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OUTLINES.

The Flipper court martial has rendered its verdict, but it will not be known until passed upon by the reviewing authorities.

The Virginia Legislature met on Wednesday. Gov. Holliday sent in his last message.

The Washington Post is enthusiastic actually over Mary Anderson's *Evadne*.

The President's message is being praised pretty generally. Of course in a great big document like that there must be a few chances to wedge in a few adverse opinions.

The largest sweet potato we have seen mentioned in our State exchanges for the season was 10 pounds.

There is much excitement in Charleston county, S. C., over the Stock bill that recently passed the Legislature.

Several army officers testified in behalf of Flipper and gave him a good character. But it is not uncommon for a Northern bank cashier to have a first-rate character until his defaulting is made known.

THE MORNING STAR.

VOL. XXIX.--NO. 65. WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1881. WHOLE NO. 5005

Col. John W. Forney, editor of the Philadelphia Progress, died yesterday. He had been a prominent editor for more than thirty years and was the author of three or four books.

Mrs. Cornelia P. Spencer, second to none in talents and acquirements among the women of North Carolina, has been North for eight or ten months.

The Wilmington Star speaks in a highly complimentary manner of Rev. O. Burton, of this county, and deservedly so.

Spirits Turpentine. A pole-punching is to come off at Scotland Neck.

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Charlotte Observer. Wild fowl are reported extraordinarily numerous on the Catawba river.

Winston Sentinel. Solicitor General Sam Phillips's attempt to break the force of Mr. A. M. Gibson's report on the "Star Route" has placed him in a rather suspicious position.

Ex-Gov. Holden, of North Carolina, in a letter to the Raleigh News-Observer, writes: "As the result of appeals to President Johnson, while I was in Washington in May, 1865, he did not restore the State, what he did for no other Southern State."

Tarboro Southern. On dit--The postoffice will soon change hands, and that W. P. Williamson, Esq., will be the new postmaster.

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Weldons. Mr. R. E. Peelle, of Crowells, was ordained as a minister of the gospel at Conocanary church in that place, on Wednesday night of last week.

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Local Dots. Another rainy day yesterday. The receipts of cotton yesterday footed up 1,362 bales.

Who will be so charitable as to give the poor of our city a Christmas dinner? Don't all speak at once.

Rev. Dr. Yates is in the city, and will doubtless fill the pulpit of the Front Street Methodist church to-morrow, for the last time previous to the removal of his residence to Raleigh.

Fire-crackers, much to the delight of the old and sorrow of the young, we learn, are scarce and high.

Daily Weather Bulletin. The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 3 P. M. yesterday, Washington mean time.

Table with columns: Station, Temp., Rainfall, Weather. Includes Atlanta, Augusta, Charlotte, etc.

Death of a North Carolinian in Alabama. Dr. John W. Sandford, a native of Fayetteville, in this State, is a resident of Mobile, Alabama, since 1870.

Important to Shippers. Dr. Thomas F. Wood, Secretary of the North Carolina Board of Health, has laid on our table a pamphlet entitled "A Guide to Shippers Visiting the Cape Fear and Other Rivers."

River and Marine. The steamship Regulator, hence, arrived at New York yesterday.

Robberies. The building on the premises just beyond what is known as Little Bridge, used by Messrs. Tilley, Hayes and Hintze as a butcher pen, was broken open Wednesday night.

Mayor's Court. The only case for the Mayor's consideration yesterday morning was that of an old offender in the shape of Judy Ann Hunter, colored, who was arrested on Nutt street Wednesday night for being drunk and disorderly.

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Opera House. Lecture on Florida by the Rev. T. D. Pitts.

Those who braved the inclemency of the weather and attended the lecture on Florida, by Rev. T. D. Pitts, at the Opera House, were amply repaid for their daring.

Knights of Pythias. At a meeting of Section No. 221, Endowment Rank K. of P., the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Wants to Know. One of our business friends wants to know if it would not be advisable for the owners of property on Water street, and particularly between Princess and Chesnut streets, to arrange their gutters in such a manner as to carry the water into the street, and not deposit it in young water-falls on the pavement.

