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MORNING EDITION.

Outline of the day's news, including iron manufacturer, protection of iron, and various local reports.

Jefferson played to a fine house in Charleston and the News and Courier says the performance was finished and very satisfactory.

The Lenoir Topic tells of Mr. R. R. Hodges being fined \$200 for contempt and ordered to jail for 20 days.

A horrible affair occurred at Monterey, Highland county, Va. Mr. Ruckman, county superintendent of public schools, questioned the accuracy of a quotation from Shakespeare.

We are glad to see it authoritatively announced that Mr. P. M. Hale will begin the publication of the Raleigh Register in February.

There was a fatal case of yellow fever in New York on Sunday last. Mr. Robert M. Boyd, a tobaccoist, had been to Havana and upon returning home died.

At Waynesville the mercury is reported to have stood at 20 degrees below zero. The late Robert Tennant, a prominent New York cotton merchant, died.

At Fayetteville Sun: A large number of rabbits have been brought to our market during the past week.

Fayetteville Observer: Messrs. Lucius MacRae and James McNeill, of Shoe Hill, arrived in Fayetteville Monday evening by the train from Rockfish.

The Charlotte Observer tells of the performance of two drunken brothers named Connelly at Hickory. They were from Caldwell. They grossly insulted some ladies.

Mr. W. A. Rice went to Charlotte, purchased a pound of powder, and put it in his pocket. He went home, and standing by the fire managed to throw some of the loose powder into the fire.

The 49th anniversary of the Euzelian and Philomathesian Literary Societies of Wake Forest College takes place on Friday, February 15th, 1884.

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Receipts of cotton yesterday 829 bales. The hog carts were taking in stray porkers yesterday.

The police found several doors of business houses open Wednesday night. Better be careful.

The fishermen are getting their nets ready to entrap the unsuspecting shad, which are now nearly in season.

A meeting of the various committees, having in charge the arrangements for the Leap Year ball, will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon, at No. 410 Orange avenue.

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Opera House. "Our Goblins" was played last night by Rice's Pleasure Party to a small audience. It is not a performance in which there is much pleasure.

"Annie Pixley is always and deservedly a favorite in Philadelphia. Her personal attractiveness has made her a special attraction, and she has long since won fame in the prosaic role of the heroine.

The drawing of the Louisiana Lottery, held at New Orleans, on Tuesday, the 15th inst., shows that No. 31,993 draws the first capital prize, \$75,000.

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Weather indications. The following are the indications for today: For the Middle Atlantic States, generally warmer fair weather, southerly winds and falling barometer.

For the South Atlantic States, fair warmer weather, variable winds and falling barometer.

For the East Gulf States, cloudy weather, local rains, northerly winds becoming variable, falling barometer.

For the West Gulf States, rain followed during Friday afternoon, clearing by clearing weather, variable winds, falling barometer, followed in the western portion by a slight rise.

For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, local rains in Tennessee, fair weather in the Ohio Valley, southerly winds and falling barometer.

Forty 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.

Loans and discounts. \$73,487 83. Capital stock paid in. \$20,000 00. Surplus fund. \$1,834 76.

Administration Notice. Having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of the late William J. Gordon, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to me, on or before the 19th day of January, 1884.

1000 PIECES OF HAMBURG EDGING! THE FINEST AND MOST EXQUISITE PATTERNS TO SELECT FROM. These Goods must be seen to be appreciated and will be sold at REMARKABLY LOW PRICES to make room for Spring Goods.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON, at the close of business, December 31st, 1883.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts. \$73,487 83. Capital stock paid in. \$20,000 00. Surplus fund. \$1,834 76.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in. \$20,000 00. Surplus fund. \$1,834 76. Undivided profits. \$7,469 03.

State of North Carolina. County of New Hanover, ss: I, A. K. WALKER, Cashier of the above named Bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscription and sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1884. A. J. HOWELL, Notary Public.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE. One Night Only! Monday, January 21. Engagement of the Charming Young Actor and General Favorite.

ANNE PIXLEY, supported by Mr. FRANK LOESE and her own talented Company in the ever popular play MISS CHILD OF THE SIERRAS!

FLORIDA AND JAMAICA ORANGES. THE CELEBRATED "DUMMETT GROVE" INDIAN RIVER ORANGES, Large and Sweet, we are selling at \$2.50 for 100, or 40 cts. per dozen.

Sweet Jamaica Oranges, \$2.00 for 100, 30 cts. per dozen, 2 for 5 cts.

GOOD COCONUTS, 5 CENTS EACH. "AMBROSIA," Food of the Gods. Think of it: cheaper than anything else. Supply yourselves at once.

FRESH ARRIVALS! ATMORE'S CELEBRATED MINORMENTS. In Barrels, half Barrels and Pails; and PLUM PUDDING in all sizes.

Jno. L. Boatwright. 18 & 14 NORTH FRONT STREET. nov 11th.

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Rock Lime, FOR BUILDING PURPOSES. PRICE REDUCED TO \$1.15 PER CASK. LIBERAL DISCOUNT FOR LARGE LOTS AND ADDRESS FRENCH BROS., 108 NORTH FRONT STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C.

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