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OUTLINES.

The steamship Falmouth burned at the wharf at Portland, Me., she was valued at $100,000; three men are supposed to have been burned to death. —— A French fish [illegible] sunk by a Norwegian barque off New Foundland; three of the crew lost their lives. —— Heavy rain storm in Texas; the country between Dallas and Denison is submerged and railroad traffic interrupted. —— The U. S. steamer Portsmouth is at Newport, R. I., with yellow fever on board; all the patients are convalescing. —— The Democratic State Convention of Maryland meets at Baltimore, June 11. —— A dynamite explosion at a mine in Monroe county, Ind., killed one man and crippled thirteen others. —— Cicero Hobson, of Audubon, Ia., confessed that he killed his two brothers-in-law, murdered his wife's father last Friday. —— Ex-Gov. Mathews, of West Virginia, is dead. —— Saul Tavenner, of Boone county, W. Va., murdered by a band of outlaws. —— Ex-Postmaster W. A. Bolt, of Tarboro, N. C., has been arrested for stealing registered letters. —— New York [illegible] 3@3½ per cent.; cotton [illegible]@½c; southern flour $3 45@[illegible]; wheat—ungraded red 86c@$1 16; [illegible] firm at [illegible]; spirits turpentine dull at 32½c.

Kimball's clock is said to be a complete plaything in New York and Newburgh.

Patti, the most gifted of all singers, accompanied by her inevitable man, Nicolini, has sailed for Europe.

Bob Ingersoll's organ, the Washington *Post*, publishes another column of rantingly philippics against Cleveland. The *Post* is a nice little paper. Very!

The Philadelphia *Record* has attained a wide circulation. Last month it was 115,362 copies. It is a credit to the city contemporary, and a monument to Mr. Randall's skill for Revenue Reform.

On May 6th the 35th annual session of the American Medical Association will meet in Washington. It will continue for three days. It is expected that more than 1,500 doctors will be in attendance.

The New Orleans *States* confounds an North Carolina novelist, Christian, with Charles Reade. It says:

"Contrary to the English literary commentators, we are seeing exceedingly unfavorable criticisms on the announcement that the sensational life of sketches of most of [illegible]

New York is now agonizing over another foot race. There are [illegible] the highest score made in [illegible] in former contests [illegible] by Patrick Fitzgerald, [illegible] highest was 378 miles, by Robert Vint. The third [illegible] by John H. Sullivan. The race began Sunday night at 12 [illegible]

We have received a catalogue of Washington and Lee University, for the year ending June 1884. The faculty as now organized consists of the President, Gen. G. W. C. Lee, son of Gen. Robert E. Lee, and ten Professors, besides three Professors in the Law Department. There were [illegible] matriculates during the year. There were two from North Carolina.

The Smithfield *Herald* does not hesitate to say its say on the education bill in a way that will be comforting to the Centralizers. Here is a sample of its wisdom:

"To supplement our school fund in North Carolina with five or six hundred thousand dollars per year, without any additional tax on our people, strikes the average man as a thing to be desired, *regardless of whether the Constitution is or is not violated.*"

Hurrah for "the flag and an appropriation!"

The Northern Methodist Church is preparing to celebrate the centenary, as are the Southern Methodists. The Northern Methodists will hold their General Conference (24th quadrennial) in Philadelphia, beginnig the 14th of May. Delegates from ninety seven annual conferences, representing nearly 13,000 travelling and over 12,000 local ministers and a little more than 1,800,000 lay members, will be in attendance. The Conference will continue in session about a month.

The recent editorial in the STAR concerning the future of our fisheries and oyster product has been commented upon with favor by our esteemed contemporary, the Norfolk *Virginian*. We copy an encouraging paragraph as follows:

"North Carolina has unquestionably a splendid field for the cultivation of oysters. Her waters, owing to their isolated position, are protected from the raids of the pirating mauraders who come from Maryland and the Eastern States, to rob the oyster beds of Virginia. North Carolina could derive an immense revenue from her oyster beds if the system of oyster cultivation as carried on by the States of Rhode Island and Connecticut were adopted. She wants oyster farms."

