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Table with 2 columns: Description of advertising rates and prices per square.

Gen. Leslie Combs died at Lexington, Ky., Monday. Warner & Merritt's fruit warehouse, Philadelphia, burned; loss over \$200,000.

New Orleans has been very prosperous all summer. Cause, there is no yellow fever and the health of the city has been good.

It is thought that Gambetta is elected by the skin of his teeth. It is regarded in Paris that the closeness of the vote is equivalent to a great defeat for him.

Prof. Chittenden, of the Sheffield Scientific School of New Haven, is now analyzing the stomach of the unfortunate Jennie Cramer.

Two negroes were killed near Savannah, Ga., on the 21st inst., in drunken row. A sailor fell from a second story window in the city and was killed.

Justus Schwab and other German Socialists in New York are in doubt as to who Hartmann is really. Schwab says he does not believe in the man and that he is trying to represent some one else.

Some are prophesying the defeat of Foster the Republican candidate for Governor in Ohio. We would rather see it done than read all the predictions that could be printed.

A negro boy in Macon county, Ga., killed Mr. Daniel Lee, Mrs. Lee, the cook, and wounded severely a negro girl, who recovered and told who was the perpetrator of all this devilishness.

Georgia is a dangerous State to live in. Mrs. J. N. Scroggins, living two miles from Rome, discovered a monster rattlesnake curled up on her bed.

The STAR of yesterday printed four columns of telegraphic news, set in solid Brevier type. If we had printed all we received for that issue it would have filled more than five columns.

The Northern papers are now referring to Leo Hartmann as a "pretended fiend." That is very cruel. If this thing keeps on in "free American" Leo will be surrendering himself to the Czar the next thing that the nihilists will know.

The negroes of Virginia have been organized completely in Mahone's interest. The campaign is waxing hot. The negroes can be always used by Radical leaders to subvert their ends.

The people now understand pretty clearly what they are to expect. The result of the deal Republican Conventions held at Lynchburg last week has decided the question of a 'straight-out' movement.

O'Donnovan Rossa is still on the war path. He talks very fiercely. According to him the secret Irish Council in session in New York resolved unanimously on blowing up British ships in British ports.

"This will be the last until you shall hear of something that will startle not only England but Europe. When that shall come to pass we may have occasion to hold a more important session."

Unofficial Bulletin: There is no material change in the condition of Dr. Bliss. He has talked 94 ounces of nonsensical nourishment by the mouth to the attending newspaper reporters.

Spirits Turpentine. A large majority of the visitors at Buffalo Springs are North Carolinians. The Fall session of the University of North Carolina will begin on the 25th inst.

Morganton Blade: About forty brassy distillers will commence operations soon in this county. Elizabeth City Carolinian: The cotton crop in the lower part of the county is reported as looking better than for a number of years.

The trustees of the Tarboro Female Academy advertised for a principal. Twenty-two applications were made. Mr. D. G. Gillespie, of Little Creek Academy, was chosen.

Winston Republican: Two distillers in Stokes county were burned last week, that of N. G. Westmoreland, near Germantown, and that of N. G. Samuels, near Wilson's Store.

man of the Messenger office, Mr. W. H. Collins has left us to engage in the mercantile business. The Goldboro Library Association is now making the necessary arrangements to afford its members the benefit of its institution.

Charlotte Observer: In the midst of one of the hard fought battles of the late war Gen. "Stone-wall" Jackson noticed a battery of the enemy, stationed in a conspicuous position, doing considerable damage to his men.

North Carolina furnished to the armies of the Confederacy no less than eighty-two regiments, ten battalions, and fourteen unattached companies, numbering altogether 123,000 men.

The Atlanta Constitution, Saturday, interviewed Mr. Peter M. Wilson, the secretary of our State Board of Agriculture, who is now on a visit to the "Gate City" for the purpose of making arrangements to have the cotton survey conducted at the exposition.

Salisbury Watchman: The warring ones during the contest are now strong. The report that one of our citizens got wounded in a duel at Warm Springs turns out to be false. There was no duel fought.

