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OUTLINES.

President Garfield has been invited to attend the International Cotton Exposition at Atlanta; he announced his intention to be present if public duties will permit. —— An ex-messenger of the Southern Express Co. and a baggage smasher of the Iron Mountain Railroad have been arrested in Missouri charged with robbing Gen. Grant's baggage; several valuable gold badges were found in their possession, which had been presented to Grant. ——Deductions and discontinuancies in the U. S. Mail Service during the past three months have effected an annual saving of $745,568. ——The decrease of the public debt during the month of May amounts to $11,150,721. ——Another batch of cadets for U. S. Senators by the New York Assembly without an election, an adjournment was then had until to-day. ——Lorillard's bay colt Iroquois won the Derby stakes at the Epsom races; the news was received with enthusiastic expressions of rejoicing in New York sporting circles; the statement is made that Mr. Lorillard wins $3,000,000 on one bet on the race. ——A serious riot at Clonmel, county Waterford, Ireland; thirty civilians wounded by soldiery, one policeman killed and several soldiers fatally hurt. ——A boiler explosion in a dye house at Kensington, Pa., fired the building, killed three persons and seriously wounded nine others. ——Confederate memorial ceremonies were observed at Loudon Park Cemetery, Baltimore, yesterday; graves were decorated and an oration was delivered. ——A State temperance convention for Georgia meets at Atlanta, July 4th. ——Coal passers and firemen of steamship lines at New York are on a strike. ——John Thompson killed three officers who attempted his arrest at Gainesville, Texas, for carrying concealed weapons, and then escaped. ——New York markets: Money 3@4 per cent.; cotton steady at 10 15-16@11 1-16 cts.; southern flour steady and quiet at $5 20@7 50; wheat 1@1½c lower, ungraded red $1 10@1 27½; corn heavy and 1@1½c lower, ungraded 50@57½ cts; spirits turpentine easier at 37½@37¾ cents; rosin firm at $1 90@2 00.

Alas! the Herdic coach speculation has failed. Why, we know not. "Pig iron" Kelley, of Philadelphia, was hurt by it.

Rah for Iroquois that won the Derby in England. This is the first time an American horse ever won that great stake. Lorillard entered another horse but withdrew him.

Prince Bennett, of the New York *Herald*, has been about to marry more foreign ladies of rank than any man of the age. If he had done always as rumor said he would have been as Artemus Ward said of Brigham Young, "the most married man he had ever seen."

In 1839 a monument was erected to the memory of Tom Paine at New Rochelle, New York. It has been recut and was rededicated on Monday. It is twelve feet high and of white marble. He was born in England in 1737, and died in New York in 1809. Paine professed to believe in a God of Nature, but not of Revelation. He rejected the Scriptures of Inspiration.

Archer, the remarkable jockey who rides for Lord Falmouth, rode Iroquois. The N. Y. *Herald's* London special of the 30th ult. says:

"Lord Falmouth's Great Castle is a double doubtful starter, having shown very bad form of late, and Archer may be at liberty. It is said that the fashionable jockey will ride Iroquois. If so his assistance in the saddle will go far to help the American colt to win the Derby, as there is no doubt his jockeyship over Epsom course is worth some pounds."

Some of the doubters say that cotton mills will not pay in the South. But facts are stubborn things. In New Orleans a factory with 300 spindles only pays 30 per cent. per annum. Do you hear that you Mr. deaf [illegible]? Why this. The men who own the above little one have built a second with 700 spindles, whilst a third factory, the largest in the South, is to be erected immediately by the Magineas Brothers and others. Oh, ye men of little faith!

The patronage of an Administration in a State with 5,000,000 inhabitants is too great for any one man to hold against, even though he be a Roscoe Conkling. In New York there must be some 11,000 offices at the disposal of the President. There are 100,000 in the Union. New York has nearly one-tenth of the population. Once upon a time England was in the days of Queen Elizabeth, or very nearly so, and larger than in the days of her father, Henry VIII. Conkling got fooled badly somehow.

