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OUTLINES.

President Garfield did not rest well Saturday night and vomited twice; his general symptoms were better, however, on Monday, and his surgeons thought he had lost no ground; he will be removed to Long Branch to-day. Governors of various States acquiesced in the arrangement proposed by Gov. Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, and have issued proclamations for the observance of Tuesday as a day of prayer for the restoration of the President; the Governor of Massachusetts appointed Thursday as the day, and the Governor of Arkansas, while approving of the suggestion, had heretofore set apart the 14th of July, which had been duly observed in that State. The census of Idaho shows a population of 252,500,000. The reported massacre of Gen Carr and his command is denied; only Capt. Heilig and about a dozen enlisted men were killed. The boiler of a steam threshing machine exploded, at Paok, Ill., killing six men and one woman. The tax collector of Houston, Texas, is a defaulter for \$100,000; suit has been brought. The Texas & Pacific railroad is complete to within 188 miles of El Paso. Little headway made against the strikers in New Orleans; no acts of violence reported. Fifteen persons killed and many wounded by a railroad accident near Missiles, France. Dr. Howard, Quarantine Physician of Baltimore, was accidentally drowned yesterday. New York markets: Money 2 1/2 per cent; cotton steady at 12 1/2 to 12 3/4; southern flour dull and unchanged at \$5 25 to \$5 50; wheat, No. 1, \$1 05 to \$1 10; corn, No. 2, 12 1/2 to 13; sugar, No. 1, 11 to 12; spirits, No. 1, 40 to 45; rosin, No. 1, 20 to 25; turpentine, No. 1, 20 to 25.

Spirits Turpentine

Goldboro's cotton receipts last season were \$3,000,000. We said Mr. Hussey would make the Greenboro Patriot better than ever before. He has done that in his second issue. Warrenton Gazette: It affords a real pleasure to say that the STAR is an ornament to journalism and an honor to North Carolina. Elizabeth City Carolinian: The life-saving stations on our coast reopened last week, when the bravest men resumed their perilous duties. Farrington, who has been on trial for several days in Charlotte, charged with the murder of Harper, was acquitted Saturday, as we learn from the Observer. Mr. James E. Clayton will send from the Central Copper mine a 1,400-pound lump of fine copper, Greenboro Patriot. Does this mean he will send it to Atlanta? STAN. Reidsville Times: Durn a railroad. More wagons. More wagons. We want the next party convention held in an old field a hundred miles away from a bar of railroad iron, and the delegates to attend on horseback. Warrenton News: The colored people are much alarmed and many of them confidently expect judgment on the near future. Their ministers are engaged in preaching to them, and tell them the drought is an unmistakable sign of it. Rockingham Spirit: Our town is to have street lamps and the white and colored town committees are to be properly notified. Man Rachon, aged about twenty-two years, died in this neighborhood last Saturday, after a lingering illness, of consumption. Pittsboro Record: One month ago now it sold here at 75 cents a bushel, and now it is scarce at \$1.35, and will be much higher if course there will be much suffering during the coming winter. The corner-stone of the new court house will be laid this afternoon. It will be the same corner-stone that was in the old court house. Oxford Free Lance: On Saturday last little Charlie, the son of Mr. R. O. Gregory, near Sumner, E. Fla., caught a German carp in his father's pond, which measured 16 inches in length and 6 1/2 inches in width. These fish were obtained from Mr. Stephen G. Worth, the North Carolina Fish Commissioner, and placed in the pond about the middle of the month, measuring not quite two inches. Tarboro Southern: The steam saw and grist mill of Outlaw & Cherry, located about three miles from Coleraine, blew up last week, scalding the engineer, Wm. Haggard, badly, and slightly injuring several others. Dr. M. H. Haggard says Haggard is in a very critical condition, and expresses doubts as to his recovery. The mill is almost a total wreck. It blew off for yards from where it was standing. Elizabeth City Economist: F. M. Godfrey, of Newburg, one of the county commissioners of this county, fell from a cart loaded with lumber, on last Saturday morning, and broke his thigh. The injury is regarded as serious. In excavating "Chester's Hill," in grading the Elizabeth City & Norfolk Railroad, at Elenton, some human bones were dug up, supposed to be Indian skeletons. New Berne News: The Midland Company has given out the contract for building a large platform at Goldsboro for the convenience of handling cotton and other freights. It will be some 150 feet long, running back near 600 feet. The new tax for President Ben's excursion from Goldsboro to Morehead City went up last evening. They