There comes a report by way of London that King John, of Abyssinia, has agreed to invade the Soudan and to relieve the Egyptians. The British Cabinet has had two recent conferences upon the Egyptian question. Of course the rescue of Gen. Gordon was considered. A dispatch dated the 28th says:

"Gen. Lord Wolseley recommends the immediate dispatch of a mixed military expedition composed of British and British Indian troops. He suggests that this force go to Suakin, thence to Berber, and thence to Khartoum, and be large enough to occupy and maintain the entire route. Lieut. Gen. Stephenson, C. B., commander of the British forces in Egypt, entirely concurs in Lord Wolseley's plan. But Gen. Sir Evelyn Wood, commander of the Egyptian troops, grumbles against the plan, because it leaves out the native Egyptian troops.

"Gen. Sir Henry William Gordon, K. C. B., the brother of 'Chinese' Gordon, had an important conference to-day with Lord Granville, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in reference to the condition of affairs at Khartoum. Sir Henry said that he had expressed to Lord Granville his belief that Gen. Gordon was in no personal danger and advised that the Government should await the arrival of Gen. Sir Gerald Graham, who is a warm personal friend of Gen. Gordon, and who accompanied him up the Nile as far as Dongola on his way to Khartoum. Gen. Graham is now on his way to England, as well as Sir Evelyn Baring and Mr. Clifford Lloyd, and is expected to arrive with them on Monday. Sir Henry Gordon also warned Lord Granville that Sir Evelyn Baring was an enemy of Gen. Gordon."

We have received the prospectus of something new in the magazine line. It is a new departure in the geographical world. Messrs. George H. Adams & Son, 59 Beekman street, New York, will issue a monthly on May 1, the title of which will be *Descriptive America*. It is to be a geographical and industrial monthly. Each number will be mainly devoted to some single State or Territory, and will contain a map of that State or Territory corrected up to the latest date of publication. It promises to be of special use to schools and colleges as well as to business men and travellers. It will be devoted to geographical, industrial and descriptive matters, and with its fresh maps will commend itself to a large class of readers. The publishers have been engaged in map publishing for thirty years. For particulars or subscription address Mr. Fred. Horsey, General Agent for North and South Carolina, key box 328, Charleston, S. C.

Spirits Turpentine.

— Salisbury *Examiner:* We learn that the explosion mentioned in our last as having been heard two weeks ago, was caused by aerolite.

— The Smithfield *Herald* has been improved. It is now under the editorial charge of Mr. N. R. Richardson. It will be published by F. T. Booker & Co.

— Boston *Post:* North Carolina is excited over a recent shower of blood. Probably it came from the bloody shirts that have been blown higher than a kite.

— Davidson *Dispatch:* Farmers report that the prospect for wheat was never better than at present. —— Plenty of peaches and other fruit are still on the trees.

— A fews ago the body of Thos. Pate was found near Aversboro, Harnett county. It is supposed that Mr. Pate died of heart disease. He was a man of prominence in his section, and formerly resided in Goldsboro.

— Salisbury *Watchman:* This county has 13 townships, 23 postoffices, 63 churches, 41 water mills for grinding corn, wheat, &c., 52 gold and copper bearing mines, 75 schools, (public and private), and about 350 miles of public roads.

— Raleigh *Visitor:* In this city at a quarter to 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rosa Lee, wife of Mr. Eugene G. Harrell and daughter of Mr. John B. and Mrs. Maggie S. Neathery, peacefully passed to her home in Heaven. Mrs. Harrell was in her 23d year.

— Wilson *Mirror:* On last Sunday night some one entered the house of Mr. Lemuel Sullivant, who lives about two miles from Wilson, and stole therefrom a trunk which contained $125 in money. The trunk was found next morning near the gate, but the money was gone.

—Stonewall *Enterprise:* We sadly note the death of Miss Challie Whorton, one of the finest young ladies of Trent Creek neighborhood, who died at her father's residence on the 21st inst. While helping her father burn off a piece of land her dress caught fire and she was fatally burned.

— Statesville *American:* Mr. Rufus Chanton, in Sharpsburg township, this county, was 90 years of age last March—having stood his draft in the war of 1812—he never served on a jury, and never defaulted in paying his taxes, his wife is 86, his sister-in-law, residing with him, is 88; his daughter is 62.

—New Berne *Journal:* At the residence of her husband, on Mr. J. A. Meadows' farm, near the city, at 12 o'clock on Saturday, April 26th, Mrs. Alice Crocket, wife of W. F. Crocket. —— Our market is well supplied with sturgeon meat. It is said that the hides of sixty sturgeons will make a barrel of oil, and the bones and offal make excellent manure.

