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OUTLINES.

Capt. Lockwood has published a full statement of the disaster which befel the steamer Champion; the ladies failed to save themselves from fright and were lost; the scenes were most heartrending; the names of some of the saved are given.

Another Charleston steamer, the Falcon, collided with a three-masted schooner and sunk; the passengers and crew were all saved; the collision occurred off Barren Island at night; the schooner was slightly damaged.

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The venerable Dr. Lovick Pierce is dead, in his 95th year.

He was a native of North Carolina, and was one of the greatest preachers ever born on this continent. Rev. Dr. Deems, himself a preacher of great gifts and ability, once told us that he never heard a greater preacher than "this old man eloquent" when he was in his prime.

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Spirits Turpentine.

Ponds were frozen over at Winston on the 5th. Col. W. F. Martin, of Elizabeth City, is still at the point of death. Revenue receipts in the Fourth District last week amounted to \$18,863.35.

Mr. Henry Dowd, Concord's policeman, has resigned. He was being paid \$18 per month and wanted \$24. The Statesville American announces that it has secured the services of Hon. Lewis Hanes as its political editor.

At Murrefreesboro twenty professions in Methodist church. On Pasquotank circuit one hundred and fifteen conversions. A revival is progressing at Woodville.

Reidville Times: As Munroe Hudson was driving an old cow out of his field the other day she ran past him and seized his leg as he ran giving him a very severe bite. He is now laid up with it.

Elizabeth City Carolinian: The total receipts of the Fair only amounted to \$358.90. The premiums amount to \$437.50. The total expenses, including the road and premiums on races, amount to \$252.46, leaving but \$81.14 to pay on premiums.

Weldon News: Ex-Senator Pomeroy, of Kansas, is visiting the Portis gold mine in the upper part of this county, which, we understand, he has purchased from Col. Sturgess. Mr. Pomeroy is an inventor of a process for separating the finer particles of gold from the earth, which has always been difficult.

Albemarle Enquirer: The revival in town broke on Sunday night last, after having lasted two weeks and done much good. We learn that the army of Mr. Braxton T. Flythe, of Northampton, which was recently caught in a cotton gin, required re-emption in consequence of mortification having taken place.

Rockingham Bee: The Baptist Festival at Laurinburg was a complete success. Net proceeds \$176.62. Their church is about finished and the new ground county people may not be aware that we are now in the eve of the centennial of the first court record ever held in this county. The first minutes in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court are dated December 27th, 1779.

Hickory Carolinian: Tom King, a negro confined in jail at Taylorsville, charged with stealing an ox, escaped from jail a short time since. His plan of getting out was rather new. He climbed up the chimney, passed over the roof, took off some shingles, and fastened his hands to a rafter, and was thus enabled to swing down to the window, where he had tied a bed clothing, by which he reached the ground. He has not been heard of since.

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Incendiary Fire Yesterday Evening. The alarm of fire yesterday morning, about 1 o'clock, was caused by the burning of three one-story frame dwellings on the north side of Wooster, between Ninth and Tenth streets. The fire originated in the house owned and occupied by one Aaron S. Davis, colored, or between that and the one adjoining, and when discovered had attained such headway that Davis and his family with difficulty escaped from the burning building, losing clothing, furniture and everything.

Charged with Larceny. George West, colored, a resident of Masonboro Sound, was arrested Saturday night on the charge of stealing a ham of meat from the store of Mr. Richard Stulges, corner of Sixth and Castle streets. It seems that a colored boy in the store saw George when he took the meat, and as he hurried from the establishment the cry was made to stop that man, when Officer E. S. Griffith gave chase and soon overtook the adventurous citizen of Masonboro and brought him to a standstill. He first stated that he had thrown the meat over a fence, but subsequently denied having had it. Upon opening his coat, however, the impression of the ham was to be plainly seen upon his undergarment. He was lodged in the guard house until yesterday morning, when he was brought before the City Court, but the case was turned over to the Mayor to Justice Millis for investigation.

There was quite a spirited fight yesterday morning between the mate and some of the seamen of the Schr. C. H. Maccaber, loading with lumber at Messrs. Northrop & Cumming's mill. It seems that the parties got into a dispute, during which one of the men drew his knife on the mate, Mr. Emory, when the latter seized a stick of wood and struck the man over the head with it, knocking him down, upon which he jumped upon the prostrate form and commenced pounding away with an earnestness which threatened serious results. At this opportune juncture, however, assistants arrived and the parties were separated. The mate was subsequently arrested and taken before Justice Hall, who made an appropriate disposition of the case.

Former Wilmingtonian Shot. Mr. Wm. Toft, of this city, an attaché of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad shops, received a telegram from Wilmington, Del., yesterday morning, to the effect that his son, Mr. Millard Toft, had been attacked in that place on Saturday night last and shot in the head, but stating that he was doing well at the time the telegram was sent. The telegram, which was forwarded by Mr. James Vincent, a brother-in-law of the injured man, gives no further particulars.