are said to be the handsomest train of cars that ever passed over the Atlantic road. Statesville Landmark: Mr. Casper Kinder, of Turnersburg township, last spring sowed three bushels of the red rust proof oats, and this summer threshed out forty bushels. This is a fine specimen of the machine sows that that in their own town they will subscribe the magnificent sum of \$50,000 to aid in their construction and equipment. We also understand that Mr. Kinder proposes to utilize the above here and to add to their size and efficiency as the work on the line progresses. Most of the life-saving stations on the Atlantic coast will be manned on September 1st, and the remainder during that month. The stations will be kept open till May 1st, 1882. Raleigh News-Observer: There were two big fights Friday night, and yesterday warrants were issued for a number of persons. Some negroes over in East Raleigh had a regular battle. The receipts of cotton in this market during the year, from September 1, 1880, to August 31, 1881, were 19,783 bales. The number of cases of sickness in the city at present, we learn from the County Superintendent of Health, is above the average at this season. There has been some changes in the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue. W. H. Martin has been promoted deputy at large, James H. Harris, colored, taking his place as clerk. John R. O'Neal, J. L. Pennington and Q. Young have been appointed special deputies. The Board of Pharmacy has been in session here the past week. The board had 370 applications for license as druggists; one application only appeared for registration, this one being Dr. S. C. Conway, of Wilson. He was thoroughly examined and passed. The members of the board were also made licentiates in pharmacy. Many druggists in towns having under 500 population have become members of the association, though not required to do so. Yesterday afternoon, while at work on the roof of the new dwelling of Mr. H. R. Wright, on Jones street, near Salisbury, T. J. Casey, white, a carpenter, became giddy and fell. In his descent he struck a stairway with such force as to break part of a rail. When picked up he was unconscious and remained in that state for nearly an hour. It was found that his collar bone was broken and that he was bruised about the head and shoulders. The many friends of Lieut. Henry R. Lamy, U. S. A., now in charge of the military academy at Beaufort, United States, Columbia, South America, will be pleased to learn that he has been promoted to a colonel in the Columbian army and director-general of the military academy. [Lieut. L. is a native of Salem in this State, STAN.]

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS: WANTED-A ROOM. OTTERBOURNE-A few truths. CHICAGO SCALE CO.-Scales. WANTED-Board for a child. MUXSON-Merchandise for sale. PROCLAMATION-Prayer for President. Local Notes: Receipts of cotton yesterday 127 bales. Gen. J. H. Lane left last evening for his new field of labor in Missouri. Let our country friends raise all the potatoes and turnips they can, so as to supply somewhat the deficiency in the corn crop. The Board of Audit and Finance, at their regular meeting yesterday afternoon, raised the pay of the street hands to \$5 per week. Mr. M. K. Crawford, our Traveling Agent, will be in attendance at Wilson Court this week. We trust our subscribers who may see him will be ready to settle. A small colored boy named Joe Smith was arrested and locked up in the guard house, yesterday afternoon, for fighting on the streets, but was subsequently released with a warning. The laborers on the lighters and on the City Water Works struck for higher wages yesterday; the former for 25 cents and the latter for 65 cents. The former was refused and the latter rejected. Prayer for rain was offered during the regular services at one of our churches, and at an informal meeting at another, if no more, and yesterday this section was visited by a fine shower. The Norwegian barque Stanley, Capt. Gohsen, was cleared from this port for Hamburg, yesterday, by Messrs. E. G. Barker & Co., with 800 casks spirits turpentine and 2531 barrels of rosin. Dr. E. Porter, who was in the city yesterday, reports the cotton crop of Pender badly damaged, with not over a half crop probable, but says there will be a fair crop of corn, especially in the lowlands. Lots of goods were shipped by our merchants last week, indicating a good fall trade, notwithstanding the advance in prices of some articles and the severe drought and short crops in some sections. All that remained of the late David S. Sanders was consigned to his last resting place at his late residence at Rocky Run, in this county, on Sunday morning last, Rev. W. H. Hill, of the Topical Circuit, Methodist E. Church, South, officiating. Daily Weather Bulletin: The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 8.00 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:

PRAYERS FOR THE PRESIDENT.