— Waynesville *News:* The wheat crop is reported exceedingly fine in all the sections from Buncombe to Cherokee. —— Clay county reports that if no late frosts occur, there will be a very large peach crop in that community. —— A murder was committed near Hayesville, Clay county, week before last. One Cook killed a young man named Anderson, by the use of a concealed weapon.

— Smithfield *Herald:* Six months ago there was not a brick building in Smithfield, except the court house and jail; but now we can boast of three large brick stores, two of which are not yet quite completed; others will be built this year. —— It has been asserted that Hyde county could supply the whole State with corn, but we do not believe the assertion. Take the census reports, and it will be seen that several counties in the State that are much larger than little Hyde, raise a great deal more corn.

— Washington *Gazette:* On Wednesday of last week the boiler at the works of the Roanoke Heading Company, of Williamston, burst with terrific force. The scene of destruction wrought in an instant is described as fearful. The debris of wood and brick was scattered and piled up in confusion. From under the ruins the bodies of Spencer Wynn, fireman, and Mr. Cooper, filer, were dug. Wynn was dead, and Cooper was severely injured, but not fatally. Gabe Slade was badly scalded and injured otherwise, so that it became necessary to amputate his hand. Five or six others were slightly hurt.

— Salem *Press:* There was a whistling match at Prestonville recently. The prize was one dollar to be conferred upon the ablest whistler. —— A Primitive Baptist Church is soon to be erected a White Plains, Surry county. —— We hear of hogs dying of cholera in some parts of the county. One man says he lost seven during one week. Chickens are also dying in some places. —— In Guilford county, in Hugh R. Little's yard, stands a white oak tree, which measures 33 feet in circumference, from which there has been known to have been gathered ten bushels of acorns in one season. From the end of one side limb to the other, by several, is supposed to measure 60 feet.

— Beaufort *Telephone:* Died, in Beaufort, on Saturday, April 29, Sallie C. Pool, aged 17 years and 3 months; at the Straits, on Wednesday, April 16, Alexander Stewart. —— A cargo of 1,000 blue fish sold yesterday for $3.15 per hundred. They were rather below the ordinary size, and certainly brought a good price. —— More than one-third of the counties of the State have already made appropriations for a special exhibit at the State Exposition, and in many others considerable sums have been raised by private contributions. —— The protracted meeting at Mr. Jurney's church closed last Friday night. On the following Sunday eight members were added to the church, making in all twenty-five accessions as the immediate result of the meeting.

— Lincolnton *Press:* On Tuesday last Buster Sherrill, aged about 12 years, was brought here and lodged in jail, charged with burglarizing the store of Messrs. Lowe & Shelton, at Denver, which he confessed. ——On Monday we were shown some beautiful specimens of tourmaline which were found on the land of Mr. M. M. Hull, about 12 miles from this place, in North Brook township. In addition to the large quantities of tourmaline Mr. Hull has discovered rich veins of garnet, mica, and stone coal. ——Living near this town is a young family of the good old Dutch stock, composed of two sisters and a brother. The brother is the pet of the family and is known to his sisters as "the baby." This prattling little fellow is just 94 years old and is named Joseph Plonk. The oldest member of the family is Mrs. Sallie Weaver, aged 99 years. The other member of the family is Mrs. Toutherow, who if 98 years of age. —— On Monday night several men met at Garland's bar-room, just out of town, and being somewhat under the influence of liquor they became involved in a number of rows. Dave Friday while endeavoring to prevent a fight, was stabbed by Milt Bumgarner.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MUNSON—Elegant suitings.
HEINSBERGER—New music.
MUNDS & DEROSSET—Sponges.
DAVIS & SON—Fresh mackerel.
B. H. J. AHRENS—Choice ice.

Local Dots.

— To-morrow will be the 1st day of May.

— Eggs were retailing yesterday at 15 cents per dozen.

— One white tramp was accommodated at the station house Monday night.

— Sometimes our correspondents forget that we do not print communications that are not accompanied with names of authors.

Juvenile Base Ball Matches.

The "Enterprise" club, Capt. W. Roberts, and the "Atlantics," Capt. J. Wright, had a match game yesterday afternoon, which resulted in 38 runs for the former and 18 for the latter.

The club "Ocean Wave," Capt. Lewis Myers, and the "Evening Star," Capt. Edgar Bear, also had a match game, in which the former scored 15 and the latter 4 runs.

Fish Hatching.

The operation of hatching young shad from the eggs is watched with a great deal of interest at the hatchery in the lower end of the market. In one jar we were told that there were fifty thousand eggs, and that the most of them hatch out young fish, the highest percentage being 90 and the lowest 65.