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The Lighthouse Board have decided to recommend to Congress that an appropriation of \$50,000 be made for the purpose of erecting a lighthouse on Cape Fear Point, near the extreme eastern end of Smith's Island.

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The Whiting Bitter.

At a full meeting of this company, held yesterday evening, Mr. F. W. Foster, who had previously been elected Captain of the company, tendered his resignation, and nominated Mr. W. P. Oldham for the position. The resignation was accepted, and the position tendered to Mr. Oldham by an unanimous vote and accepted by him.

Thermometer Record. The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4.31 yesterday evening, Washington mean time, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city: Atlanta, 70; Key West, 81; Augusta, 80; Mobile, 77; Charleston, 78; Montgomery, 76; Charlotte, 76; New Orleans, 80; Corsicana, 88; Punta Rasa, 81; Galveston, 78; Savannah, 76; Havana, 83; St. Marks, 78; Jacksonville, 79; Wilmington, 77.

Unavailable Matter. The following is the unavailable matter remaining in the city post office at this date: J. C. Bond, New York, N. Y.; Tomey Batle, William, N. C.; Strasberger, Pfeiffer & Co., New York, N. Y.; J. McDonough, New York, N. Y.; Tojar & Hart, New York, N. Y.

REVEREND AND HONORABLE. The brig Loretta Fish, Watts, from this port, arrived at Boston on the 7th inst. The barque Long Oscar, Jansen, sailed from Liverpool for this port on the 27th ult. A telegram from London, received yesterday, reports the brig Antee, from this port for London, spoken, with captain dead and crew sick.

The schooner Sadie Willcutt, Captain Watts, from Brunswick, Georgia, and bound for Boston, was reported below yesterday in distress. Capt. Watts states that his vessel collided at sea with an unknown schooner, on Friday morning, shortly after midnight, and again came in collision with the same vessel about 2 A. M., the Sadie Willcutt losing her foremast head, jibboom, and a portion of her head gear. The unknown schooner, at last accounts, had about eight feet of water in her hold. She was bound south. It was reported that the Sadie Willcutt was being towed up to the city yesterday evening by the steam tug Gladiolus.

The best is the cheapest. Dr. Bell's Baby Syrup is acknowledged to be the safest and most reliable medicine for Babies. Price 25 cents.

CITY ITEMS. CHEW JACKSON'S BEST SWEET NAVY TOBACCO. THE MORNING STAR has always had at the following places in the city: The Perrell House, Harris' News Stand, and the Star Office.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL UMBRELLAS. GILK, ALPACA AND GINGHAM UMBRELLAS. Opened Yesterday at MUNSON'S, The Clothing and Hat Store.

That Other County. SUPPLIED YESTERDAY, AND THROUGH A great many Goods were rushed out our stock is still adequate to the demand of any number that may come.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Improved Vienna Copygram. JUST RECEIVED. ANOTHER LOT OF VIENNA COPYGRAMS, Postal, Note, Letter and Cap sizes; complete with Ink and Sponge.

Choice Fruits. A SPINWALL BANANAS, ORANGES, APPLES, Peas and Nuts. French and Home-made Candy. Keep full stock of Ice Creams and Smoking Tobacco.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE. WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R. CO. NOVEMBER 1ST, 1879. THE FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company will be held in WILMINGTON on TUESDAY, the 18TH INSTANT.

You Want THESE THINGS YOU SAY MADE SKILFULLY, of good material and for the least money. You will patronize home industry if it costs no more than to place your orders elsewhere.

We Are SELLING THE BEST HARRISS'S, RALPH'S, COLLARS, &c. for the least money. If you don't think so try us once.

All Visitors TO THE CITY, AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY, are informed that I continue to run the SCARBOROUGH HOUSE, on South Water Street, and furnish the BEST MEALS in the city or ON ANY 25 CENTS. Also, BEST OYSTERS, Fried or Steamed, for 25 CENTS.

Green & Flanner, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Pure Drug Medicines, Toilet Articles, Patent Medicines, Gunpowder, Gunpowder, &c., &c., At Reduced Rates. MARKET STREET.

To All Whom It May Concern. H. C. PREMPERT, at No. 1 South Front Street, Wilmington, N. C., not the ONLY GERMAN BARBER in the CITY, but second to none in the State, can always be found at his post, sober.

Kash Customers Kall. AT P. H. HAYDEN'S, Carriage, Baggy, Dray and Cart, Harness and Saddle Establishment, where you can get the best of everything in the way of Carriages, Buggies, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Horse Blankets, Bedding, &c., and every thing in this line. No. 125 North Front Street. Notice on Nov 9th. Third, bet. Market and Princess st.