Proclamation from Governor Jarvis-Services To-Day. In accordance with a recommendation from the Governor of Pennsylvania, Governor Jarvis has issued his proclamation calling upon the Christian people of the State to meet at their respective places of worship to-day, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock for the purpose of uniting in prayer for the recovery of the President of the United States from the terrible sufferings which he has undergone for the last two months, from a wound inflicted by the hands of a heartless assassin, and for his speedy restoration to the career of honor and usefulness to which his countrymen had so recently called him. The proclamation of Governor Jarvis, which was only issued Sunday, owing to the shortness of time given him, was intended to have been read to the various congregations of our city churches that night, but was not received here until 9.45 P. M., at which hour the evening services had been concluded. Mayor Smith, whose proclamation accompanies that of the Governor, as will be seen by reference to our advertising columns this morning, had the pastors of the various churches in this city notified of the wishes of the Governor, and the indications are that they will be very generally respected. The following notices of services have been handed in: Services at Front Street M. E. Church at 11 A. M. to-day. Rev. E. A. Yates, D. D., Pastor. Services at Fifth Street M. E. Church at 10 A. M. to-day. Rev. T. Page Ricard, Pastor. Services of prayer, etc., at the Second Presbyterian Church, this day at 10 A. M. Rev. O. M. Payne, Pastor. St. Thomas' Catholic Church: At 10 A. M., this day, public services will be held for the recovery of the health of the President of the United States. Rev. Mark S. Gross, Pastor. Services at the First Baptist church at 11 A. M., in accordance with the Governor's proclamation. Rev. J. B. Taylor, pastor. Services in the English language at St. Paul's Lutheran church at 11 o'clock A. M. Rev. G. D. Bernheim, D. D., pastor. Services at the Jewish Temple of Israel at 11 A. M., by Rabbi Mendelssohn. In response to the proclamation of the Governor of the State there will be a joint service of the congregations of St. James, St. Paul's and St. John's churches, at St. James' church, this morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. A. Watson, D. D., Rev. T. M. Ambler, Rev. T. D. Pitts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Synopsis of Proceedings in Regular Session. The Board of Aldermen met in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock; present, Aldermen Huggins, Bowden, Alderman Worth, Northrop, Chadbourne and Telfair. His Honor, Mayor Smith, being sick, on motion of Alderman Northrop, Alderman Huggins was requested to act as Mayor pro tem during the Mayor's absence. Various committees were granted further time. Alderman Worth made application for a gas lamp corner of Nutt and Mulberry streets, and, on recommendation of the chairman of the committee on Lights, the lamp was ordered placed. On motion, the Chief of Police was instructed to advertise, by hand-bill, sections 12, article 5, and sections 5 and 7, article 13, of the General Ordinances of the city, and notify all parties interested that he is instructed to enforce the same. The Chief of Police was allowed to grant permits to vendors of peanuts, apples &c., under certain restrictions. The Chief of Police was instructed to enforce the ordinance against cattle running at large on and after the 15th of September. Application from Geo. Honnet for the erection of a wooden building corner of Front and Nin streets, was referred to committee on Fire Department. A petition from street hands for increase of pay was referred to the Finance committee, with power to act upon concurrence of the Board of Audit and Finance. Application from Mr. Loeb, to erect steps on Princess street, was referred to committee on Streets and Wharves. Alderman W. H. Chadbourne offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted: Resolved, That we deem it eminently proper that a time should be set apart for supplications for the recovery of our Chief Magistrate that the gloom which has pervaded this country for the past two months in the critical condition of our President invokes the deepest contrition of spirit, as his ultimate recovery would be had with the intensest joy of every American citizen; and that his present ameliorated state, snatched as he has been from the jaws of death, is an exceeding great cause for thanksgiving, and an incentive to prayer for his continued improvement and final restoration to health. Resolved, That our merchants and business men be requested to close their places of business between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 M. on the 6th inst., and that the citizens generally are requested to repair to their respective places of worship, in accordance with the proclamation of the Governor. The Board then adjourned, to meet at the call of the Mayor. Accidentally Drowned. A rumor, which prevailed to some extent in this city on Saturday, to the effect that a fireman belonging on the steamer Clinton had been drowned, proves to be correct. The accident happened on Friday, the steamer being at the time about twenty miles up the river en route for Bannerman's Bridge. Deceased, whose name was Henry Lucas, was sitting on the rail on the forward part of the boat, when he fell asleep, tumbled over a flat in his fall, and was never seen to come to the surface again. He was so stunned by the blow he received in striking the flat, as is supposed, that he paid no attention to efforts that were made to save him, as he went down with a coil of rope almost in his grasp, which had been thrown him by the men on the boat. A little boy was sitting by his side at the time and gave the alarm, when every possible effort was made to save him, but without avail. Deceased was a resident of Wilmington, where he was well known and much respected by the colored people. His body has been recovered by Emanuel Nichols and others, of this city, who went to search for it, and the same parties have made the necessary arrangement for the interment of the remains, which were in such a condition as not to warrant their removal to this city. He was between 35 and 40 years of age and leaves a wife and five children. Mayor's Court. His Honor, Mayor Smith, being indisposed, Alderman Huggins was called upon as Acting Mayor to hold the usual morning levee. The first cases called were those of Isaac N. Kelley, Judy Ann Hunter and Polly Williams, all colored, who were arrested by Officer Nelson for acting disorderly in the "Hollow" on Sunday afternoon, about half-past 8 o'clock. Judy Ann Hunter, who is an old acquaintance in police circles, was not only tipsy, but horribly profane withal, and proving herself a nuisance to the neighborhood, for which indisputable proceedings she was ordered to pay a fine of \$15 or be locked up in the city prison for thirty days. Kelly, who was only somewhat tipsy and having a little fun at the expense of Judy, though his conduct acted as a stimulant to the latter's reckless demoralization, was discharged. Polly Williams, who was not drunk, but rather disorderly, also incited the policeman, for which latter indiscretion, mainly, she was sent below for thirty days. Georgiana Gause, colored, arrested by Officer Lathan for drunkenness and disorderly conduct on Dickinson's Hill, Saturday night, was required to fork over \$5 or go below for ten days. Magistrate's Court. Annie Wade, colored, had a hearing before Justice Millis, yesterday, charged with committing assault and battery upon Charlotte Johnson, also colored, and judgment was suspended upon the payment of costs. Phoebe Johnson was next arraigned for assault and battery upon Annie Wade, and he same judgment was rendered.

