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OUTLINES.

Col. M. L. Clarke, President of the Louisville Jockey Club, was shot in a dispute about a horse race, but was not fatally injured.

The STAR mentioned recently that Cyrus W. Field had given notice that he would reply to Mr. Tilden. Well, the reply is out in the New York Herald, and it is a long document.

The Baltimore Sun's Washington correspondent makes a good point as to the character of those fellows who have been in that city endeavoring to reorganize the Republican party in the South.

When John Pool and such undertake the job, it will take no Solomon to tell the result.

We like the STAR because it is thoroughly reliable, candid, fearless, and so well and ably edited, newsy, spicy, and in fact, a perfect newspaper.

THE MORNING STAR.

VOL. XXV.—NO. 8. WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1879. WHOLE NO. 3,786.

October First. Moving Day—Business Changes—New Enterprises, &c. The first day of October is to Wilmington what the first day of May is to New York, the grand moving day of the year.

Statesville Landmark: It is not known generally by the natives of this State, that it has lately become world-famous for the great beauty and abundance of minerals that have been heretofore considered of the greatest rarity.

Kinston Journal: The New Bern Democrat says the visiting military, on their return from the Kinston picnic, were kept in their quarters all night, and sent to bed in the morning.

Reidsville Times: Ex-Governor Brogden is about 55. He has been in office nearly all his life, and a saving man, has put by about \$40,000.

The autumnal equinox this year was on September 23d, at 5h. 21m. A. M.

And now Harper's Weekly wants honest Republicans to "scratch" Lord Roscoe's machine-made ticket, and they will do it.

By a decision of the Supreme Court of South Carolina the bonds of the bonded debt of that State are held to be valid.

The way the silent man with his cigar snubbed Dennis Kearney was delightful to the Chinese. Grant refused twice to see the Sand Lots hero.

The gate money in the walking match in New York amounted to \$55,442.25, which will be divided according to the articles of agreement.

Mrs. Sprague has returned to Rhode Island, but she did not take her children with her. If Roscoe is afraid of Sprague's "shot-gun policy" the unfortunate Kate is not.

Wendell Phillips declines to be the Greenback candidate for Governor of Massachusetts. He thinks he can do more service to the Greenback cause by remaining untrammelled by even party lines.

Princeton College, New Jersey, has dismissed five students who played the rowdy so completely at Trenton. Dismissal is a good remedy and keeps up the tone and respectability of an institution.

The Warren News is mistaken as to its being the editor of the STAR who heard Benton, &c. It was the editor of the Charlotte Democrat who paid Col. McRae the compliment. The STAR copied it.

Weston is in debt, and that accounts for his poor walking compared with his pedestrianism in England. His legs refused to do their usual work when he knew his creditors were on his path ready to attack his profits.

It is said in Washington that the State Department is not at all pleased with Col. Mosby's revelations concerning Minister Seward. Of course not. Seward has been shielded for a long time by that Department, and it is too bad now to have a honest "Confederate Guerilla" blabbing secrets that it wanted to hush.

Opera House. The Prince Napoleon, or the Fatal Field of Zululand, was played for the first time in this city, at the Opera House last evening, by the Star Alliance Opera Company, and exceedingly well acted.

Cotton Compress and About Fifteen Hundred Bales of Cotton Destroyed—Estimated Loss about \$150,000. Shortly after one o'clock this morning the alarm of fire was given, and an investigation quickly located the fire at the Wilmington Compress.

Removals. Mr. Fred Heyer removes from the northwest corner of Second and Market streets. Messrs. Brown & Roddick remove their 5 and 10 cent store from the southwest corner to the northeast corner of Second and Market streets.

Removals. Messrs. Behrends & Munroe remove their furniture store to the southwest corner of Second and Market streets. Mr. L. Vullers will remove his stock from the store on the southeast corner of Second and Market to his new store on Front, near the corner of Dock street.

Removals. Messrs. J. H. McGarrity & Co. will remove to the store in the Seaman's Home building, southwest corner of Front and Dock streets. Mr. C. A. Price will open a fruit and confectionery store on Front street, next to Exchange Corner, formerly occupied by Mr. D. Greenwald, who removes his stock for the present to the up-stairs of Mr. G. Rosenthal's store.

Removals. Capt. J. H. Allen has removed his jewelry store to the store formerly occupied by Mr. A. D. Lipplit, on Front street, west side. Mr. Geo. L. Schutte has removed from the store on Market, near the corner of Second street, to the corner of Fourth and Walnut streets.