The man Paramore, who committed suicide at Cheraw, South Carolina, was a fugitive from North Carolina justice and was one of the parties who, it is believed, had Gen. Bryan Grimes assassinated. His brother, W. B. Paramore, went to Cheraw to secure his brother's effects, was thrice arrested and tried, and finally escaped justice. He disappeared and has not been heard of since. The Raleigh *News-Observer* says:

"There were two brothers, Howell and W. B. Paramore, born in Pitt county, but fled the State, charged with perjury and inciting another party to poison the well of their neighbor, Justice Joseph Laughinghouse, whose well was poisoned, illness, but not death, resulting therefrom."

It is said here, as stated by the *Robesonian*, that the STAR ever had a "long-established policy of ignoring *all* communications;" nor is it true, as stated by the *Robesonian*, that "any one who opposes prohibition can now be heard through the columns of the STAR." We have declined more communications on prohibition than we have accepted. In fact, we do not remember to have published but *two*, and they were both very short. But how many anti-prohibition communications or selected articles have appeared in the *Robesonian*?

In our issue of yesterday we declined to publish the proceedings of an anti-prohibition meeting held in Carteret county, and for the same reason then given we must decline to publish the proceedings of the prohibition meeting held at Shoe Heel. This latter meeting was largely attended and was addressed by several speakers, both white and colored.

The South should learn a lesson from the way in which the North celebrates its Decoration Day. This year the observance has been larger and more imposing than ever. If they can honor men who fought for "the flag" the South ought never to cease to honor the Boys in Gray who fought for principle and honor and country.

A sad, but true, thought.

New York Evening Express.

The Potter's Field of this expanding nation has two new mounds. The daisies may blossom, the gentle dews descend, and the katydids chirp. Yet where, oh! where, can we find a man who will shed a tear upon beholding these new tombstones:

R. CONKLING,
Statesman,
Perished fighting
for office.
R. I. P.

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Spirits Turpentine.

— Raleigh *News-Observer* follows the Northern style and spells it Rosin.

— *New Bernian*: Fish of almost every variety known to salt and fresh water are now plentiful in the market. Mackerel and sheepshead are now being brought in than we have ever seen in New Berne.

— The Oxford *Torchlight* has entered upon its ninth volume. Maj. N. A. Gregory is now with the proprietor Mr. W. A. Davis. Maj. G. is accustomed to the pencil and is specially versed in agricultural matters. It is a good paper and gives no sign of a diminution of light although its torch has been lit for eight years.

— Reidsville *Times*: Rev. John S. Price, as black as tar, spoke here last week on prohibition, and whites and blacks crowded the court house. He is a fine declaimer, his language smooth, emotional and musical, and temperance his theme, a good old-fashioned temperance, that captivated the whole court house. Some of the first men present pronounced him splendid.

— Lincolnton *Progress*: The Carolina Central Railroad has established an immigration bureau for the mutual advancement of its interests and that of the counties through which it passes. With this end in view the railroad company has appointed Mr. J. H. Pearson its agent and requests those having land for sale to correspond with him at any point along the line of railroad, care of the depot agent of said road. ——Ezra, a youth of about fifteen years, and son of Mr. J. J. Cornwell, was drowned in Grouse's mill-pond on Ascension day.

— Special to Richmond *Dispatch* dated Norfolk, Va., May 30: The locust plague is said to be ravaging the whole Chowan section of North Carolina, eating up the corn and cotton crops and every variety of vegetation, and destroying whole forests of valuable saw-mill timber by stripping off the bark and depositing their eggs. The injury is said to be vast and the loss incalculable. ——Several hundred excursionists from the lower counties of North Carolina arrived to-night, making their first trip over the new railroad. The merchants are entertaining them.

— Greensboro *Patriot*: A correspondent writing from Bruce's Cross Roads, in Guilford county, May 29th, says: "We have had no rain in this section for six weeks. Crops are suffering greatly." ——New buildings have thus far in 1881 been the order of the day in Greensboro. Many handsome stores and residences have been recently built and many more are in course of erection. ——Bro Gov. Reid, who was stricken down with paralysis at Wentworth, on Monday, the 23d, is still seriously ill. He was resting a little easier this morning, but no decided change in his condition has taken place.

