

RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION IN ADVANCE: One year, by mail postage paid, \$7.00; six months, \$4.00; three months, \$2.00; one month, \$0.75.

OUTLINES: The Russians are on the railway between Adrianople and Philippopolis; 20,000 fugitives from Roumania have gone to Constantinople; a railroad train filled with fugitives ran off the track, killing and wounding fifty; Russia informed England that it was ready to discuss special points concerning English interests involved in the proposed treaty.

Latest By Mail: More About the Tragedy. Account in Charleston News & Courier, January 13.

At this juncture a disinterested gentleman present, who had never before seen either of the parties, approached Mr. Fishburne and inquired if the matter could be amicably adjusted. Mr. Fishburne replied that any arrangement that would be satisfactory to his friends would be satisfactory to him. The same gentleman then approached the opposite party, with the same inquiry. Mr. Harley replied that he had called Mr. Fishburne a coward in South Carolina, and that he had come to Georgia either to prove him a coward or leave his bones on the soil.

At 1 o'clock the principals took their places ten paces apart, no one else being then present except their friends and friends. It fell to Mr. Fishburne's friend to give the word. The question was asked, "Gentlemen, are you ready?" Mr. Harley replied, "I am." Mr. Fishburne replied, "Ready." Both principals were now collected. Mr. Fishburne's friend stepped half way between the two, and said: "Gentlemen, take warning. I am about to give the word, but before doing so will repeat it. It is: Fire. One, two, three. Stop or halt. You are to fire between the words 'fire' and 'three.'" He then stepped back and gave the word: "Gentlemen, are you ready? Fire! One, two, three!" repeating the words slowly, but leaving little interval between the last two. Between the words "one and two" Mr. Fishburne fired. Mr. Harley staggering and firing his pistol at the same time, his ball passing over Mr. Fishburne's head. Immediately after firing Mr. Harley fell. Mr. Fishburne at once left the ground, leaving the surgeons and Mr. Harley's friends in charge of him. Mr. Harley was shot in the lower right side of the abdomen, the ball passing through his body. It is reported that the surgeons pronounced Mr. Harley would a mortal one, and suggested his removal to a house in the neighborhood.

These statements are derived mainly from the friends of Mr. Fishburne, and seem to be based on evidence that it would be difficult to contradict. [From Savannah Sunday Telegram.] Mr. Harley and Mr. Fishburne are of the same political faith, both being zealous Democrats, but some hard feeling had been engendered on account of a dispute concerning the recent municipal election in Walterboro on the 7th inst., Harley having espoused the side to which Fishburne was opposed. From the correspondence between the parties in the possession of Mr. Farmer, and which we have been enabled to examine, it appears that the challenge was the result of offensive words used to Fishburne in his office by Harley on the evening of the 8th inst.

On the morning of the 8th Mr. Fishburne addressed a note to Mr. Harley, referring to the objectionable language used to him and requesting retraction or withdrawal of the same. In reply to this Mr. Harley disclaimed recollection of having used the language quoted, and added, "What I did mean to say was that you and W. J. Fishburne are weak and cheap copies of the Rhett family, without their brains or courage, and I must positively and emphatically decline to withdraw anything that I said on that occasion." This was followed by other correspondence, in which Mr. Fishburne expressed the desire to know when and where outside of the State the correspondence could be concluded.

Left Out in the Cold. [Washington Star.] Dr. Mary Walker was early on the floor of the House to-day. As the late Woman Suffrage Association sat down on her, and would not permit her to participate in their proceedings, she concluded that she would organize a lobby of her own, to see what she could do in the way of securing rights for the downtrodden sex. To that end the Doctor tackled a number of members this morning, including Mills of Texas, and Crittenden of Missouri, who objected to Kelley's resolution on Thursday. Her remarks were listened to principally by an admiring crowd of pages. When the door-keeper made the usual request that all gentlemen not entitled to the privileges of the floor should retire, the Doctor was the first to shoulder her cane and leave, much to Mr. Crittenden's relief.

The Fourth District in the Supreme Court. In the Supreme Court, now in session at Raleigh, the following appeals from the Fourth District were called and disposed of, as we learn from the report in the Observer: D. McFadyen et al. vs. John T. Council et al., from Bladen; continued under former order. Mary A. Barnes et al. vs. W. J. Brown et al., from Robeson; writ of certiorari for demurrer ordered to issue retroactively instant.