TRAM RAILS.

The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows: CLOSE. Northern through mails, fast, Northern through and way mails, 5:30 P. M. Raleigh, 5:40 A. M. Mails for the N. C. Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom, including A. & N. C. Railroad, at, and intermediate Southern mails for all points South, daily, 5:40 A. M. Western mails (C. O. Ry) daily (except Sunday), 9:00 A. M. Mail for Chesaw & Darlington Railroad, 7:45 P. M. Mails for points between Fayetteville and Charlotte, Fayetteville, and off-connection Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays, 1:00 P. M. Fayetteville, via Lumberton, daily, except Sundays, 9:00 A. M. Wrightsville, daily except Sundays, 8:30 A. M. Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices, Mondays and Thursdays, 6:00 A. M. Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily (except Sundays) Mail for Deep River, Little Creek, Shallotte and Little River, Mondays and Thursdays, 6:00 A. M. Wilmington and Black River Chapel, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 5:00 A. M. OPEN FOR DELIVERY. Northern through and way mails, 7:30 A. M. Southern mails, 8:00 P. M. and 7:30 A. M. Carolina Central Railroad, 4:00 P. M. Wrightsville, 6:30 P. M. Mails collected from street boxes every day at 4:00 P. M. Stamps for sale in small quantities at general delivery when stamp office is closed. Great Discoveries. The astronomer who finds a new star, the scientist who finds a new face, and the geologist who lights upon a new species of fossil, become deservedly famous; but the actual good such discoveries do is nothing when compared to the finding of a medicine which is an infallible cure for certain diseases. Such a discovery was made almost a half a century ago by an Eastern gentleman named Perry Davis, and his preparation is now known to the world as PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER. It is a sure cure for Diarrhea, Cramps, Cholera, Morbus, Cholera, and, indeed, all bowel complaints. IS IT POSSIBLE that a remedy made of such common, simple plants as Hop, Hops, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., makes so many and such marvellous and wonderful cures as Hop Bitters does? It must be, for when old and young, rich and poor, Father and Mother, Lawyer and Editor, all testify to having been cured by it, we must believe and doubt no longer. See another column. -Post. THIRTY YEARS' EXPERIENCE OF AN OLD NURSE.-Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best Female Physicians and Nurses in the United States, and has been used for thirty years with never-failing safety and success by millions of mothers and children from the feeble infant of one week old to the adult. It cures colic of the stomach, relieves wind, teething, quiets the bowels, and gives rest, health and comfort to mother and child. We believe it the best and most beneficial medicine in the world, in all cases of DYSENTERY and DIARRHEA IN CHILDREN. Mothers and Nurses, be sure you get the genuine. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None Genuine unless the face-facsimile of OURS and PERRY'S is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. 25 cents a bottle.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE. WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY EVENINGS, AND THURSDAY MATINEE, SEPT. 7 & 8. ANTHONY, ELLIS & HATHAWAY'S MEASTIC CONSOLIDATED AGGREGATION. FOUR UNITED SHOWS. Havel's Newly Hatched Humpty Dumpty. Misses' Social Society and International Company. The Great Parker-Ross International Mastodon Dog Show. Gray & Manning's Musical Congress. Sedwih! The East India Princess and Fire Works. Grand Gratitude Street Parade at 11.45 A. M. Seats at 1000. E. corner Front and Princess. Price of Admission, \$1.00, 50 cts and 25 cts. Doors open at 7:30. Performance at 8 o'clock. Matinee on Thursday, 50 and 25 cents to all parts of the house. sept 6 1/2. Truths Worthy of Remembrance. FIRST-OTTERBOURNE'S ABILITY TO CARRY a larger and more varied stock of Ready Made Clothing and Furnishing Goods than any House in this city. Second-The