— Milton *Chronicle*: Jesse Holmes telegraphs us that at certain church, whose John Barleycorn does not lift his brazen head in two miles of the pulpit, he smashed two brown jugs and stole "dankers" hid in the leaves and bushes near the church last Sunday. —— At the last meeting of the friends of the Roxboro Railroad, Capt. J. W. Lewis, the President of the Milton & Sutherland Narrow Gauge Railroad, made a proposition it would be well for our Person friends to consider. He said that if the people of Person county would subscribe $25,000 and furnish 100 convicts to work on the road he would guarantee its construction from Roxboro to Milton.

— Concord *Sun*: Last Monday morning, when Dr. Lee, the Richmond physician, visited the quarantined German, near town, he found that one of the children, a little boy, who has suffered so severely from measles, was dead. —— The smallpox scare, we are glad to say, is all over. There is only one case in the county, and that is the case of the woman first noticed to-day two weeks ago. She is improving, and will probably be well in ten days. ——The Richmond & Danville Railroad has provided the Germans with a physician in the person of Dr. W. A. Lee, of Richmond, who for the past week has been untiring in his attentions upon them.

— Raleigh *News-Observer*: Federal court meets next week. Chief Justice Waite will sit with Judges Brooks and Bond. —— A very earnest effort, and one that is sure to be successful, is being made to have a grand Fourth of July celebration here. —— Rev. Dr. George Patterson, of Wilmington, on Sunday preached admirable and able sermons at Christ church and at the Church of the Good Shepherd, to large audiences. —— Messrs. J. C. Scarborough and N. B. Broughton and Rev. J. M. White spoke on prohibition at Selma, Saturday evening, to a large audience. —— The closing of the bar rooms on Sunday is having an admirable effect upon the morals of the city, say the police. —— Seventeen convicts were sent up to the Western North Carolina Railroad a few days since. —— Another North Carolina enterprise is the shipment of smoked herrings from Edenton.

— The working of prohibition in the so-called "dry" towns demonstrates, so far, no abatement of drunkenness. In Roxboro, for example, we noticed Tuesday of court week a number of men under the influence of liquor. Where it came from we know not. Report said a man behind the curtain, or masked behind smoked glass, was dealing out the "liquid of damnation" industriously, and we hear that this fellow sold liquor on that day to the amount of $200. On Wednesday a revenue officer called on him, but he was refused admittance until the whiskey vender found out it was red tape and the American eagle "knocking at the door," when it flew open in a hurry. The taster apologized—was delighted to see the officer, had anxiously looked for a chance to pay government license, and in a minute the $25 was counted down. Red Tape said he was satisfied, and left the fellow alone in his glory, says the Milton *Chronicle*.

Charlotte *Observer*: The Messrs. Thomas, agents for Jeff Davis' "Rise and Fall of the Confederacy," have just sent forward an order for seventy-five copies of the work for parties who have already subscribed for it. —— Last Saturday afternoon, while shifting trains at Winston, on the Northwestern North Carolina Railroad, one of the brakemen named McPhail, attempted to step from the platform to a flat car [illegible] skull being broken and other injuries inflicted from which he died shortly after.

— Winston *Leader*: After continued "swiming around" Tim Lea, of Raleigh, has caught on to the tailboard of the administration. He has been appointed government agent (whatever that is) to Mexico. His saloon and fixtures are offered for sale. Hope he will be so much pleased with the Mexicans that he will not come back. —— On Friday last Mr. G. W. Chalker's wife and daughter, Miss Nora, were in a buggy on their way to the closing exercises of Waff's School, in Abbott's Greek Township, the horse became frightened and ran away, capsizing the vehicle and throwing its occupants out. Mrs. Charles had her right leg broken, and otherwise bruised, which some of her friends apprehend would result fatally. She is now recovering. —— The editor of the Kernersville *News* is a married man, and as his paper says, "sports a good mustache and cheek enough to make a mule weep," went to the Oak Ridge Commencement and passed himself off among the girls as single. In his last issue we get the following, which tells its own story:

"Twixt woman and wine, man's lot is to smart;
The wine makes his head ache, and woman his heart."