The Carolina Farmer for January, 1878, is an excellent number, well printed and interesting, and instructive to the farmer. We think the times demand that our agricultural publications, and especially those of our State, should be sustained. The price of the Carolina Farmer is so low, \$1.50 a year, that nearly all our farmers can afford to take it. It is edited and published by Messrs. W. H. Bernard and Hamilton McMillan, Wilmington, N. C. Rockingham Bee.

The bar of Raleigh held a meeting to show respect to the memory of the late Chief Justice Pearson. Mr. J. B. Batcher read a long preamble and some resolutions. Speeches were made by Col. A. W. Tourgee, C. M. Busbee, Judge Reade, A. W. Tourgee, C. M. Badger, Judge W. Clarke, R. T. Gray and Gov. Vance.

THE MORNING STAR.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS: O. G. PARLEY, Jr.—Shingles. Meeting of the Washingtonians. E. G. BARKER & Co.—Fire wanted. PETTWAY & SCHULKEN—Brokersage. NOTICE Hibernian Benevolent Society. WILLARD BROS.—Copartnership notice.

Spirits Turpentine.

Camden and Warren have settled their taxes. B. C. Mangum has been appointed postmaster at Durham. Miss Holton, the newly fledged lawyer, will go to Kansas to practice. Good. W. H. Paoc has been elected Superintendent of the Salisbury Street Baptist Sunday School, Raleigh.

John N. Bohannon, a salesman of Messrs. Hall & Beathers', Hickory, sold \$65,000 worth of goods last year. A writer in the Raleigh Times says that Col. Thomas C. Fuller, Raleigh, makes \$15,000 annually by his practice at the bar.

Some of our State exchanges are complaining of recent very cold weather. Father Evans says he is about frozen up, and that the pigs in his pen are up to their ears in ice.

There were six Hunts registered at the Yarrowborough House, Raleigh, in one day. At the National the same day there were seven of the same name registered. The Hunts were all about that day.

Rockingham Bee: We learn from John S. Watson, Esq., Register of Deeds, that he issued, during the year 1877, one hundred and twenty marriage licenses, of which 97 were white couples and 23 were colored.

Raleigh News: Chief Justice Pearson's opinions have been quoted three times in Westminster Hall. Chief Justice Griffin was quoted several times in the same high court. It is not known that any North Carolina judge was ever so honored.

Milton Chronicle: A party in Person county ran a fox five days every day until sundown, resuming the chase each successive day about daylight. In every instance jumping Rayward within fifty steps of where they left off the evening before. The chase was abandoned on the fifth day, men, horses and dogs being worn out.

Raleigh News: On yesterday Gov. Vance commissioned Hon. W. N. H. Smith as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina. To be sworn in will be by taking the oath of office. Mr. Rev. Bishop Lyman and Rev. Mr. Rich leave for Goldsboro this morning, to be present at the marriage of Rev. W. H. H. Smith, of St. Stephen's church, in that city, which takes place at 2 1/2 p. m. to-day. Big Gen. Manly has made the following appointments on his staff: Leroy G. Bagley, Captain and A. A. G.; William Willard, Captain and A. D.

Newbern News: Capt. E. R. Page, Deputy Collector at Large of the Second District of North Carolina, has just returned from an extended trip through the counties of Northampton, Halifax, Bertie, Martin, Edgecombe, Pitt, Greene, Lenoir and Jones, where he has been looking to the interest of the revenue service of that district, or in common parlance, where he has been "on a revenue raid." He has made several seizures of fraudulent tobacco, but says the attempts to violate the revenue laws now are less frequent than he has ever known heretofore.

Charlotte Observer: The receipts last week were very light. Bad roads and bad weather were the causes. Laurinburg correspondent: After the fire was gotten under control general confusion prevailed. Drank and disorderly men crowded the streets, and the streets were filled with bricks, bats, sticks, knives, &c., were brought into play, but no one was seriously hurt.