Oxford Free Lance: Capt. Wm. Biggs has purchased a large stock of machinery, and will have the new book store. Some preliminary work is being done on the Granville Railroad.

THE CITY. NAYASA GUANO CO.—For rent. S. G. NORTHROP—Bartlett pears. G. R. FRENCH & SON—For rent.

Major's Court. Mayor Smith, having somewhat recovered from his indisposition, held his levee yesterday morning, as usual. The first case called was that of Fanny Gore, a disolute damsel of the white persuasion, charged with being drunk and disorderly on the streets.

Receipts of cotton yesterday 21 bales. New moon this afternoon at 31 minutes past 3 o'clock.

There was quite a heavy rain on the hills Monday afternoon, and only a very light shower down town. We learn that the September regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club will take place on Friday, the 2d proximo.

Master Thomas R. Southerland, a son of Capt. T. J. Southerland, of this city, has received a handsome breech-loading shot-gun, awarded him at the late State Fair for being the best rider competing for the prize.

Col. A. Pope, General Passenger Agent of the Associated Railways of Virginia and the Carolinas, is chairman of the Transportation Committee of the Yorktown Centennial.

Temp. Rain fall. Weather. Atlanta..... 87 .00 Fair. August..... 90 .00 Cloudy.

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 3 P. M., except Tuesday, when it is 48 hours, as furnished by the Signal Officer of this city.

The following are the indications for the South Atlantic States to-day: Fair weather, stationary temperature, winds westerly northeasterly, and higher pressure.

Magistrate's Court. Marcia Merrick, colored, was before Justice Gardner, yesterday afternoon, on the affidavit of Margaret Ann Davis, also colored, charged with committing an assault upon her.

Remaining in the City Post Office, August 23, 1881, unclaimed: A—Emma Alexander, John Alexander. B—Thomas B. Barton, Philip A. G. Butler.

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Quarantine Board. The Quarantine Board met at Smithville yesterday, in regular session. All the members of the Board—Dr. W. G. Curtis, President, Dr. Thos. F. Wood, Secretary, and Dr. J. C. Walker—were present.

The steam-tug Douglas, which has been laid up for repairs for the past four or five weeks, has had her boiler thoroughly overhauled, well painted, etc., and had up steam yesterday afternoon for the first time since her rejuvenation.

Complimentary Excursion. Capt. J. W. Harper, of the steamer Passport, gave a complimentary fishing excursion to a number of the "old stagers," or frequent patrons of the boat, yesterday.

Federal Point Lighthouse Burned. Information was received from Smithville last night, through the Signal Office, that the lighthouse at Federal Point was destroyed by fire late yesterday afternoon.

Unmailable Matter. The following is the unmailable matter remaining in the city postoffice up to this date: Jane Harrison, Simpson's P. O., S. C.; Martha Thornton, Harrison Square, Md.; Adaline Monroe, Eldenboro, N. C.; white envelope, no address.

Ship Notice. ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY cautioned against trading or harboring any of the crew of the Swedish bark "FRITHIOF," Captain Aug. Smith, as no notice of their contracting will be paid by Captain or Agent.

Early Bartlett Pears. THE FIRST BARTLETT PEARS OF THE SEASON just received by Steamship Benefactor. Also, Lemons, Oranges, Cocos-nuts, Apples, &c., at 24 ct.

For Rent. From the 1st of October next, that large and commodious STORE, 3x20 feet, now occupied by Messrs. Lamb & Farnham.

For Rent. We offer one of those desirable BRICK HOUSES, on Dock Street, between 4th and 5th Streets, for rent from October 1st.

Buy Your SCHOOL BOOKS, SCHOOL STATIONERY. Falcon Pens, Gillott Pens, Spencerian Pens. Faber's Lead Pencils, Dixon's Lead Pencils, at HAINSBARGER'S.