Mayor's Court.

The only case before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning was that of Cad. Lowrey and P. G. May, two colored boys, charged with fighting Monday afternoon in the neighborhood of the Front Street Market house. Lowrey was fined $8 and May $2.

Unmailable Matter.

The following unmailable matter remains in the Postoffice in this city:

R. L. Caudler & Co.; Moore & Hill.

The Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad.

The stockholders of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad will meet in Fayetteville to-morrow, May 1st. A delegation will go from this city to look after the interests of Wilmington in connection with that important enterprise, and we are glad to know that those who have signified their intention to be present are just the men to be intrusted with a mission of such great moment to our city. The following will go: Mayor E. D. Hall, and Messrs. B. G. Worth, A. D. Brown, W. H. Bernard, H. G. Smallbones and B. F. Hall. Messrs. G. W. Williams, H. A. Burr and J. H. Currie are already in Fayetteville; Mr. R. E. Heide, Capt. W. R. Kenan and Mr. R. W. Hicks expect to go if they can arrange matters so as to admit of it. Messrs. H. Vollers, H. Brunhild and W. H. Chadbourn were expected to go but will not be able to do so, we understand.

Mr. G. W. Williams has been chiefly instrumental in getting up this movement, and with commendable public spirit and liberality, the Express Steamboat Company have furnished the delegation with free transportation to Fayetteville and return.

The delegates will leave at 2 o'clock P. M. to-day on the steamer *D. Murchison*.

Cheat and Fraud.

Julius Johnson, colored, had a hearing before J. C. Hill, J. P., charged with being a cheat and fraud. It seems that he claimed that one Henry Taylor owed him $5, and on the strength of that he went to a party whom he knew was indebted to Taylor in the sum of $5 and told him that Taylor sent him to collect it. Suspecting nothing wrong the gentleman paid the amount over to Johnson, and Taylor subsequently had him arrested. Johnson denied that he collected the money, until the gentleman who paid it to him was put upon the stand and testified, when he had no more to say. He was required to give bond in the sum of $100 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court.

The Baby Procession.

The procession of babies took place yesterday afternoon, and it was certainly the most perfect realization of "linked sweetness long drawn out" that we have ever seen. The little cherubs in their gayly dressed carriages, propelled by nurses habited in neat and becoming apparel, presented a picture worth walking a long distance to see. They attracted much attention all along the line of march, and it was amusing to see old and staid fathers and grandfathers frisking around and inquiring eagerly what direction the procession had taken. It is said that there were about fifty in line.

Republican Delegates to Chicago.

A telegram received at the STAR office yesterday afternoon, announced that the Republican District Convention at Laurinburg had elected Hon. W. P. Bynum, of Charlotte, and Capt. E. J. Pennypacker, of this city, as delegates to the National Convention at Chicago.

The alternates are W. W. Jenkins, of Charlotte, and John W. Spaulding, colored, of Columbus.

Some of G. L. Mabson's friends received a telegram from him to the effect that the delegates to Chicago were Hon. O. H. Dockery and himself.

We learn that there was a "big row" and the customary "bolt."

A Monster Fish.

Messrs. W. E. Davis & Son had on exhibition yesterday, at the fish market, a monster specimen of the finny tribe known as the king of the shad, or "Tarpin." He weighed one hundred and seventy pounds. Several of these fish have been caught in our waters, but this is the largest ever taken. He will be on exhibition for a day or two, and the ladies are requested to call and take a look at him. He will be preserved, we understand, and taken to the State Exposition. He was caught in the sound near Wrightsville Inlet.

Fire in Brunswick.

A small frame building, occupied by laborers, on the plantation of Sheriff E. W. Taylor, at Town Creek, Brunswick county, about fourteen miles from this city, was destroyed by fire on Monday night, about 10 o'clock. The fire, we understand, was the result of carelessness on the part of the occupants of the house. The loss was fully covered by insurance in the Liverpool & London & Globe Co., represented by Messrs. Jno. W. Gordon & Smith, of this city.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the City Postoffice, Wednesday, April 30th, 1884:

B—Maggie Branch, G Emmett Bunnell, Catherine Brown.
C—B F Cooper.
D—Amelia Dawson, Susie Dixon, Julia Dixon, Simon Davis, care Joe Bowers.
E—Moses Evans.
H—W K Harrison, F D Hicks, 2.
L—Albert Lamb.
M—F M Mediaris, Jim McMillan.
P—T E Philips.
R—Archie Rearis, D J Robins, Polly Rodgers.
S—Dr A S Smitd, Thos E Sellers, 2; Jas Sellers.
T—Rosa Taylor.
W—Chaney Walker, P W Williams T C Willis.

