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OUTLINES.

Fifty thousand Russian troops will be massed at Baku, on the Caspian sea. The British government has taken possession of the steamship Arizona, with the option of purchase, and is expected to secure the steamships Oregon and Alaska; these measures have been taken because Russia had overtures for purchase. The Oxford crew won the University boat race. Mexican army officers are joining the government forces of San Salvador and Nicaragua. Gray's cotton factory, at Elliott City, Md., has been closed. The cotton crop in sight amounts to 5,373,918 bales. It is reported that Osman Digna wants to surrender. All the first naval reserve at Portsmouth, Eng., have been ordered into commission. The North, the Russian organ, ridicules the idea of any war between Russia and England on the Afghan question. The French report the loss of 263 killed and wounded in two days' fight with the Chinese. There is a marked lull in the war scare in London. People in the mountain districts of West Virginia are on the verge of starvation and asking for bread. New York markets: Money 1 per cent.; cotton steady at 11 3/16 @ 11 7/16; southern flour steady and rather quiet; wheat, ungraded 82 @ 86; corn, ungraded 49 @ 50; rye 24 @ 25; spirits turpentine dull at 31 1/2 @ 32 1/4. The cerebro spinal meningitis is prevailing in Atlanta, Ga. London is almost volcanic, so intense is the excitement just now. The President made thirteen more Democratic postmasters Thursday. Gen. Negrier was repulsed at Bangbo by the Chinese, losing 200 men. Bismarck will be 71 years old on the 1st of April, and a wonderful man he is. Henry M. Lloyd, who will succeed Gov. McLane, of Maryland, is but 36 years old. Henry James has written a review of Cross's Life of George Eliot for the Atlantic Monthly. The talk in London is not of a Turko-Russian alliance but of an Anglo-Turkish alliance. Vice President Hendricks has succeeded in putting his man, Aquila Jones, in the Indianapolis postoffice. Mr. McLane speaks French like a native, and Mr. Pendleton can speak German without gargling his throat. German is the table language in his home. The Ameer of Afghanistan promises England to put 50,000 troops in the field. The race for Herat between Russians and Afghans has begun. Ristori is playing Lady Macbeth in Philadelphia and the sleep-walking scene is said to be one of extreme beauty. Janusclek is tremendous in that scene. The last Congress raised the salary of the Minister to Turkey from \$7,500 to \$10,000. This will be pleasant to the witty and cultured "Sunset Cox." The Commissioner of Patents is Martin Van Buren Montgomery. He is a native of Michigan and was born in 1840, of Irish parents. He is quite a distinguished lawyer in his section. Gen. Gordon was so displeased with the way he was treated at home by his government that in his very last letter to English friends, he said: "I will accept nothing whatever from Gladstone's government. I will not even let them pay my expenses. I will get them to pay them. I will never put foot in England again, but will (D. V. I get out) go to Brussels and so on to the Congo." The New York World of the 27th says of Minister Phelps: "Perhaps after Mr. Edmunds, the leading Republican in Burlington said to me yesterday: 'After Mr. Edmunds retired from general practice Mr. Phelps was universally conceded to be the ablest lawyer in Vermont.' 'This seems to be, in fact, conceded without question. He has been President of the American Association; he has been engaged in every leading case in Vermont for thirty years, and his fees, if that is any criterion, have ranked in size with any lawyer's in the country.' The gentlemen selected for the new Judgeships will be satisfactory to the bar, we suppose. Of Judge Connor, of Wilson, the STAR has had occasion to speak frequently. He is a good lawyer and an honest, upright man. Judge Montgomery, of Cabarrus, has also the reputation of

being a sound lawyer. For years he has been the solicitor of the district in which he resides. Of the other appointment the News-Observer says: 'The appointment of Mr. Richard H. Battle as judge of the Fourth District is a sort of "Cleveland surprise." He has not desired the honor and up to the hour of our going to press he had not determined whether he could accept it or not.'