We would advise Mrs. Lyon to keep that man at home. —— F. H. Busbee, Esq., of Raleigh, delivered the annual address before the Literary Societies of Yadkin College. His subject was the urgent demands of North Carolina, at this time, for radical reformers. He understood his subject and discussed it in his own eloquent style. This was the largest commencement ever held at Yadkin. There were about two thousand people present and all seemed to enjoy it greatly.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE—PALATABLE—Horsford's Acid Phosphate is often acceptable to the stomach and palate when all other medicines are objectionable.

MEADE & BAKER'S CARBOLIC WASH is a fragrant and delightful *Toilet Article*, which has, by its intrinsic merits, been introduced. It arrests and destroys the offensive odor caused by decaying *Teeth*, and imparts a fragrance odor to the breath. Used as a remedy it will speedily heal all *Bleeding, Spongy, Ulcerated* and *Receding Gums*. It is unsurpassed as a remedy for *Sore Throat*, and has been used at Sea with entire success for the cure of *Sea Sickness*. It is used and prescribed by the best physicians. Price 50 cents a bottle. For sale by Druggists. ap 29 2m eod.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Munson—Gent's underwear.
Wilson State Normal School.
Heinsberger—Blank books, etc.
Cronly & Morris—Lot for sale.
Harrison & Allen—Straw hats.
F. Cumming & Co.—Corn, oats, etc.
Brown & Roddick—Summer skirts.
Al David—New and attractive goods.
Steamer Passport—Social excursion.
Pentecost—Excursion 14th S. School.

Local Dots.

— Br. barque *Economy*, Smith, sailed from Hamburg May 20th for this port.

— This section was visited by a fine shower of rain yesterday, but the sun was fearfully hot afterward.

— Two pieces of business were found unfastened by the police Tuesday night, one on North Water and the other on Orlando street.

— Fifteen hundred feet of new hose arrived yesterday, which will be distributed among the various engines according to their necessities.

— There will be a challenge yacht race at Wrightsville Sound on to-morrow (Friday) afternoon, between the new boat, *The Glide*, and the yacht *Spray*.

— Don't forget the excursion of the Second Presbyterian Sunday School to Orton and Smithville on the steamer *Passport* this morning. The boat leaves at 8½ o'clock.

— A good time is guaranteed on the young men's social excursion this evening on the steamer *Passport*. The boat will leave her wharf at 8 o'clock and return at 10:30 P. M.. See advertisement.

— It was the Nor. barque *Otto* (not *Oats*), from this port for Rotterdam, which was abandoned May 19th, Capt. Christiansen and crew being rescued by the Italian barque *Genatas*, as previously reported.

— Only one trifling case for the Mayor's Court yesterday morning, in which judgment was suspended. Wm. Brown, colored, charged with insulting and threatening a police officer, was fined one dollar.

— The session of Wilson State Normal School, under the superintendency of Mr. S. Hassell, Principal of the well known Female Seminary in the State, begins June 15th and ends July 15th. Tuition free.

— Complaint is made that night soil is dumped on the causeways about midway the narrow strip of land between the tan house on the turnpike and the old plank road, only a short distance from the late residence of Mr. W. P. Canaday, much to the annoyance of persons travelling on both roads, as well as people living not far off.

Daily Weather Bulletin.

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 3.00 P. M. yesterday, Washington mean time, and also the amount of rainfall in inches for the twenty-four hours ending daily at 8 P. M., except Tuesday, when it is 48 hours, as furnished by Sergeant James W. Watson, Signal Officer at this Station:

	Tem.	R. F.	Weather.
Atlanta	84	.00	Clear
Augusta	89	.00	Fair
Charleston	87	.00	Clear
Charlotte	72	.03	Lt rain
Corsicana	86	.00	Clear
Galveston	85	.00	Fair
Havana	86	.00	Cloudy
Indianola	87	.00	Fair
Jacksonville	90	.00	Fair
Key West	83	.00	Fair
Montgomery	81	.07	Cloudy
Punta Rassa	86	.00	Fair
Savannah	87	.00	Fair
Wilmington	84	.00	Fair
Cedar Keys	85	.00	Fair
Pensacola	86	.00	Fair

The following are the indications for the South Atlantic States to-day:

Colder, partly cloudy weather, with local rains and winds mostly southwesterly, and higher barometer.