SHIP LETTERS.

Samuel L Williams, Fred C McFarlane, J F Smith, Capt H Follett, Fred Anderson, Andreas Jonson, Marten Jacobson, Joseph McMee, William G Adams, Capt Teplin, Ole Sererin Jonson.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "advertised." Letters will be sent to the Dead Letter Office, at Washington, D. C., if not called for within thirty days.

E. R. BRINK, P. M.,
Wilmington, New Hanover Co., N. C.

War Department, Signal Service, U. S. Army.

Division of Telegrams and Reports for the Benefit of Commerce and Agriculture.

COTTON-BELT BULLETIN.

April 29, 1884—6 P.M.

DISTRICTS.	AVERAGE Max. Temp.	Min. Temp.	Rain Fall.
Wilmington	84	58	.00
Charleston	88	58	.00
Augusta	86	56	.00
Savannah	87	59	.01
Atlanta	85	55	.01
Montgomery	87	56	.00
Mobile	87	63	.00
New Orleans	82	70	.03
Galveston	80	62	.56
Vicksburg	83	66	.00
Little Rock	79	61	.11
Memphis	83	60	.00

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for to day:

For the Middle Atlantic States, fair weather, northerly winds shifting to easterly and falling followed by rising temperature.

For the South Atlantic States, fair weather, variable winds, mostly from northeasterly in northern portion and slight changes in temperature.

For the East Gulf States, local rains and partly cloudy weather, east to south winds, slight changes in temperature.

For the West Gulf States, local rains and slightly warmer, partly cloudy weather and southerly winds.

For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, generally fair weather, southeast to southwest winds and slight changes in temperature.

RIVER AND MARINE.

— Steamer *Benefactor*, hence, arrived at New York yesterday.

— The Schr. *John A. Griffin*, Capt. Rice, from Philadelphia for Savannah, was spoken on the 27th inst., 4 P. M., 25 miles east of Frying-Pan Lightship, by pilot boat *J. A. Levenscaler*. All well.

— The schooner *Femerick*, Capt. Williams, from New York to Jacksonville, Fla., has not yet been heard from, though thirty one days out. There are still some, however, that don't give her up. Capt. Williams was accompanied by his wife, a step daughter of Mr. R. J. Searborough, whom he married in this city some months ago. It is to be sincerely hoped that the missing vessel will yet turn up all right.

Quarterly Meetings.

Second Round for the Wilmington District of the Methodist E. Church, South:

Wilmington, at Front Street, May 3 and 4.
Brunswick Circuit, at Macedonia, May 10 and 11.
Smithville, May 17 and 18.
Whiteville Circuit, at Fair Bluff, May 24 and 25.
Flemington Circuit, May 28.
Elizabeth Circuit, at Bladen Springs, May 31 and June 1.
Newton Grove Mission, at Black's Chapel, June 7 and 8.
Cokesbury Circuit, at Cokesbury, June 14 and 15.
Point Caswell Mission, June 18.
Duplin Circuit, June 21 and 22.
Onslow Circuit, June 28 and 29.
Waccamaw Mission, June 28 and 29.

W. H. BOBBITT, P. E.

THE MAILS.

The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows:

CLOSE.

Northern through mails, fast	7:00 P. M
Northern through and way mails	8:00 A. M
Raleigh	6:15 P. M. & 8:00 A. M.
Mails for the N. C. Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom including A. & N. C. Railroad, at	7:00 P. M. & 8:00 A. M.
Southern mails for all points South, daily	6:15 A. M. & 8:00 P. M.
Western mails (C. C. Railway) daily (except Sunday)	6:15 P. M.
Allpoints between Hamlet and Raleigh	6:15 P. M.
Mail for Cheraw and Darlington Railroad	6:15 A. M. & 8:00 P. M.
Mails for points between Florence and Charleston	6:15 A. M. & 8:00 P. M.
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays	1:00 P. M.
Fayetteville, via Lumberton, daily, except Sundays	6:15 P. M.
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices, Tuesdays and Fridays	6:00 A. M.
Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily (except Sundays)	8:30 A. M.
Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, Shallotte and Little River, Tuesdays and Fridays	6:00 A. M
Wrightsville daily at	8,30 A. M

OPEN FOR DELIVERY.

