were eleven other cases for the violation of the dog ordinance, all of which were appropriately disposed of.

### Convicts.

The following persons were tried, convicted and sentenced at the late term of the Superior Court:

David Nixon, larceny, 20 years in the Penitentiary.

Richard Bennett, larceny, 5 years in the Penitentiary.

Eli Dudley, larceny, 5 years in the Penitentiary.

Henry Johnson, larceny, 3 years in the Penitentiary.

Edward Gause, larceny, 10 years in the Penitentiary.

Charlotte Martin, larceny, 12 months in the County Work House.

Deputy Sheriff A. H. Morris will leave for Raleigh this morning with the convicts destined for the Penitentiary.

### Rev. Dr. Closs.

The following extract concerning this gentleman we take from the Raleigh *Christian Advocate*. Dr. Closs was for many years Presiding Elder of this district of the M. E. Church, and consequently is well known to a great portion of our citizens:

We regret to learn that the health of Dr. Closs is very precarious—so much so that eminent physicians have told him that if he continues on his present round of appointments he will not live until its close. At the District Conference at Plymouth he suddenly lost all consciousness, which continued for several hours, and for a day and night there was a total loss of memory. Five years ago he had a similar attack at Magnolia. Since the attack at Plymouth he has suffered from chills and bilious fever, but, notwithstanding, has attended all of his quarterly meetings but one. Now, at the advice of his physicians and the urgent request of his people, he will quit his work for a while and go into the hill country for recreation. We trust his health may be speedily and entirely restored.

### The Lecture To-Night.

Our friends should bear in mind that Prof. Kendrick, of Jacksonville, Florida, will deliver a lecture at the rooms of the Wilmington Library Association this (Wednesday) evening, at 8½ o'clock. "Florida." The theme of the lecturer, will no doubt be treated in a manner which will ensure the interests and appreciation of all who are so fortunate as to be present.

### The Moonlight Excursion.

The moonlight excursion, announced to take place on the 19th, under the auspices of the Pythian Silver Cornet Band, it is expected will be a grand success. The La Fayette Silver Cornet Band of Fayetteville and the Apollo Cornet Band of this city have accepted invitations to attend the excursion, and these together with the Pythian Band will leave nothing wanting as far as music is concerned to secure the enjoyment of the participants. A great many from along the line of the railroads are expected to take part in the excursion. As will be seen by advertisement in this issue, refreshments will be disposed of on board the steamer.

### Rifle Shooting.

Considerable attention is being paid to this scientific sport of late in our city. One afternoon during each week the sounds of the fire-arms of a rifle club which has been formed in our city may be heard re-echoing from the swamps across the river. The formation of another rifle club is now spoken of, and this of course is calculated to bring about competition, increase the practice and develop skill. Such organizations are of course to be encouraged, as they tend to promote health by the exercise which the practice entails, and create or cause to grow a love for out-door sports. We hope soon to chronicle the successful organization of another rifle club. A team will then be in order.

### The Temple of Israel.

The arrangements are being perfected for the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the Temple of Israel, to take place tomorrow afternoon. The Rev. Dr. M. Yastrow, who was invited to officiate on the occasion, arrived in this city last evening and is the guest of Mr. A. Weill. The ceremonies on the occasion promise to be grand and interesting, and well calculated to mark such an event in the history of the Jewish people of North Carolina.

### The City Case.

The following regarding the recent city bill, we clip from the Newbern *Nut Shell*:

Owing to the late Supreme Court decision in the case of VanBokkelen vs. Canaday, as to the constitutionality of the amended charter, the Republican City Convention of Newbern, met in the county jail on Saturday night last to take into consideration the legality of the amended charter of this city. Several speeches were made and various opinions interchanged, after which the committee went into secret session. It is presumed, however, that no other action was taken than that of calling the old Board of City Council together, which met of the jail at 5 P. M. yesterday. As the session of the Board was strictly private nothing definite is known of their proceedings, though it is presumed the Board decided to apply for a writ of *quo warranto* in reference to the present Board of Aldermen, and that it is their intention to get out an injunction restraining the city tax collector from collecting taxes. However, all this is conjecture, as we heretofore stated the meetings were private.