Shelby correspondent: On Friday the United States Commissioner resident at Newton arrived at the place first named with a posse of three men, to mete out justice to violators of the United States Internal Revenue laws. The first arrest made was that of one Skinner, charged with dealing in blacked whiskey, who was hailed at once by his attorney, Mr. Gahagan, afterwards going with the officers to point out places where liquor was sold illicitly. They next fell upon an old, fat, unshaven man, named Deval, a Frenchman, for selling spirits without license, and in default of a \$500 bond he was committed to jail, and not only so, but was put in the only iron cage in the building—the murderer's cell, on the third floor—without, alas, notwithstanding the fact that the other cells were unoccupied, and the prisoner hardly able to walk in the streets.

Hickory Press: A correspondent, "Cress," writing as from Sheriff's Ford, January 8, says: Three young ladies of Catawba, on a visit to some friends, had a very narrow escape from drowning on the 2d instant, while enroute to the mill on the overturning of their carriage. Owing to the recent heavy rains the creek was washed out considerably. But thanks to the presence of mind of the driver, (one of the young ladies' brothers), they were safely deposited on land. The carriage was not yet all been killed on the rugged side and summit of the Grandfather mountain in Watauga county, N. C. But there are very few of them left, and, what is more to be regretted, the other cells were unoccupied, and the prisoner hardly able to walk in the streets.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church had an unusually large congregation Sunday. The new organ and the new choir were heard together for the first time and called forth unqualified praise. The singing of the Te Deum was exceptionally fine, while Mr. Thorpe on the organ added greatly to the impressiveness of the service. Rev. T. M. Ambler, rector of the Parish, preached a most excellent sermon; and, taken altogether, last Sunday was a day long remembered by the congregation of this young and thriving Parish.

Mayor's Court. Jas. H. McNeill, Dorcas, Frank, Caroline Frank and Susan Frank, all colored, were arraigned before Mayor Dawson, yesterday morning, on the charge of creating a disturbance and resisting a police officer at the saloon of Mr. James Keenan, on Saturday night last, some mention of which was made in yesterday's issue. McNeill was ordered to pay a fine of \$5 or be confined in a cell for five days, and the three females were sentenced to ten days each in a cell on bread and water or to pay a fine of \$10.

Trelan's Queen of Song. We learn from Manager MacCourt, who arrived in this city last evening, that the great lyric star, Miss Rosa D'Erina, "Erin's prima donna," who has been delighting the good people of Norfolk with a series of her musical entertainments, will visit our city next week. The press everywhere, both in Europe and America, speak of this lady as an charming young artist, possessing the "real soul of music." We should also mention that much of the proceeds of her entertainments are devoted to charitable purposes.

That charming young actress, Miss Mary Anderson, who has met such a flattering reception at the North during the present season, has engaged the Opera House, in this city, for Wednesday and Thursday nights, January 30th and 31st. Miss Anderson is no stranger to the Wilmington public, and her engagement here will no doubt prove a very profitable one.

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By Express. JUST RECEIVED TO-DAY A FULL LINE OF "LOTUS CLUE" KID GLOVES IN ALL THE NEW SHADES, ALSO, IN WHITE AND OPERA SHADES.

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A Last Chance. I WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION OF MY PATRONS TO THE FACT THAT I HAVE SECURED A FEW MORE PIECES OF Lupin's Double Twill Cashmeres, which I offer at the same LOW PRICES as previously, but this will be the last I will be able to offer at such figures.

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Quarterly Meeting. Rev. L. S. Richland, D. D., Presiding Elder, has made the following appointments for his first round during the present Conference year, for the Wilmington District: Duplin, at Kannapolis, Jan. 19 20; Whiteville and Wacoama, Jan. 26 27; Smithville, at Charlotte, Feb. 2 3; Cokesbury and Cuharie Mission, at Bethany, Feb. 9 10; Onslow, at Mt. Lebanon, Feb. 16 17; Elizabeth, at Elizabethtown, Feb. 23 24; Bladen, at Soule's Chapel, Feb. 29 30; Topsail, at Prospect, Mar. 5 6; Clifton, at Clifton, Mar. 12 13.

To the District Stewards of Wilmington District, N. C. Conference: Dear Brethren: The District Stewards' meeting will be held at the parsonage of the First Street Church on Friday, March 8th, 1878, at 11 o'clock, A. M., instead of February 28th. Matters over which I have no control compel me to make this change.

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Dissolution of Copartnership. THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm of VICK & HERRICK, is dissolved by mutual consent. Each partner is authorized to sign the firm name in liquidation only. S. W. VICK, C. P. HERRICK, Jan. 15 '78

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