rapid and perpetual growth of Otterbourne's trade-a fact which is exciting public comment, and an honor worthy of exclamation. Third-That Otterbourne, being young in years, is better calculated to make choice selections as regards style, color, and finish, than an older person, who naturally adheres to Revolutionary time principles. Otterbourne's Clothing experience of fifteen years has made him an adept as far as quality and durability are concerned. Fourth-That Otterbourne being qualified to pay cash down for every dollar's worth of goods bought, he can offer better quality of goods than those who are not thus qualified. Fifth-Otterbourne claims to have (and the community cordially believes) the largest and best adapted building for his business in North Carolina. Plenty of light, and ample ventilation, and the most modern machinery, nobody need be deceived by the useless shade commonly thrown on goods by useless show windows. Otterbourne stands the test of a forty foot open front. Sixth-Otterbourne is now in New York; will remain one month-a fact of no consequence in itself-but of great importance to a scrupulous trader, as he will derive the most adapted building to the personal supervision of the manufacture into Clothing of his imported Fine Cloths and Cassimeres. Men's Wear Depot. 22, 24, 26 and 28 North Front Street, sept 6 1/2. We Exhibit This Week ON OUR MERCHANT TAILORING TABLES, An elegant assortment of English and Scotch Cassimeres, Casser Beavers, Broad Cloths, Doe-bags, Blue and Green (in all grades, shades and colors). Make your selections now. MUNSON, 22, 24, 26 and 28 North Front Street, sept 6 1/2. CHICAGO SCALE CO. 700 lb. Cotton Beam and Frame, \$45; 200 lb. Cotton Scales, \$40; 4 Ton, \$60; The Little Digger, \$3. Send for Price List. sept 6 1/2. Mrs. Laura Rothwell WILL REOPEN HER SCHOOL, FOR BOYS OF ten and under ten years, at her residence, opposite City Hall, on September 13th. Miss MARY BETHWELL will open a School for GIRLS, at the same place, on Monday, 3d October, sept 6 1/2. Season Closing. THE SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE IS NEAR its end, and what goods we have left to this season we will sell at marvellously LOW PRICES. Fall stock coming in. Stoves of all grades, shades and prices from \$1.00 to \$40.00. Pure White Oil, an 21 ct. PARKER & TAYLOR. For Rent, A SCHOOL HOUSE, on the corner of Fourth and Dock Streets. Apply to J. H. GRAE, an 23 o'wait to or JAS. H. CHADBOURN. For Rent, From the 1st of October next, that large and commodious STORE, 3150 feet, now occupied by Messrs. Lamb & Waterhouse, corner Princess and Water Streets, \$250.00, formerly occupied by the Produce Exchange. Apply to the office of the NAYANSA GUANO CO. NAYANSA GUANO CO. Wanted, A GOOD COOK, WASHIER AND IRONER. NO one need apply but who can come well recommended. Apply at residence of sept 6 1/2. M. J. DINGELHOF, 5th St., bet. Chestnut and Mulberry. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.-Having qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. Nancy C. Shields, late of the County of New Hanover, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of the said Nancy C. Shields to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate will exhibit the same to me on or before the 30th day of August, 1881. This 29th day of August, 1881. HARRISON BELLAMY, Executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. Nancy C. Shields, dec'd. an 30 o'wait to or Nancy C. Shields, dec'd. L. S. L. NEXT DRAWING OF THE Louisiana State Lottery TAKES PLACE SEPT 11. PRIZES FROM \$100 to \$50,000. Buy one ticket, 25 Cts. Half \$1.00. Address Lock Box 572, Wilmington, N. C. an 12 ct. 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. BROWN & RODDICK, 45 Market St. P. S. We will remove to our New Store about the 15th of September. an 12 ct. Great Economy TO BUY YOUR SCHOOL BOOKS, BLANK BOOKS and STATIONERY of every variety and style, at HENNINGBERG'S. Square and Upright Pianos. THE WHEELLOCK PIANOS ARE SUPERIOR to all others in Tone, Durability and Finish. For Sale, HENNINGBERG'S Live Book and Music Store. sept 6 1/2.