The Washington correspondent of the Charleston News and Courier writes on the 26th: 'A government which has been under Republican control for nearly a quarter of a century, cannot be reformed in three weeks, three months, or even three years. It is indeed fortunate for the Democratic party that Mr. Cleveland has the nerve to withstand the importunities of the men who seek to advise him. He has promised that the recess shall be "turned out," and that the "books of the government shall be looked into." He means to keep his word.'

In the South there are a great many faithful officials who are the extreme Radicals, and who run the machine. They ought to go.

THE CITY.

MUNSON—Fine suitings. C. M. STEEDMAN—For rent. H. H. FOSTER—Vocal class. W. C. YATES—Easter cards. HEINBERGER—Easter cards. J. H. HARRIS—Easter cards. FIRE-PROOF OIL—Where sold. W. H. GREEN—Garden seed. SAM'L BEAR, JR.—Tobacco, etc. C. M. HARRIS—Visitor's guide. HARRISON & ALLEN—Polo caps. BROWN & RODDICK—New goods. JNO. J. HEDRICK—White goods. R. M. MCINTIRE—Dry goods, etc. COLLIER & CO.—Ponies at auction. J. W. GORDON & SMITH—Insurance. A. SHRIER—Ladies and gents' shoes. WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO.—Groceries. Mrs. WARREN—Marsh mello drops. OTTERBOURG & CO.—Mail and Express. PARKER & TAYLOR—Lightning rods, etc. GILES & MURCHISON—Coopers' tools, etc. McDUGALL & BOWDEN—Carriages, etc. W. E. SPRINGER & CO.—Turpentine tools. W. E. WORTH & CO.—Ice consumers. J. R. MARSHALL—Commission merchant. A. C. LINE—Rates to N. O. Exposition. HIBERNIAN ASSOC.—Anniversary ball. Personal. Messrs. J. T. Bland, of Pender, and J. S. W. Robinson, of Sampson, members of the House of the last General Assembly, were in the city yesterday. We regret to hear that Capt. J. C. Borden is very sick. Mr. W. R. Reynolds and wife, of Jackson, Michigan, are the guests of Mr. J. R. Turentine, of this city. Mr. Reynolds is just from the Exposition at New Orleans and says it is a great success. He is much pleased with our climate, by the way, and thinks it equals, if not surpasses, that of Florida. Mr. W. W. Barnes, formerly of this city, but now of Philadelphia, is here on a visit of a few days. We regret to hear that Mr. J. W. Thompson, Secretary and Treasurer of the W. & W. and W. C. & A. Railroads, is quite sick. Master J. D. Bellamy, eldest son of Mr. Marsden Bellamy, has been very sick with typhoid fever for the past three weeks and we learn that his condition has not improved. Sudden Death. Millie Ann Burke, colored, aged about 60 years, was found dead in her house on Fifth between Bladen and Harnett streets, yesterday morning. She lived alone in the building, but in the yard is a house occupied by Deputy Sheriff Henry Brewington and his family. At about half-past 8 o'clock a woman next door observed a window open in her room, when she looked in and saw the unfortunate woman lying dead on the floor by the side of her bed with her spectacles on, where she had probably fallen while attempting to get to her bed when attacked by the disease that caused her death. She had been complaining for some time, but continued to attend to her household duties. The Coroner was notified, but held no inquest. Accident on the Wharf. Considerable excitement was created at the foot of Princess street, yesterday afternoon, by the accidental backing of a horse attached to a furniture wagon on the side of the wharf. The horse and wagon fell a distance of six feet or more into an empty flat lying at the wharf. A crowd gathered and ready hands loosened the gearing, got the wagon out of the way and soon had the animal on his feet, apparently but little the worse for the accident, which was thought at first must result seriously. The flat was then removed to a convenient spot and the horse and wagon transferred to the wharf. Magistrate's Court. Florence Morris, colored, was arraigned before Justice Mills, on a peace warrant sworn out by Abbie Ashe, also colored. The result of the examination was the discharge of the defendant, the prosecutor being required to pay the costs. Betsy Wortham, charged with an assault and battery upon Phillis Colvin, was discharged, the prosecutor paying the costs. Phillis Colvin, accused of assault and battery upon Betsy Wortham, was discharged, the prosecutor paying the costs. Sheriff Manning tried his new canvas boat yesterday, and found it to work splendidly. It did not leak a drop.