Removals. Mr. G. Vaccaro has removed from No. 13 Market street to the store formerly occupied by Mr. G. L. Schutte, on Market street, near the corner of Second. Mr. J. H. Strauss has removed to the corner of Chesnut and North Water streets, formerly occupied by Mr. John Meyer.

Removals. Mr. J. B. Worth takes the store on North Water street, between Princess and Chesnut, formerly occupied by Messrs. Dix Bros. Mr. H. Marcus removes to No. 13 Market street, formerly occupied by Mr. G. Vaccaro.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE. WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1. EXTRA! EXTRA! The Last Gala Day and Night! Unequaled Attractions! This Wednesday Afternoon at HALF PRICE ONLY!

STAR ALLIANCE OPERA COMPANY. The Great Performance by 35 Ladies and Gentlemen of the Grand Opera, 'The Barber of Seville'.

TO-NIGHT! BEGIN AT 8. THE NEW YORK TRUENESS SINGERS. First of the Grand and Fabulous Comedy 'LOVE'S FOLLIES'.

OPERA HOUSE. Thursday Evening, October 2d. FORD'S JUVENILE OPERA COMPANY. In Arthur Sullivan's Comic Opera, 'H. M. S. PINAFORE'.

SALE OF THE WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA & AUGUSTA RAIL ROAD, UNDER DECREE OF FORECLOSURE.

By VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, for the District of North Carolina, in the case of GEORGE B. BROWN and BROOK F. BROWN, complainants, against THE WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA AND AUGUSTA RAIL ROAD COMPANY, Debtors.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE CITY POST OFFICE, Sept. 30, 1879, unclaimed: A—Miss Alice Avanti, miss Carrie Artis, B—David H. Brown, miss Della Barnett, miss Mary Bird, W. H. B. Lewis, W. Bradley, Harry Brown, H. B. Beatty, C—Samuel Chesnut, miss Rosa Camera, Mrs. Ann Clayton, miss Eliza Callahan, L. B. Clemons, C. R. Calhoun, Wesley Cureton, D—Mrs. Gatsie Davidson, miss Nellie Davis, Nellie Jane Damon, Daniel Dixon, Capt. E. C. Davis, E—Mrs. Martha Eganet, G—Wm. Gage, Mary Gavin, H—Wm. Hunsen, J—Jas. M. Johnson, Robert Johnson, K—Ellen Kelle, Fred Kerner, L—Wm. Larkins, M—W. B. McNeen, Rev. Kennet McDonough, Solomon Moten, Frank L. McKoy, George Morris, Lizzie Melton, Caroline Madison, Adaline M. Mace, Miss Ann A. Meares, Mrs. E. C. Moore, N—E. J. Noe, N. F. Nixon, Lewis Nixon, O—W. J. Orr, James Oilphant, Thos. R. Ogilby, Teas Ann Outlaw, P—Am. L. Price, R—Solomon R. Roberts, miss Pauline Ransom, Newton Robinson, S—Mary Eliza Spearman, R. C. Smith, Francis Sloan, Fred E. Small, G. W. Smith, Chas. Spencer, T—Jos. Turner, Della Thompson, W—Catharine Walker, J. T. Wilkins, Henry E. Ward, Austin Williams, Charlie Westray, Geo. S. Wallis, J. N. Wilkinson, Wm. A. Williams.

SHIP LETTERS. Geo. Burgen, Brig. S. W. Nichols, Capt. Pool, Mr. Ramsey Collette. Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "advertised." If not called for within thirty days they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

CITY ITEMS. Fire on the Sound. A two-story dwelling house on Middle Sound, at what is known as the Newark place, the property of Mr. James Sprunt, of this city, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning, about 1 o'clock. It was unoccupied at the time, and the fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. The house was built directly after the late war by Mr. Thos. Colville, and cost in the neighborhood of \$2,000. It was insured for \$500 in the Georgia Home, represented by Mr. Norwood Giles.

THE MORNING STAR can always be had at the following places in the city: The Purcell House, Harris' News Stand, and the STAR Office.

Price Reduced. THE LADIES ARE INFORMED: THE STAR has reduced the price of shipping, bleaching, and dyeing. Ladies who wish their dresses cleaned and dyed, or their hair curled, should call on the proprietors, Messrs. J. A. Springer and Geo. S. Wallis, at the STAR Office, No. 121 South Water street, Wilmington, N. C.