### Bishop Lyman's Appointments.

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| Statesville | July 28 |
| Gynne's Chapel | July 30 |
| Wilkesboro | Aug. 1 |
| Ore Knob, Ashe Co | Aug. 3 |
| P. M. Jefferson Co | Aug. 4 |
| Boone, Watauga Co | Aug. 6 |
| Church of St. John Baptist | Aug. 7 |
| Valle Crucis | Aug. 8 |
| Patterson | Aug. 9 |
| Lenoir, Caldwell Co | Aug. 10 |
| Hickory | Aug. 12 |
| Morganton | Aug. 15 |
| P. M., Old Fort | Aug. 16 |
| St. Andrew's, Buncombe Co | Aug. 19 |
| Hard Creek, Buncombe Co | Aug. 20 |
| Warm Springs | Aug. 22 |
| Burnsville | Aug. 25 |
| Bakersville | Aug. 27 |
| Elk River Valley | Aug. 29 |
| Beaver Dam, Buncombe Co | Aug. 31 |
| Brevard, Transylvania Co | Sept. 2 |
| St. Paul's, in the Valley, Transylvania Co | Sept. 3 |
| Flat Rock | Sept. 5 |
| Hendersonville | Sept. 7 |
| Glencoe | Sept. 10 |
| Calvary Church, Henderson Co | Sept. 12 |
| Liecester | Sept. 15 |
| Waynesville | Sept. 17 |
| Asheville | Sept. 19 |

The collections at each place will be appropriated to Diocesan Missions.

### LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the city post-office July 13, 1875:

B—Henry Baker, Mollie Bryant, W H Biddle for Reuben Everett.

C—Garett Creech, Evlena Craig, Ida Chambers, R M Capps, Rebecca Craig.

D—Kit Dudley, Lily Davis, Carolina Dudley, Thos Daniels.

E—James Elder.

G—Clara Green, F C Gluck, Geo W Green, James R Garris, John S George, Mrs F A Green, R O Grant.

H—W N Highsmith, Nannie F Hicks, Nelley Jane Hooker, Abner Hill, Edward Hill, John L Heath, Lewicy Hankens, Mary A Hines.

J—Stephen J Jones, Martha Jones, Mrs Jones Johnson, Battie Johnson.

K—Annie Jane Keneday, Mary E King, Thomas H Kent.

L—Mrs M L Littleton, John Lowrye, Caroline Lofters.

M—Alex Moore, Daniel McEochern, Christopher McAslin, Joel Myers, J W Morgan, John R Melton, Lucitta Murphy, Mary Ann Murphy, Peter McIver, Samuel Mitchell, Thomas J Mulford, Wm J Morris.

N—James R Nard, Louisa Nelson, Rose Nelson, Isaac Northrop.

P—James Prue, John F. Pagh, George Pittle, Lessie Paunds.

S—W R Santley, Sallie Steward, T T Smith, August Steidinger, Luisa Steverson, John D Smith.

T—York Tooley.

W—Virginia White, Ried Waters, Mrs John A White.

Y—E Yanibert.

J J Deal, Stmr Caswell.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "advertised." If not called for within 30 days they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

ED. R. BRINK, P. M.

Wilmington, July 13, 1875.

### DIED.

PITTMAN.—In this city, on the evening of the 12th instant, Mr. James Pittman, aged 62 years.

The funeral will take place this (Wednesday) evening at the Second Baptist Church at 8 o'clock. The friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

### COUNTY CONVENTION.

HDQRS. CENTRAL EX. COMMITTEE,
Democratic Conservative Party
New Hanover County, Wilmington, N. C., June 30, 1875.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Democratic-Conservative party of New Hanover County held this day, it was decided to call a Mass Convention of the party, to be held at the Court House, in Wilmington, Thursday evening, July 22, at 8 o'clock.

The principal business of the Convention will be the nomination of candidates for the Constitutional Convention and the appointment of an Executive Committee.

WM. H. BERNARD, Chairman.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### Grand Moonlight Excursion to Smithville

JTLY 19TH, ON STEAMER GOV. WORTH.
GIVEN BY THE
**Pythian Silver Cornet Band,**
of Wilmington, complimentary to the order of
**Knights of Pythias.**

THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT FOR VENDING refreshments have been reserved by the committee, with J. W. King, J. W. Zimerman and A. H. Leslie in charge. Positively no liquor allowed on board.

W. L. JEWETT, President.
V. D. MACUMBER, Secretary.

july 14-1t

### Notice.

THERE WILL BE AN ELECTION HELD AT the usual polling places, on the
**First Thursday in August, 1875,**
in Pender county, for the Election of Township Officers and School Committeemen:

Caswell, Columbia, Rocky Point, Holden, Union, Holly, Grant and Lincoln Townships—Two Magistrates, one Clerk, one Constable and three School Committeemen each. Lincoln will elect one Magistrate for the corporation of Lillinton.

Pender and New Hanover counties—Three delegates to Constitutional Convention.

☞ The attention of Registrars and Inspectors of elections is called to the Laws of 1874 and '75, chapters 229 and 230, sections 1st and 2nd.

A. V. HORRELL, Sheriff Pender Co.
COWAN, N. C., July 14, 1875. july 14 w1t&1t.

### Balance

STOCK OF LINENS AT LESS THAN COST.
THEY MUST BE SOLD OUT THIS SEASON.
BRO. DUCK COATS, Only $2.
BROWN AND WHITE DUCK SUITS
At less than Cost.
MUNSON & CO.,
July 14-1t City Clothiers.