LOCAL NEWS.

Receipts of cotton yesterday 9 bales. Cool and high winds predicted for to-day. Sixth Sunday in Lent, known as Palm Sunday. Friday night was one of the foggiest on record. Eggs were retailing yesterday at 12 1/2 cents per dozen. Full moon to-morrow evening, at 26 minutes after 11 o'clock. A love feast was held at the Fifth Street Methodist Church last night. There will be an eclipse of the moon to-morrow, invisible in this latitude. Detective Mayer says business in his line is very dull just now. Drummers are scarce. There will be English services at the Lutheran Church to-day, both morning and evening. Only one marriage license was issued during the past week, and that was to a colored couple. None of the bodies lost by the explosion of the ill-fated steamer Wave have ever been recovered. Major Foster, of the Review, will begin his next vocal class at Temperance Hall on Monday, April 6th. There will be services at the Seamen's Bethel this morning at 10 1/2 o'clock. Seats are free and the public is cordially invited. This immediate section was visited by a good shower of rain yesterday, the approach of which was heralded by quite heavy thunder. Bicycling appears to be growing constantly in favor. Several more new ones have been ordered and the club is increasing in numbers. The second quarterly meeting of the Fifth Street Methodist Church will take place to-day. The Presiding Elder, Rev. P. J. Carraway, will be in attendance. Two beautiful palmetto trees were brought up from Smithville Friday night on the steamer Louise, to be used in decorating St. James' Church for Palm Sunday. Four tramps were accommodated with lodging at the station house Friday night, two of whom have the promise of situations, being men able and willing to work. We learn that the series of meetings at the Fifth Street Methodist Church, which have proved so wonderfully successful, will be continued through the coming week. The Hibernian Benevolent Association have their annual ball at Germania Hall on Monday night of next week, the 6th of April. It is intended to make it a grand affair. Capt. Woodside, of the steamer Louise, reports the heaviest fog at Smithville yesterday morning that he has known for a long time, and it did not lift until about 12 o'clock. 'Wars and rumors of wars' was a prolific theme of conversation on the streets yesterday. It will not be the first time the "Lion" and the "Bear" have "locked horns," so to speak. Daily services in St. John's Church, during Holy Week, at 7.30 a. m., 11 a. m. and 5 p. m., except on Wednesday and Thursday, when the 11 a. m. service will be changed to 8.15 p. m. The interments in the various city cemeteries during the past week were as follows: Oakdale, none; Bellevue, 1 adult and one child; Pine Forest (colored), 8 adults and 3 children. Total 7. The only case before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning was that of Geo. Thomas, colored, charged with being disorderly on Water street Friday night, who was required to pay a fine of \$10. We are requested to repeat the notice that Rev. W. T. Jones will preach at the First Baptist Church this morning, and that the pastor will preach at the Baptist Chapel at 5 p. m. and fill his own pulpit at night. A lady has adopted a novel way to rid herself of tramps. She tells that to walk ten times around the square, and by the time they complete the contract she will have a nice little meal ready for them. They start out to perform the feat of pedestrianism, but neglect to return. Second quarterly exercises of Brooklyn Hall Sunday School will be held this (Sunday) evening, at 8.30 o'clock. Address by the Rev. W. T. Jones, of Morehead, N. C., and other interesting exercises by the school. In the evening at 8 o'clock the Rev. W. T. Jones will preach. The public is cordially invited to attend. Called to Charlotte. The Charlotte Observer says: "A congregational meeting of the Baptist Church in this city was held last Wednesday night at which it was decided to call Rev. Dr. H. Pritchard, now in charge of the First Baptist Church in Wilmington, to the pastorate of the Charlotte Church, and a formal call has been extended to the Doctor. Dr. Pritchard is a leading man in his denomination in this State, and it is to be hoped that he will accept."

HOMICIDE.

