

MORNING EDITION.

OUTLINES.

The Democratic majority in Louisiana...
The Waco...
The Richmond...
The Augusta...
The Wilmington...
The New Bern...
The Raleigh...
The Norfolk...
The Charlotte...
The Savannah...
The Montgomery...
The Mobile...
The New Orleans...
The Galveston...
The Vicksburg...
The Little Rock...
The Memphis...

Local Notes.

Chickens are scarce and selling at from 75 to 80 cents per pair.
We saw yesterday two of the finest Irish potatoes of the season, taken from the garden of Miss Julia Hill.
Sol. H. Nixon claims that he was elected a delegate in the second division of the First Ward instead of John H. Brown, as the Star had it.
The Republican County Convention, for the appointment of delegates to the State and Congressional Conventions, meets in the Court House this morning at 10 o'clock.
The New Bern Journal copies from the Star our Florida letter in reference to a hotel, and makes it applicable to New Bern. The Journal is urging upon the people of New Bern the importance of a first class hotel to attract Northern visitors.
Escape and Recapture of a Prisoner. James McNeill, a colored youth, sentenced to the County House of Correction for three years for larceny, at the late term of the Criminal Court, made his escape yesterday, but was recaptured. Superintendent Savage was in the city, and McNeill and some of the other convicts were at work, under guard, just outside of the enclosure. He had a ball and chain attached to him, and it was not thought that he would attempt to escape; but while the guard was absent for a few moments on the inside of the enclosure, McNeill, using his ball as an anvil, took his spade and chopped on one of the links with the sharp edge until he had separated it, when he beat a hasty retreat with about two feet of the chain attached to his neck, which he took the precaution to conceal beneath his clothing.
It was only an hour or two afterwards that Superintendent Savage was sitting in the office of Mr. H. A. Bagg, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, on North Water street, when his driver hurriedly entered and said one of the prisoners had escaped, as he had just passed on the street. Mr. Savage gave chase, but just as he got to the corner of Water and Princess streets he saw McNeill disappear in the alley opposite the Star office, whence he darted into one of the numerous cross alleys and made his escape.
Pursuant to information received from one Henry Watson, colored, Mr. Savage subsequently went to the house of McNeill's mother, in Marcus alley, accompanied by Watson, and succeeded in recapturing the fugitive, who had taken refuge there, but apparently contrary to his mother's wishes, who did not seem disposed to screen him.

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THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MUNSON—Ready made clothing.
I. O. O. F.—Anniversary meeting.
HEINSEBERGER—Wedding presents.
S. P. COLLIER & Co.—Special sales.
MUNDS & DEROSSET—Hair brushes.
COLLIER & Co.—Statuary and art sale.

University Commencement.

The Commencement exercises of the University of North Carolina will take place June 4th and 5th. The address before the Literary Societies will be delivered by Hon. Henry Waterson, of Kentucky, and the Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered by Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, D. D., of Virginia. Thanks for an invitation, with the compliments of the Marshals, of which Mr. J. S. Mann is Chief.

Foreign Exports.

The British barquentine *Isatis H.*, Capt. Cochran, was cleared from this port for Hall, Eng., yesterday, by Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, with 2,300 barrels of tar and 1,900 barrels of resin, valued at \$5,740; also, the schooner *Wm. H. Boardman*, Capt. Richardson, for Port Castries, St. Lucia, West Indies, by Mr. J. W. Taylor, with 120,946 feet of lumber valued at \$1,680.52. Total, \$7,420.52.

Front Street N. E. Church.

There will be special services in this church during the ensuing week, commencing Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Seats free and the public invited.

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Yours, respectfully,
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