Northern thro'and way mails	7:30 A. M.
Southern mails	7.30 A. M.
Carolina Central Railroad	9:00 A. M.

Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5:30 P. M. Money order and Register Department open same as stamp office.

Mails collected from street boxes from business portion of city at 5 A.M., 11:30 A.M. and 5:30 P.M.; from other parts of the city at 5 P.M.

General delivery open from 7 A.M. to 6.00 P.M and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M.

Carriers delivery open on Sunday from 8:30 to 9:30 A.M.

DIED.

KING.—In this city, on the 28th inst., WASHINGTON S. KING, son of B. R. and M. L. King, aged about four years.

The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock this morning, at the Second Baptist Church, on Sixth street, thence to Bellevue Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend.

DUKE.—In this city, of diphtheria, WILLIAM T. DUKE, son of William L. and Emma J. Duke, aged 3 years 3 months and 12 days.

Funeral will take place this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from residence, corner 4th and Taylor streets, thence to Bellevue Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

Death's cruel dart has pierced our hearts,
And bowed us down in grief;
For oh! beneath the silent sod,
Our darling Willie sleeps.

West Virginia papers please copy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ELEGANT S. B. CUTAWAY WALKING COATS AND VESTS, In Black Worsted Diagonal.
Black Diagonal S. B. SACK SUITS, Choice Goods.
Cassimere and Serge Suits.
MUNSON, Clothier.
ap 30 1t

Fresh Mackerel.
200 POUNDS FRESH MACKEREL,
200 do do COD,
Ordered to arrive for Friday's Market.
ap 30 tf DAVIS' FISH MARKET.

CITY ITEMS

NOT BY ANY MEANS.—When you ask for Benson's Capcine Porous Plasters don't accept any others as "just as good." 25 cents.

THE MEN WHO DIRECT THE DRAWINGS of The Louisiana State Lottery Company at New Orleans, on the second Tuesday of each month, are Gen'ls Beauregard and Early, who have entire charge of all things connected with them, and who attest over their own signatures to their absolute fairness. These gentlemen are of unimpeachable character and honor. For any particulars address M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La.

IS YOUR BLOOD PURE?—For impure blood the best medicine known is ROSADALIS. It is the great Southern time tried and true Remedy. Take it at all times for Cancer, Scrofula, Liver Complaints, Weakness, Boils, Tumors, Swellings, Skin Diseases, Malaria, and the thousand ills that come from impure blood. To insure a cheerful disposition take ROSADALIS, which will remove the prime cause, and restore the mind to its natural equilibrium.
Wm. H. Green, Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ice. Ice. Ice.
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY NOTIFY THE CITIZENS and the public generally, that I have laid in a full supply of CHOICE ICE, and am now fully prepared to fill orders at LOW PRICES, by the Barrel, Hogshead or Car Load, to all points on the Railroads or Rivers, and hope to secure a reasonable share of patronage.
B. H. J. AHRENS,
Proprietor New Ice House.
Send for Prices. we fr su ap 30 3m

Sponges.
A FINE LOT OF SPONGES FOR THE TOILET and bath. Sizes, quality and prices guaranteed to suit any person wishing to buy.
MUNDS BROS. & DEROSSET,
Market and 2d Streets.
Fine English Tooth Brushes, 25c. each.
ap 30 1t

New Music.
"I'LL AWAIT MY LOVE."
"When the Spring Time and Robins Have Come," as sung by Thatcher, Primrose & West's Minstrels.
"Sleep Little Darling."
"Ehren on the Rhine."
"Little Darling Dream of Me."
And all the latest Songs.
"Queen's Lace Handkerchief," as played by the New York Comic Opera Co.
For new and pretty Music be sure to visit
HEINSBERGER'S,
ap 30 tf Live Book and Music Stores.

Steamer Passport
WILL MAKE REGULAR TRIPS TO SMITHville and the Forts every day except Sunday.
Fare, 75c. round trip. Parties of ten or more can secure tickets day befeor hand for 50c.
ap 30 tf J. W. HARPER.

Tooth Brushes and Combs.
AN ELEGANT ENGLISH TOOTH BRUSH FOR ONLY 20 CENTS; an elegant CELLULOID COMB for only 25 cents, former price 50 cents, at
J. H. HARDIN'S
Drug and Seed Store,
ap 27 tf New Market, Wilmington, N.C.

Spring and Summer Styles!
HARRISON & ALLEN,
ap 27 tf Hatters.

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