Harbor Master's Report.

From Capt. Jos. Price, Harbor Master, we have the following report of the arrival of vessels at this port, &c., for the month of May:

AMERICAN.

Steamers	5	4,879
Brigs	4	986
Schooners	12	2,334
Total	20	6,423

FOREIGN.

Barques	12	4,424
Brigs	6	1,690
Total	20	6,423
Total vessels	38	12,521 tons.

Foreign Exports.

The Danish brig *Second of April* was cleared from this port on Tuesday, for Bristol, England, by Messrs. A. Sprunt & Son, with 300 casks spirits turpentine and 1,611 barrels of rosin; and yesterday the Norwegian barque *Agatha*, for Cronstadt, Russia, by Messrs. Butterfield, Downing & Co., with 3,061 barrels of rosin, and the German barque *Anna*, for London, by Messrs. Paterson, Downing & Co., with 3,484 barrels of rosin.

Criminal Court.

The following cases were disposed of in this Court yesterday:

State vs. Ellen Shepherd, charged with a nuisance. Jaror withdrawn and a mistrial announced.

State vs. Ellen Shepherd, charged with a nuisance. Defendant found not guilty.

State vs. Jesse Hines, charged with larceny. Jury out.

THE MAIL ROBBERY CASE.

Examination of One of the Arrested Parties.

The case of George W. Blaney, colored, charged with robbing the mail, mention of which was made in yesterday's paper, came up for preliminary examination before United States Commissioner McQuigg yesterday morning, Hon. D. L. Russell representing the Government.

Col. E. R. Brink, postmaster, was first put upon the stand, and testified to substantially the same state of facts as we gave in our account of the affair yesterday, no other evidence of importance being elicited.

The defendant, George W. Blaney, was then told by the Court, as well as by the counsel for the Government, that he could testify or not—it would be left with him to do as he pleased in the matter. He desired to be put upon the stand, and was thereupon sworn, and testified substantially as follows: On the 28th of May I went home to breakfast and returned afterwards to the office. Sam Kornegay told me that he had a letter he wanted me to answer for him. I asked him then what was it? He said never mind what it was, that I had always been writing his letters for him, and that I could come on and write it for him as once. I went up stairs in the railroad office and got pen and ink and went in the room and commenced to write the letter at his request, which was addressed to Geo. W. Wright, at Marion, S. C. This letter was signed by Sam. I told him, after he began to tell me what to put in it, that I did not want to write any such letter. Sam signed the name "A. Pope" to the letter. I asked him where was the letter he wanted me to answer? He said he had torn it up and burned it. He went down stairs and got a large envelope and wrote the name "A. Pope" on the back of it, and put a round mark in between "A. Pope" and "Wilmington;" then told me to look out for it, and when it came back through the mail to give it to him. This envelope was put in the letter sent to Mr. Wright. He told me to put the round mark on the envelope so we would know it when it came back. I did not put in the round mark, and so he put it in himself. I came to the postoffice yesterday for the railroad mail, and the first letter that I saw was this marked envelope. I took it out of the box with the mail and went from the postoffice across the street first, and then went up to the railroad office. When I got up there I carried the mail and put it on the table where I always put all of the mail. I then took that letter in the marked envelope and gave it to Sam Kornegay. Then I left him and went on home to breakfast. When I came back Sam was sitting in Mr. Emerson's window, and came down the steps and met me at the foot of the steps, saying, "Let's go down stairs." He then took the letter out of his pocket and held it up and said: "George, I don't know no more what is in this letter than you do, and if you never will say anything about it I will not break my breath about it." He then tore the letter open and counted two hundred and sixty-five dollars, and gave me one hundred and thirty dollars, and took the balance and put it in his pocket. I did not see any letter in the inside of the envelope. Sam tore the envelope up. We both came up the steps then, and he told me that Mr. Emerson sent down there for me. I started on up to Mr. Emerson's house and met him. He told me to go down to Mr. Post and ask him for a way-bill for a vegetable case. I then went on from Mr. Emerson's up to my mother's and pulled out the money that I had (the $130) and gave it to her to keep for me. I came on back to the office, and went from the office down to Mr. Post's on the errand Mr. Emerson sent me; returned and went up in the railroad office and told Mr. Emerson, and then came down stairs and went around and sat down in the office window. Sam and myself were both sitting there; and in a little while after that Col. Brink and Col. Klein came and arrested me. At the time I was arrested Sam had his money in the side pocket of his coat.