One Negro Boy Kills Another with a Rock. Yesterday evening about 7 o'clock, while a crowd of young colored men and boys were standing about the southeast corner of Seventh and Ann streets, a difficulty arose between two of the number—John Carver and Walter Johnson—both aged about eighteen years. A wordy warfare progressed for some time, when Carver said to Johnson—"If you want anything out of me come on." Johnson retorted, "If you want anything out of me come on." Johnson then advanced a step or two and struck Carver with his fist. The parties separated, and shortly after, while Johnson was standing with one foot on the step of Mr. Borneemann's store, on the corner, a rock was thrown by Carver, which struck Johnson on the side of the neck. The blow was fatal, for according to the testimony of eye-witnesses Johnson fell to the ground and died without a groan. Carver ran, after throwing the rock, but was pursued and soon captured by some of the colored men present, and was by them given into the custody of the police. In the meantime, one of the witnesses of the homicide went to the City Hall and reported the affair. Chief of Police Brook immediately sent out special officers to arrest Carver, and went himself, in company with Dr. Potter, to Seventh and Ann streets where the fatal affray occurred. He found Dr. Peckham, Surgeon of the Marine Hospital, and Dr. Ellis present. Although no regular examination of the body of Johnson was made, it was apparent that the neck was broken. The body was removed to the house of some relatives of the dead boy on Ann between Sixth and Seventh streets, where the inquest will be held to-day. Carver was taken to the City Hall by the police and locked up in a cell. Education at Rocky Point. A correspondent writes as follows of the school exhibition at Rocky Point, Pender county, on Friday: "The first public exhibition of Rocky Point High School came off here on yesterday in a public school building, and other exercises of the pupils, attended by a fine crowd of interested spectators. It was all that the friends of the institution could desire, reflecting credit upon the teachers and pupils. The exercises were interspersed with music. "At night Rev. T. H. Pritchard, D. D., delivered, by invitation, a most excellent address on 'The Educated Farmer and Mechanic.' It abounded in striking and practical truths, appealing in strong terms for better education in this section, in order to rescue the people from their backward and dependent condition in agriculture, manufactures and mechanic arts. Such sentiments as this distinguished gentleman advanced ought to be spread broadcast over every community in North Carolina. The address was highly appreciated and will do much good in this entire section. "The exercises were closed with a sumptuous entertainment of nice and enjoyable eatables, highly relished by the crowded assemblage."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Weather indications. The following are the indications for to-day: For the South Atlantic States, local rains, southerly shifting, colder, northerly winds, falling followed by rising brometer. THE MAILS. The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows: CLOSE. Northern thro' mails, fast 7:45 P. M. to 10:30 P. M. Northern through and way mails, 8:30 A. M. Raleigh, 8:15 P. M. to 8:30 A. M. Mails for the N. C. Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom including A. S. N. C. Railroad, at 7:45 P. M. to 8:30 A. M. Southern mails for all points South, daily, 8:00 P. M. to 8:15 A. M. Western mails (C. C. Railway) daily, 8:00 P. M. to 8:15 A. M. All points between Hamlet and Raleigh, 8:15 P. M. Mail for Cheraw and Darlington Railroad, 8:00 P. M. Mails for points between Florence and Charleston, 8:00 P. M. to 8:15 A. M. Fayetteville, and other on Cape Fear, Tuesdays and Fridays, 1:00 P. M. Greenville, S. C. R. R., 8:15 P. M. to 8:30 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. to 8:30 A. M. Onlaw C. H. and intermediate offices, 8:00 A. M. to 8:30 A. M. Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily (except Sundays), 8:30 A. M. Mails for Cary Hill, Town Creek, Shiloh and Little River, Tuesdays and Fridays, 8:30 P. M. to 8:45 A. M. Wrightsville daily at 8:30 P. M. OPEN FOR DELIVERY. Northern thro' way mails, 7:30 A. M. to 8:15 A. M. Southern mails, 8:00 A. M. to 8:45 A. M. Carolina Central Railroad, 8:45 A. M. Stamp Office open from 7:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Money Order and Register Department open 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. continuous. Carriers delivery open on Sunday from 8:30 to 10 A. M. Mails collected from street boxes from busi-ness 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. on a 5 A. M. General delivery open from 7 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. Railroad time, 7th meridian.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. G. McGIRT, Auctioneer. BY COLLIER & CO. MONDAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK, AT EXCHANGE CORNER, we will sell ONE PAIR PONIES, perfect match, 4 years old. Also, fine HORSE, BUGGY and HARNESS. mh 29 1/2 A. G. McGIRT, Auctioneer. BY COLLIER & CO. ON SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH, 1885, AT 12 O'CLOCK, at our Sales Rooms, we will sell, for and on account of all concerned, 538 2-3 TONS GUANO, Just landed from Schooner Edward M. Emerson, from Ecuador, Guano stored upon west side of river, and can be examined there. The said 538 2-3 tons Guano are sold to pay advances, freight, demurrage, and other charges incurred. Terms Cash. mh 29 1/2 A. G. McGIRT, Auctioneer. BY COLLIER & CO. For Rent, A VERY HANDSOME ROOM ON THE SECOND FLOOR OF THE BANK OF NEW HANOVER BUILDING. Apply to mh 29 1/2 CHAS. M. STEEDMAN. Ice, Ice, Ice. WE EXPECT TO HAVE OUR ICE MACHINE in operation by the first of May, and respectfully request parties, either in or out of the city, who will want large lots of ice, to make no contracts until our plan is put in our bid at 10 o'clock. W. M. E. WORTH & CO. mh 29 1/2 Vocal Class. THE NEXT CLASS IN VOCAL MUSIC WILL begin at Temperance Hall, opposite City Hall, on Monday, April 6th, at 8 o'clock p. m. Tuition, \$2 for twelve lessons. H. H. FOSTER. "Fire-Proof Oil" IS BETTER THAN "KEROSENE OIL," OR any other Burning Oil. Can be used in any lamp. For sale by HOLMES & WATTERS, 7 North Front St. HENRY HAAR, 701 Chestnut St. W. M. OTERSEN, corner 5th and Market. J. G. L. GIESCHEN, corner Chestnut and McRae. Watch this list and see it grow. mh 29 1/2 Nineteenth Anniversary Ball OF THE HIBERNIAN BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, WILL TAKE PLACE ON EASTER MONDAY EVENING, April 6th, 1885, at Germania Hall. Music by the Italian String Band. Refreshments served by the ladies at this price. Tickets, admitting lady and gentleman, \$1.00; single tickets, 75c; which can be had of the Committee of Arrangements—T. Donlan, D. Quinnivan, L. Flanagan, Jas. Corbett, Jno. M. Donlon, Wm. Sheehan. Review copy mh 29 1/2 EXCURSION RATES, TO NEW ORLEANS & RETURN, VIA The Atlantic Coast Line. TO ENABLE ALL TO VISIT THE EXPOSITION on North Carolina's Day, April 2d, round trip tickets via this line will be on sale March 29th, 1885, for return within ten days from date of sale, at the following low rates: Weldon, N. C., \$1.00; New Bern, N. C., \$1.25; Beaufort, N. C., \$1.50; Currituck, N. C., \$1.75; Albemarle, N. C., \$2.00; Roanoke, N. C., \$2.25; Norfolk, N. C., \$2.50; Portsmouth, N. C., \$2.75; Raleigh, N. C., \$3.00; Washington, N. C., \$3.25; New York, N. C., \$3.50. These tickets will be limited to three days in each direction. T. M. EMERSON, GEN. PASS. AGENT. Tobacco at Factory Prices. 200 BOXES FINE AND COMMON TOBACCO, low for cash. WANTED—1,000 pounds Beechwood; also Cotton Rags. Highest market price paid. SAM'L BEAR, Sr., 18 Market Street. Don't Read This, UNLESS YOU ARE GOING TO PATRONIZE J. R. MARSHALL, General Commission Merchant, No. 24 North Water Street, Wilmington, N. C., who is receiving daily consignments of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and selling at fair prices for CASH. mh 29 1/2