The Concert at Wrightsville. Capt. E. W. Manning's beautiful place at Wrightsville was thronged last night with the residents on the Sound and quite a number of people from the city, who had gathered to hear the concert given by the Arion Quartette Club by special invitation.

By the direction of the Vice Consul a survey was held yesterday on the British barque Liss Oak, on account of some slight damage received in coming up to this port, the surveying party consisting of Capt. George Smith, of the British brigantine Economy, Capt. Samuel Pevey, of the British brig Erma, and Capt. J. F. Gilbert, Surveyor for the Lloyds.

WICKED FOR CLEMENCY.—Rev. Mr. Washington, D. C., writes before us that he had long and even wicked for clerymen or other public men to be led into giving testimonials to quack doctors or to other charlatans.

THE EVILS THAT ATTEND SUCCESS.—Success generally creates envy—envy begets hatred—hatred gives place to malice—malice prompts to mischief, and so the baneful list goes on, followed by crime and wrong doing.

THE FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE OF THE NURSERY.—The following is an extract from a letter written to the "German Reform" by Mrs. A. B. WINSLOW, of New York, N. Y.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Wreck Sale. ON FRIDAY, 26th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., we will sell at our Office, South Water Street, the Hull, Stern, Standing Rigging and one Anchor and Chain of the Schr. T. D. Murray, 44 7/10 tons, as she lies on the Shoal, west side of the channel, about New Inlet, and at same time and place we will sell all Bales, Blocks, Running Rigging and other articles saved from said vessel.

Excursion to the Sound. THERE WILL BE AN EXCURSION TO THE "Seaside," on Wednesday, August 24th, 1881. The Oak Grove will be free for all. Music will be furnished by the Harpers. Amusement for all, such as sailing, fishing, bathing and dancing.

Tuning and Repairing Pianos. JOSEPH DENCO, FROM COLUMBIA, S. C., will remain in Wilmington a few weeks. He is a First Class Tuner, in the Professional Schools of Law and Engineering. He has a large stock of new and second hand Pianos. Orders left at Heintzberg's Book Store will meet with prompt attention.

Notice. PROF. N. SCHMITZ, a thorough and complete TUNER AND REPAIRER OF PIANOS AND ORGANS. Highest testimonials from Schools and citizens of Georgia, North and South Carolina as a First Class Tuner, in the Professional Schools of Law and Engineering. He has a large stock of new and second hand Pianos. Orders left at Heintzberg's Book and Music Store will receive prompt attention.

Teachers' Home Agency. ALL PERSONS WHO WISH GOOD TEACHERS, and all Teachers who wish Good Positions, and all Young Men and Women who desire to make themselves useful in the world, should apply to the Teachers' Home Agency, No. 111 W. 11th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Duke of Argyle. Brown & Roddick. 45 Market Street. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A NEW LOT of the above GENTS' LINEN COLLARS (our New Style). Can give you all sizes from 14 to 19 inches.

L. S. L. NEXT DRAWING OF THE Louisiana State Lottery. TAKES PLACE SEPTEMBER 15. PRIZES FROM \$100 to \$30,000. Price, Whole tickets, \$2 00, Half \$1 00. Address Lock Box 27, Wilmington, N. C.

Dividend Notice. NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD CO., SECRETARY & TREASURER'S OFFICE. COMPANY STORES, N. C., Aug. 10, 1881.

PURCELL HOUSE, UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT. Wilmington, N. C. B. L. PERRY, Proprietor. First Class in all its appointments. Terms \$2.50 to \$3.00 per day.

Ten Days More OF A. DAVID'S GRAND CLOSING OUT AND GIFT SALE. (Goods given away) for a nominal price. To prove our prices are so low that we can dare refuse the Bargains offered, we state that on July 15th Stock on Hand over 900 Suits; August 15th, 279 Suits. The above is conclusive that prices were in Clothing. A rare chance to now offered and should not be lost. Come early and secure one of the few Suits on hand.

Headquarters FOR SCHOOL BOOKS ADOPTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION. HAINSBARGER'S. Live Book and Music Store.