This closed the testimony, and Commissioner McQuigg required the defendant to furnish bond in the sum of $300, failing in which he was remanded to jail to await his trial at the November term of the U. S. District Court.

The case of Sam Kornegay will be heard this morning, at 10 o'clock, Mr. F. H. Darby being counsel for the prisoner.

The following is the portion of the statute concerning this case:

Any person who shall take from or out of any Post Office, any letter or packet; any person who shall take the mail, or any letter or packet therefrom, or from any Post Office, with or without the consent of the person having the custody thereof, and open, embezzle or destroy any such letter, which shall contain any bank note or any other article of value, shall, although not employed in the postal service, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Persimon.

It is frequently asked "why is not the site of the old market house paved?" It certainly should be, and at once, since used as it is the place has become one of the filthiest spots in the city. The trash and sweepings from the fish carts are dumped in the mud and covered over, producing a most unwholesome odor in that vicinity, especially after nightfall. In the appropriations of the city for this fiscal year, as published in the STAR of April 16th, appeared an item of $300 for paving this space, and it should be done.

Accident on the River—One Man Drowned—Narrow Escape of Two Others.

Yesterday afternoon, about half past 1 o'clock, Mr. J. O. Bowden, his son, Mr. L. Tate Bowden, and a colored man named Thomas Howard, were crossing the river from the east side to Point Peter, with the intention of visiting Mr. Bowden's distillery, when the sudden storm came up which struck the city about that time, accompanied by a severe gust of wind, which struck their boat, which had an awning over it at the time, and capsized it, leaving the inmates struggling in the now seething waters. Mr. Tate Bowden assisted his father until the old gentleman told him to look out for himself, that he would cling to the boat, when he struck out for a raft projecting in the river about one hundred and fifty yards up the stream, going with the current, and in the meantime the colored man was making for several rafts lying nearly opposite on the Point Peter side of the river. Mr. Tate Bowden succeeded in reaching the raft in safety, though in as nearly an exhausted a condition that he was unable to stand upon his feet for some time, but the colored man, Howard, after swimming manfully for some distance, finally gave out and sank to rise no more in life. Mr. J. O. Bowden continued to cling to the boat until it reached the shore and landed in safety, though also quite exhausted.

Thomas Howard, the unfortunate man who was drowned, was about 33 years old, and married. He had been in the employ of Mr. Bowden for a long time and enjoyed the confidence of his employer.

The Forgery Case.

The case of Francis Metteway (not Wedway, as we had it yesterday), charged with forgery, was called up for preliminary examination before Justice Gardner yesterday morning. It seems that on Saturday evening last he sent a colored boy to Mr. Antone Silvia's store with an order for a peck of meal, six pounds of flour, nine pounds of meat and one block of soda, to which the name of Clark Haynes, colored, was attached. Mr. Silvia would have filled the order without hesitation, as Haynes was in the habit of trading with him, and he had never seen his handwriting, but for the fact that Haynes had been there that morning and got a supply of groceries, except flour, and made the remark upon leaving that he could do better in that line elsewhere. Haynes's mother-in-law also came into the store about that time and said he had already got all he wanted in the way of groceries. The boy identified Metteway as the party who gave him the order, and Haynes testified that the order was a forgery. There was other corroborative testimony, and at the close of the investigation Metteway, who is an old offender, was ordered to give a justified bond in the sum of $100 for his appearance at the present term of the Criminal Court, in default of which he was locked up.