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BY EXPRESS. BROWN & RODDICK, 9 North Front St. We have made the following purchases by Express, the Goods to arrive by Express on Tuesday Morning. FOULARD'S SILKS. A full line in the following colors, with white figures—Browns, Blacks, Whites, Dark greens, Navy and Mid Blue. Price 75c. These Goods have not been sold by any house in the country under \$1.00. They are the best grade in the market, and warranted NOT TO DRAW. Cold silk Velvet Ribbons. We have made a very large purchase in COLD SILK VELVET RIBBONS, and will retail them at half the market value. The following widths and prices: No. 4—60c per piece, or 7 c per yard. " 5—70c " " 8 " " " 7—90c " " 10 " " " 9—\$1.10 " " 12 1/2c " " 13 1/2c " " 15 " " Colors as follows—Navy, Myrtle, Browns, Ardoise, Garnets, Bronze, Eleg. Mode and France. BUSTLES. A full line of the LATEST STYLES OF BUSTLES, made from Hair Cloth, Coraline and Wire. JUST RECEIVED, A very large invoice of those fine TORCHON LACES, at the following prices per dozen—15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c and 60c. They are without exception the cheapest you have ever seen—A DECIDED BARGAIN. BROWN & RODDICK, SOLE AGENTS FOR BUTTRICK'S CUT-PAPER PATTERNS. Send to stamp for Catalogue. mh 29 1/2 Dry Goods, Carpets, and Mattings. Goods are being received daily, and we will be pleased to show you what we have to offer. R. M. MCINTIRE. JERSEYS are being shown in great variety. mh 29 1/2 Flour, Flour, Flour. 1000 Bbls FLOUR, our Choice Brands, Gold Medal, Electric Light, Happy Hit, Home Comfort and Silver Cloud. For sale low by WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO. mh 29 1/2 Bacon, Lard. 100 Boxes D. S. C. R. SIDES, do SMOKED do 50 Palls and Cases LARD. For sale low by WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO. mh 29 1/2 Sugar, Coffee, Molasses. 100 Bbls SUGARS, C. Ex. C and Granulated, 200 Sacks Choice RIO COFFEE, 100 Hhds and Bbls Cuba and Porto Rico MOLASSES. For sale low by WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO. mh 29 1/2 Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue. 250 Kegs NAILS, 500 Bundles HOOP IRON, 25 Bbls DISTILLER'S GLUUF. For sale low by WILLIAMS, RANKIN & CO. mh 29 1/2 Easter Cards. OUR EASTER CARDS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED, call and see them. PRAYER BOOKS and HYMNALS, in sets; a new stock just received. DEVOTIONAL BOOKS, all kinds, suitable for Lent. C. W. YATES, 113 Market St. Boys' Polo Caps! Stiff Hats! HARRISON & ALLEN, Hatters. We Paint AND REPAIR CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, PHAETONS, Wagons, Carts and Drays. Skilled workmen employed and none but the best material used. A full line of Carriages and all kinds of Saddlery Goods at low prices. McDUGALL & BOWDEN, Opposite Giles & Murchison's Store. mh 29 1/2 Turpentine Tools. HACKERS, FULLERS, DIPPERS, WHETTERS, Axes, Broad Axes, Jointers' Stock, Hovells and Crosses, Drawing Knives, &c. Full stock of first-class goods in this line. Guaranteed prices. W. E. SPRINGER & CO., Successors to Jas. Dawson & Co., 15, 21 & 29 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C. mh 29 1/2 Rock Lime, FOR BUILDING PURPOSES, FRESHLY BURNED. PRICE REDUCED TO \$1.15 PER CASK. LIBERAL DISCOUNT FOR LARGE LOTS AND TO THE TRADE. FRENCH BROS., ROCKY POINT, N. C. Address: O. G. CARLTON, Wilmington, N. C. mh 29 1/2