### Ligna, a Story,

BY "OUIDA,"
AUTHOR OF "STRATHMORE," "FOLTEFaine," "Under Two Flags," "Idalie," "Tricotrin," &c., &c.

MEMOIRS
—OF—
GENERAL W. T. SHERMAN,
WRITTEN BY HIMSELF.
In Two Volumes,
Just received and for sale at
HEINSBERGER'S,
July 14-1f Live Book and Music Store

### Direct Importation.

25 SABELS DUBLIN PORTER (Pints.)
10 CASES BASS'S PALE ALE (Quarts.)
For sale, very low, to close consignment.
July 14-3t. ALEX. SPRUNT & SON.

### St. John's Lodge, No. 1,

F. & A. M.

THE MEMBERS OF ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 1, are hereby notified to meet at St. John's Hall to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of Laying the Corner Stone of Temple of Israel. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to participate. By order of the W. M.

JAMES C. MUNDS, Secretary.
July 14-1t

### 1875 GRINDING 1875

New Flour Just from the Harvest Fields

CANNOT BE SURPASSED BY THE EAST, West, North or South. Every barrel and bag guaranteed perfect. Send your orders to the Cape Fear Flour and Pearl Hominy Mills.

July 9-3w nac ALEX. GOLDHAM, Prop'r.

I. B. GRAINGER.....PRESIDENT.
HON. W. D. JOHNSON.....VICE PRESIDENT.
S. D. CUMMING.....CASHIER.

### BANK OF MARION,

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Directors:

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D. R. MURCHISON..... "
I. B. GRAINGER..... "

Does all the ordinary business of a Bank.

Issues Certificates of Deposit bearing interest.

Will take pleasure in accommodating the mercantile communities of Wilmington and other places by discounting such paper as can be recommended as good by any of the Banks located where the parties are carrying on business.

Correspondents:

Merchants' Exchange National Bank.....New York.
Citizens' National Bank.....Baltimore.
Bank of New Hanover.....Wilmington.
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### Carolina Military Institute,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—The next term begins on September 15th next. This Institute is equipped with the most improved arms and with the necessary apparatus for giving instruction. It is a Graduating Military College, with an Auxiliary Preparatory Department.

The Superintendent is assisted by an able and experienced Corps of Teachers. For Circulars address Col. JOHN P. THOMAS, Superintendent.

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### A Hundred Years.

YOU MIGHT WAIT AND NEVER HAVE THE opportunity of buying goods at the prices at which I am

*CLOSING OUT MY STOCK,*

it is not to make room for another stock, but is a sale in close out the entire stock in a given number of days, and to insure this, on and after the 12th inst., goods will be sold at

LESS THAN COST,

### For Cash Only,

Come without further invitation, or delay, as at the prices,

THE STOCK WILL RAPIDLY DIMINISH,

every article is new, no shobby or auction goods in the store.

Very respectfully,
GEO. LIEBER.
July 13-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

### The Morning Star

PUBLISHED DAILY AND WEEKLY

Subscription Rates—In Advance:

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|---|---|---|
| DAILY STAR, | One Year, postage paid, | $7 00 |
| " " | Six Months " | 4 00 |
| " " | Three Months " | 2 25 |
| " " | One Month " | 1 00 |
| WEEKLY STAR, | One Year postage paid, | $1 50 |
| " " | Six Months, " | 1 00 |
| " " | Three Months " | 50 |

Notices of the Press:

A first-class paper.—*Battleboro Advance.*

Emphatically a live paper.—*Coldsboro News.*

The STAR is a live paper.—*Sumter (S. C.) News.*

One of our best exchanges.—*Keowee (S. C) Courier.*

One of the best daily papers in the State.—*Weldon News.*

One of the very best of our daily exchanges.—*South Carolinian.*

Ranks among the leading Dailies of the State.—*Christian Advocate.*

One of the best Dailies in the State.—*Statesville Intelligencer.*

A valuable paper. We cheerfully recommend it.—*Pee Dee Courier.*

Ranks among the leading journals of the South.—*Marion (S. C.) Star.*

One of the best and most desirable papers in North Carolina.—*Norfolk Virginian.*

Full of general news, and a credit to Wilmington.—*Elizabeth City North Carolinian.*

One of the best daily papers published in the Southern States.—*Horry (S. C.) News.*

One of our best Southern journals. As a newspaper not surpassed by any.—*Friend of Temperance.*

One of the best conducted in the State; bold, independent and well informed.—*Hillsboro Recorder.*

Ably edited, and has a circulation which speaks volumes of comment on its influence.—*Magnolia Monitor.*

Onward and upward it goes until now it has the largest circulation of any Daily in the State.—*Piedmont Press.*

The Wilmington STAR, now very much improved, has the largest circulation of any paper in the State.—*Enfield Times.*

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