A Wilmington Colored Boy Accidentally Drowned at Point Caswell.

While some colored boys were in bathing at Point Caswell, Pender county, on Monday evening, one of them, named Henry Farmer, about 16 years old, was accidentally drowned. It seems, according to our informant, Mr. J. R. Paddison, that he was in the middle of the river, and as it was known that he could swim no particular attention was paid to him, until some of the other boys noticed that he was sinking. They then immediately went to his assistance, but in the meantime he had disappeared and they could find no traces of him, and up to Tuesday when the steamer *John Dawson* left for this city the body had not been recovered. He lived in Wilmington, both of his parents being dead, and had been at Point Caswell about a week, engaged with several others in gathering pine straw.

Postponement.

The excursion of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday School, advertised for Friday, June 3d, (to-morrow) has been postponed to Friday, June 10th.

— The quarter-boards of the schr. *Charlie Morton* were picked up at New Inlet on Monday morning, together with several other pieces of a wreck, supposed to come from the *Charlie Morton*. The New York *Herald* of the 31st of May, says the schr. *Charlie Morton*, of Lubec, Me., went ashore on Cape Point on the 27th of May. Her rigging, cargo, etc., were reported gone when she struck.

CITY ITEMS.

A RARE BARGAIN.—A well established and prosperous Weekly Newspaper, located in a thriving, growing town on the line of a prominent Railroad, is offered for sale. Terms easy. For terms and particulars apply to the editor of this paper.

WOMAN'S WISDOM.—She insists that it is more important that her family shall be kept in full health than that she should have all the fashionable dresses and styles of the times. She therefore sees to it that each member of the family is supplied with enough Hop Bitters, at the first appearance of any symptoms of ill health, to prevent a fit of sickness with the attendant expense, care and anxiety. All women should exercise their wisdom in this way.—New Haven Palladium.

WHO IS MRS. WINSLOW?—As this question is frequently asked, we will simply say that she is a lady who for upwards of forty years has untiringly devoted her time and talents as a Female Physician and nurse, principally among children. She has especially studied the constitution and wants of this numerous class, and, as a result of this effort, and practical knowledge obtained in a lifetime spent as nurse and physician, she has compounded a Soothing Syrup for children, teething. It operates like magic—giving rest and health, and is moreover sure to regulate the bowels. In consequence of this article Mrs. Winslow is becoming world renowned as a benefactor of the race; children certainly do rise up and call her blessed; in this the cause is full duly. Vast quantities of the Soothing Syrup are DAILY sold and used here. We think Mrs. Winslow has immortalized her name by this invaluable article, and we sincerely believe thousands of children have been saved from an early grave by its timely use, and millions yet unborn will share its benefits, and unite in calling her blessed. No mother has discharged her duty to her suffering little one, in our opinion, until she has given it the benefit of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Try it, mothers—25c. is now.—*Ladies' Visitor*, New York city. Sold by all Druggists. 25 cents a bottle.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

One Square one day $1 00
" " two days 1 50
" " three days 2 00
" " one week 3 00
" " two weeks 5 00
" " three weeks 6 00
" " one month 10 00
" " two months 17 00
" " three months 25 00
" " six months 40 00
" " One year 70 00

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M. CRONLY, Auctioneer.

BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Auction Sale.

ON THURSDAY, JUNE 2D, 1881, at Exchange Corner, we will sell at Auction, all the STORE FIXTURES contained therein, consisting of

7 Glass Show Cases,
2 Glass Wall Cases, with shelves and drawers,
1 Glass Wall Case, with all shelves,
1 Desk Tables, with drawers,
2 Provision or Marble Top Counters,
1 Large Mirror, 1 Double Mirror,
2 Brass Safety Lamps, and 1 Clock.

By order of H. P. HALL, Assignee.

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Postponement.

THE EXCURSION OF ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN Sunday School advertised for Friday, June 3rd, has been postponed until Friday, June 10th. All Tickets purchased for the original date will of course be good for the changed day, Friday, June 10. je 2 1t PASTOR.

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