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OUTLINES.

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Daily Weather Bulletin. The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 3 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.

Temp. Rainfall. Weather. Atlanta..... 55 1.70 Lr rain. Augusta..... 68 .00 Cloudy. Charleston..... 64 .28 Lr rain. Charlotte..... 51 .13 Lr rain. Galveston..... 51 .40 Clear. Havana..... 79 .00 Fair. Indianapolis..... 51 .00 Fair. Jacksonville..... 72 .00 Cloudy. Key West..... 78 .00 Fair. Montgomery..... 65 1.28 Lr rain. Punta Rassa..... 75 .00 Fair. Savannah..... 69 .00 Cloudy. Wilmington..... 65 .00 Cloudy. Cedar Keys..... 70 .00 Cloudy. Port Eads..... 68 1.25 Thret'g. Pensacola..... 65 2.43 Lr rain.

The following are the indications for today: Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic States, cloudy weather with rain, easterly, veering to southerly winds, stationary or higher temperature and lower pressure.

A Former Wilmingtonian Burned Out. Mr. Samuel L. Yopp, formerly of this city, but now residing at Newton, Catawba county, had the misfortune to lose his house by fire a few nights since.

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Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Logan are preparing the President's establishment for his New Year's calls.

The latest arrival in Washington is Mr. Cake, of North Carolina. If he wants office he may become short-Cake or his Cake may become all dough.

By copying STAR political squibs without credit some of our exchanges make the Republican wire-pullers responsible for our "Goaks," as Artemus Ward spelt it.

Ex-Senator Howe do you do? As to that other aspirant he is Boutwell as could be expected, considering he hails from Massachusetts, where they have "holes in the sky."

In November the total foreign immigrants was 51,216. Of these Canada furnished 8,807; England and Wales, 5,823; Ireland, 3,284; Austria, 1,454; Sweden, 2,870; China, 2,711.

The wife of one of the jurors in the Giteaux trial has died and he has, by consent of counsel, been permitted to go home. The Court adjourned for two days. That was decent and proper.

Mrs. Lincoln is not blind at all, as the papers had it. She read the statement in the papers much to her disgust. It is astonishing how little acquaintance some newspaper men have with the truth.

The boys at Rutgers College are all in love with Mary Anderson. At Brunswick, N. J., they pulled the carriage in which she had entered and then serenaded her. It is astonishing what effect a handsome woman has on the masculine feelings.

The New York Sun makes a vigorous pull for Mr. Bancroft Davis, but it did not get into harbor in time. B. C. had made the run successfully before it. If what the Sun says is true B. C. is well suited to illustrate the President's ideas of civil service reform. But more anon.

The tin-horn nuisance is worse this time than ever known before. Call for the police! It is toot, toot, from early morn to dewy even, and then the silence of the night, at intervals of half a second, is broken by the same eternal—toot—toot—toot—toot. We ery police! police!

We hope the next Legislature will take the question of sheep and dogs into consideration, and decide in favor of one or the other.—Shelby Aurora.

Why, the Legislature decided long ago that sheep have no friends among the Solons and no rights in North Carolina that any dog need respect.

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Another of the Swiss Delmonicos is dead. His name was Siro, and like his brother, the late Lorenzo, he died from the effects of excessive smoking.

Republicans are talking of making one or two new Northern States, but we never hear them proposing to divide up Texas. If that State were either Northern or Republican strongly it would be sliced into four or five States at once.

Spirits Turpentine. Salem Press: On Tuesday of last week a little child of John Petre's was scalded so badly that it died on the following day.

Elizabeth City Economist: On Sunday evening thirteen persons were admitted by baptism into the folds of the Baptist church at this place.

Greensboro Protestant: Track has been laid on the University Railroad for about eight miles—in about a mile of Chapel Hill—and trains will be running in about three weeks.

Rockingham Bee: Mr. John Shortridge, to whom the press and material of the Hamlet Argus belonged, has sold the same to a gentleman in Clatham county, who will publish a Republican paper.

Dr. Richard J. Gatling, inventor of the world-wide famous "Gatling Gun" is now on a visit to his native county, Hertford, North Carolina. He was born in 1818, and removed to Indianapolis, Ind., in 1848.

Roxboro Herald: Last Tuesday, at 2 o'clock, the sad announcement was made in search of corn and produce generally. They get what they come after.

The railroad survey over Watauga Gap is about completed. A short route from Patterson to Mulberry is yet to be surveyed.

The Carretet Telephone says that Collector A. C. Davis has received from the American consul at Cardiff, certain invoices of two cargoes of steel rails, amounting in the aggregate to 1,160 tons, shipped from Newport to Cardiff, Wales, November 17th and 21st, for delivery at Morehead City depot.

Mt. Airy News: It is reported that the new brick hotel to be erected soon at the Mt. Airy White Sulphur Springs, will be 200 feet long instead of 100.

Charlotte Observer: Last week we mentioned the fact that Rev. I. J. McLaughlin, of Crab Orchard township, had lost three sons from typhoid fever within three weeks, and that his wife and a daughter were seriously ill from the same disease.

New Berne News: On the 1st of January, 1882, the Nut Shell merges into the Commercial News, and this paper passes under the control of the Commercial News Publishing Company, a chartered corporation, organized as follows: Thos. A. Green, President; Chas. H. Blank, Vice President; Jas. F. Clark, Secretary and Treasurer; Directors, Clement Mauley, C. E. Foy, Geo. Allen and E. H. Mesdrossy; Finest Committee, K. R. Jones, Alex. Miller and J. W. Moore.

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