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS, BOOKKEEPERS, Farmers, Merchants, and Laboring Men, Attention! OTTERBOURG & CO., The Clothiers of Wilmington. HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED THEIR SPRING CLOTHING, and, aside from their large City Patronage, propose to make during the present season, a PROMINENT FEATURE of trading by Mail and shipping by the C. O. D. Express system. This is especially convenient to parties living in the country, and out of the range of select stocks, who are desirous of dressing neat at a stylish price. When ordering give a plain explanation of the style and size you desire; whether Stock or Frock is wanted; mention color, and state about price. Should be able to furnish such goods as you desire at a less price than given in letter, rest assured this will be done. We allow privilege of examination, only requiring Express charge to be paid, which are of little consequence. Address all orders to OTTERBOURG & CO., KING CLOTHIERS, Wilmington, N. C. mh 29 1/2 Wild Cats Abroad. SINCE RETRIEVAL OF DEPOSIT LAW THE WILD CATS ARE ABROAD IN THE LAND, SO LOOK OUT! FOR THEM AND INSURE IN THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INS. CO., which has paid over \$24,000,000.00 for losses in this country alone. Losses paid WITHOUT DELAY. Jno. W. Gordon & Smith AGENTS. mh 29 1/2 Easter Cards. THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF EASTER CARDS to be found in the city, and AT LOWEST PRICES. BIRTHDAY PRESENTS in great variety at REINBERGER'S Live Book and Music Stores. mh 29 1/2 Attention. IS CALLED TO OUR SUPERB LINE OF ENGLISH AND DOMESTIC SUITINGS, and the extremely low prices of our Men's, Youth's and Boys' suits. Gents' Furnishing Goods in great variety. At REINBERGER'S Furnishing Rooms. mh 29 1/2 Lightning Rods. IF YOU WANT QUIET AND REPOSE DURING THE THUNDER STORMS YOU MUST HAVE ONE OF OUR STAR RODS. Our Iron Well Pumps insure good water; cheaper and more lasting than wells. We have just received another lot of our new Columbia Cook Stoves. Also a fine lot of Kerosene Oil Stoves. Call and see them at FARRER & TAYLOR'S, 23 South Front St. mh 29 1/2 Coopers' Tools, TURPENTINE TOOLS. STILLERS' SUPPLIES. For sale by GILES & MURCHISON, Murchison Block. mh 29 1/2 Visitor's Guide. TO THE WORLD'S EXPOSITION, NEW ORLEANS. The latest Periodicals, Illustrated Papers, Magazines, and anything in the Reading line always on hand. Orders promptly filled. C. M. HARRIS, 23 South Front St. mh 29 1/2 Good Assortment. WE HAVE NOW ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF LADY'S AND GENT'S HATS, which we offer at lowest prices. Our Gent's Shoes for \$2.50 are nice fitting, easy wearing and durable. Come and give us a call. A. SEIBER, 108 Market St. mh 29 1/2 W. S. Briggs & Co. Pharmacists. WE BE CAREFUL ATTENTION TO THE compounding of physicians' prescriptions, using the BEST DRUGS that can be bought. mh 29 1/2 Marsh Mellow Drops, THE FINEST YOU EVER ATE, AND A NEW supply of Block's Gold Medal Cider, the finest ever sold in this market. Sold by the glass, quart or gallon, at WARREN'S Fruit and Confectionery Store. mh 29 1/2 Collard Seed, Collard Seed. PEAS, BEANS, CABBAGE SEED, &c., &c. A Fresh Supply. WILLIAM H. GREEN, 117 Market Street. mh 29 1/2 Easter Cards. I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE AND beautiful assortment of EASTER CARDS, which I offer at very low prices. The ladies are invited to call and see them. J. H. HARRIS, Drugist and Bookbinder, New Market, WILMINGTON, N. C. mh 29 1/2 CARLTON HOUSE, Warsaw, Duplin County, N. C. ON LINE OF WILMINGTON AND WELDON RAILROAD, 65 miles from Wilmington. Table always well supplied with the best of the country affords. Rates of Board very reasonable. H. J. CARLTON, Proprietor. mh 29 1/2