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STATES OF ADVERTISING.

One Square one day, \$1.00; Two days, \$1.50; Three days, \$2.00; One week, \$4.00; Two weeks, \$7.00; Three weeks, \$9.00; One month, \$16.00; Two months, \$28.00; Three months, \$36.00; Six months, \$60.00; One year, \$100.00.

Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates. Ten lines sold nonpareil type make one square.

Cape Fear Light Artillery.

At a meeting of the Cape Fear Light Artillery Company, held at their Armory last night, the following officers were unanimously re-elected: Captain—H. G. Planner.

Thermometer Record.

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4.35 yesterday evening, Washington mean time, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city.

RIVER AND MARINE ITEMS.

The steamship Benefactor, Jones, arrived at New York from this port on the 14th inst.

CITY ITEMS.

NO SUGGESTION OF ARTIFICIALITY is conveyed by the smile of George's Olympia Cream. Its admittance is the very counterpart of nature.

THE PEACE OF A HOUSEHOLD.

is often dependent on the ordinary and domestic art of the housewife. Ladies know this, and they use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

BOOK BINDERY.

THE MORNING STAR BOOK BINDER does all kinds of binding and ruling in a workmanlike manner, and at reasonable prices.

TRANSFER PRINTING.

is available to railroad companies, steamship companies, banks, merchants, manufacturers and others.

Help for the weak, nervous and debilitated.

Chronic and painful diseases cured without medicine. Electric Bells and other appliances. All about them, and how to distinguish the genuine from the spurious.

NO DANGER need be apprehended from an attack of Pneumonia, severe Coughs, Consumption, and various other Throat and Lung diseases, or even Croup and Whooping Cough, among your children.

TO ALL, PARTICULARLY INVALIDS, Spring is a trying season.

Indications of sickness should be attended to. Fatal diseases may be caused by allowing the bowels to become constipated and the system to remain in a disordered condition.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Our Wamsutta Shirts

ARE CASH ON DELIVERY. We cannot sell on other terms. If patrons are not satisfied, every receipt for the money will be cheerfully refunded.

Wanted,

A GOOD YOKER OF OXEN. Apply to H. M. FOARD, at Lippitt's Wharf.

Spring Styles.

STRAW AND FELT HATS! UMBRELLAS AND NATURAL CANES, HARRISON & ALLEN.

Grain Cradles,

CLASS BLADES, RUBBER SCOTTERS, GRAIN CUTTERS, FEED CUTTERS, FAN MILLS, CORN SHALERS, etc. A large assortment of the above goods at very low prices at the Old Established Hardware House of JOHN DAWSON.

Just Received,

PLAYING MACHINES, PLAITING EXHIBITOR KROEBER'S OIL LAMPS! No Change Needed. See them in Chinmey's FISHING POLES and TACKLE, Cheap, at No. 25 South Front St.

OUTLINES.

Four hundred were wounded at Kalafat during the bombardment. — Servian volunteers are joining the Bosnian insurgents. — The Circassians have destroyed all the telegraphs in Trans-Caucasian Russia.

Spirits Turpentine.

The Democrats elected their ticket at Edenton. — Sam Handy, colored, died suddenly at Edenton.

Latest By Mail.

From South Carolina. [Special to the Charleston Jour. of Com.] CHESTER, S. C., May 15.

Chester has elected General W. A. Walker State Senator by probably one thousand majority.

The Mexican Marauders.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15. Advice received here state that ex-President Lerdo disclaims all knowledge or participation in the filibustering expedition alleged to exist against Mexico.

Unveiling Halleck's Statue.

NEW YORK, May 15. The ceremony of unveiling the statue of Fitz Green Halleck, in Central Park, took place this afternoon before a large assembly.

University Programme.

[ Raleigh Observer.] TUESDAY, JUNE 6TH. At 7 1/2 p. m., the Philanthropic and Dialectic Societies meet.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7TH.

11 a. m. Address by Gov. Z. B. Vance on the "Life and Character" of Gov. David L. Swain.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

H. M. FOARD—OXEN wanted. JOHN DAWSON—Grain cradles. MUNSON & CO.—Wamsutta shirts.

Local Dots.

— Mr. F. Rheinstein leaves this morning for a trip to Europe.

— The Monroe Enquirer hears of an excursion of the business men of Monroe, and families, to Wilmington, to come off shortly.

— Slowly falling barometer, east to south winds, nearly stationary temperature, clear and partly cloudy weather, are the indications for this section to-day.

— There were several cases of assaults and batteries, &c., for trial before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning, but they were all continued over until to-day.

— The case of Raynard Lamb, charged with stabbing Warwick Perry, on Sunday night last, has been continued until next Tuesday, on account of the inability of Perry, in consequence of the condition of his wounds, to be able to attend the trial sooner than that time.

— We had the pleasure of meeting yesterday Messrs. Loomis, of the Cincinnati Commercial, Chamberlain, of the Cincinnati Gazette, Francisco, of the Columbus Ohio State Journal, and Wright of the Richmond Enquirer. Mr. Emery, of the Peoria Transcript, was also with the Western visitors.

— We notice that the city is having a ditch dug with the view of draining off the water of what is known as "Granny Milton" Branch, leading from the vicinity of the Cotton Mills to Fifth, between Wooster and Dawson streets. Quite a number of cels have been captured while digging the drain.

OUR WESTERN VISITORS.

They Arrive at the Depot and are Escorted to Their Quarters by the several Committees, Headed by the Cornet Concert Club—The Ceremonies at the Opera House—Speeches of Hon. A. M. Waddell and Col. C. M. Holloway—Social Entertainment—A Trip on the River, &c.

Yesterday morning, at 8 1/2 o'clock, the Committee of Reception, headed by their Chairman, Mr. James A. Willard, took the train at the Front street depot and met the Western excursionists at Teechey's, about thirty-eight miles up the road, from whence they escorted them to this city, improving the opportunity during the trip down to get acquainted. The gentlemen composing the excursion party being very sociable and friendly, this was found not to be a difficult matter, and the committee and our Western friends soon found themselves chatting as socially and unreservedly as if the whole party had been born and bred "far-heels."

On arriving at the depot they were met by the members of the various trade organizations and other gentlemen, who, headed by the Cornet Concert Club, had marched up to receive them, when they were formed into line and escorted to the Purcell House. Here a recess of about a half an hour was taken, to allow our visitors to rest and refresh themselves after their long journey.

At 1 o'clock the excursionists, escorted by the Reception committee and the Cornet Concert Club, marched from the Purcell House down Front to Market, up Market to Third, up Third to Princess and up Princess to the Opera House, where, after all had been comfortably seated, Mr. Jas. A. Willard, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, introduced Hon. A. M. Waddell, who delivered the following address of welcome:

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