Magistrate's Court. Ransom McMillan, colored, was arraigned before Justice Gardner, yesterday, on the affidavit of Lewis Everett, charged with an assault. Case dismissed on the payment of costs.

Mineral Waters. ALL KINDS. On Draught and in Bottles. At JAMES C. MUNDS', Drugist.

Christmas Presents! THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF HOLIDAY PRESENTS, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, AT HEINSBERGER'S.

Pianos and Organs, GUITARS AND VIOLINS, ACCORDIONS AND BANJOS, TAMBOURINES, and Musical Instruments of every description, at HEINSBERGER'S.

What's the Matter? YOU SAY YOUR COFFEE IS NOT GOOD. You blow up the cook and get in a bad humor for the whole day.

J. C. Stevenson's, Sale Postponed. THE SALE OF THE STORE ON THIRD ST. opposite City Hall, and the vacant lot on corner of Third and Chestnut Streets, belonging to the Estate of the late J. Francis King, and heretofore advertised, has been postponed to Saturday, the 10th inst., at 10 o'clock M., in front of Court House door.

Rosenthal's, Boots and Shoes, 32 MARKET STREET. CALL AT ROSENTHAL'S AND EXAMINE THE FINE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES.

Holiday Presents! AN UNEQUALLED COLLECTION OF EUROPEAN AND DOMESTIC NOVELTIES for the approaching holidays.

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

ON THIRTY DAYS' TRIAL. We will send Dr. Price's Electric Balm and other Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to young men and old persons who are afflicted with Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality, etc.

THE FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE OF THE NURSERY. The following is an extract from a letter written to the German Reform Messenger, at Chambersburg, Penn.: A BENEFACTRESS, just open the door for her, and Mrs. Winslow will give the American Florence Nightingale of the Nursery.

EXECUTION SALE. I WILL SELL, AT PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House door, in this city, this Morning, at 10 o'clock, to the highest bidder, for cash, one fine Harness Horse, one Spring Wagon, and one set of Harness.

EVERY CHRISTIAN HOUSEHOLD SHOULD have a copy of the Holy Bible, as published by the National Public School, and is a substantially bound, containing Bible Dictionary, other tables, lithographic pages for the family record, and an album for photographs, as well as other great additions.

In the Rain, UNDER ONE OF OUR PARAGON UMBRELLAS you can keep perfectly dry. If not a RUBBER OVERCOAT is certain to do the job.

Prunelles. I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM MY LADY customers that those Prunelles have arrived and are Extra Choice.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE MOZART SALOON! "The Old Reliable!" DISPENSES ONLY THE FINEST WINES AND LIQUORS.

New Italian String Band. THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FORMED A STRING BAND, consisting of Violins, Violas, Cellos, and Double Basses.

You Want TO GIVE A CHRISTMAS PRESENT, AND AT THE SAME TIME TO ENJOY YOURSELF? GIVE AWAY NIGHTLY!

50,000 BRICK. All at Low Figures at J. A. SPRINGER'S Coal and Wood Yard.

The Clarendon Water Works Company. GIVES NOTICE THAT IT IS READY TO RECEIVE applications for supplying water, in regard to rates, etc., can be had, and applications must be made to the engineer's office, No. 1 Journal Building.

Money. SAVED IS MONEY MADE. THE BEST HARNESS, Bridles, Saddles, Collars, Trunks and Traveling Bags, can be bought for the least money.

Beef! Beef! DO YOU LIKE GOOD BEEF? Then come to CAMPBELL'S, at Citizens' Market, for evening week. You can certainly rely on getting the best.

Now Don't Forget THAT I HAVE FULL STOCK OF HARNESS Saddles, Bridles and everything in my line on hand, at low prices, and of best quality.

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Country Merchants. WILL FIND A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED stock of Hardware, of every description, some being bought very early last fall, before the advances occurred.

By Express. SPANISH LACE TIES. SPANISH LACE FICHUS. A second supply of CORALLINE CORSETS, the best One-Dollar Corset, ever made.