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OUTLINES.

An explosion on the steamer S. M. Fell-n, off Chestnut street wharf, Philadelphia, damaged the forward part of the boat and severely injured 16 persons...

Mr. Kelley will not be tendered any other foreign mission. Mr. Kelley is a man of character and ability and has been badly treated...

The people are beginning to weary in England of the continuance of the exposures in the Gazette. A monster meeting, however, is to be held in Hyde Park to give indorsement to the exposures...

The President gets badly fooled but who is to blame? Not he. Take Judd's case, the penitentiary bird. The Philadelphia Times says:

Some tramps near Huntingdon, Pa., robbed a man named Thomas Crepps, and then tied him across the railroad track. By frantic efforts he worked himself partially free...

Decrease in cotton receipts at Raleigh 738 bales. Dr. Walter C. Murphy has been appointed committee man for Pender county for the collection of funds for the Shotwell monument...

Asheville Advances: There is a growing sentiment among the Methodists in favor of abolishing camp meetings as they are no longer a necessity in this day of advanced civilization...

Wm. B. Fleming, of Covington, Ky., is the man about whom the caustic letter of President Cleveland was addressed. A Cincinnati dispatch says:

President Cleveland has been very wildly indorsed by the Ohio Democrats. From the committee's reports we take the following:

New Bernes Journal: The funeral of Clarence A. Badlich took place yesterday afternoon from Christ Church, Rev. E. M. Forbes conducting the services...

The blackfish excursion, advertised to take place on the steamer Italian, has been postponed until next Thursday morning, the 20th inst., at 5 o'clock.

The county authorities are to meet at Smith's Creek, on the old county road, this afternoon, at half past 2 o'clock, to formally receive the new iron bridge just completed.

A former resident of Wilmington, now living in the neighborhood of Chicago, sent an order to one of his dealers recently for two dollars' worth of clay pipes...

The Richmond State, speaking of the examination of postal clerks in that city last week, says: "George M. Carr, a postal clerk between Richmond and Wilmington, was examined on the North Carolina scheme by transcript, and stood 100."

Mr. J. H. McGarity has almost entirely recovered from his recent severe sickness. Mr. Frank H. Darby and wife are at Hickory, N. C., spending a week or two very pleasantly.

MUNSON—Bergains in clothing. POSTPONED—Blackfish excursion. HEINSBERGER—Pianos and organs. T. J. SOUTHERLAND—Change of schedule.

A New Juvenile Club. The Electric Base Ball club (uniformed) organized yesterday as follows: J. B. Willard, c.; J. H. Bishop, p.; Geo. Johnson, 1st b.; B. Platt, 2nd b.; B. H. Marshall, 3rd b.; P. Willard, s. a.; F. J. Moore, r. f.; J. H. Taylor, c. f.; R. C. Platt, 1. f.; J. H. Bishop, captain; H. S. Benton, manager; T. H. Platt, secretary and treasurer; B. H. Marshall, president.

War Department, Signal Service, U. S. Army. Division of Telegrams and Reports for the Benefit of Commerce and Agriculture. COTTON-BELT BULLETIN.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, Max. Temp., Min. Temp., Rain Fall. Rows include Wilmington, Charlotte, Augusta, Savannah, Atlanta, Montgomery, New Orleans, Galveston, Vicksburg, Little Rock, Memphis.

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for today: For the South Atlantic States, local rains, followed by fair weather, easterly winds, becoming variable and nearly stationary temperature.

A Lively Chase After a Burglar—Stolen Goods Recovered, &c. On the night of Saturday, the 8th inst., or between 3 and 4 o'clock Sunday morning, the house of Henrietta Buchanan, in the neighborhood of Seventh and Wooster streets, was burglariously entered and robbed of a number of articles.

Bridge Notice. THE IRON BRIDGE OVER SMITH'S CREEK, having been tendered by Mr. E. F. Graham, Superintendent of the King Iron Bridge Co., to the Commissioners of New Hanover County, for their acceptance and maintenance at the Wages of this County...

To-Day WE OFFER BARGAINS IN CLOTHING. MUNSON, Clothier, &c. Pianos and Organs. REPRESENTING THE GREAT SOUTHERN MUSIC HOUSE OF LUDDEN & BATES, SAVANNAH, GA.

Taxes. THE TAX BOOK FOR THE YEAR 1885 HAS been put in my hands for collection. Those interested will please take notice. JOHN D. TAYLOR, Tax Collector.

A Word to Merchants. BEFORE SENDING OFF FOR YOUR FALL supply of BLANK BOOKS and OFFICE STATIONERY, let us give you prices, and see what we can save you. CHAS. B. BROWN, Book and Stationery Dealer.

Local News. Three bales of cotton were received yesterday. The weather Sunday and Sunday night was decidedly fallish. There was a gale of wind and high tides at Smithville and the "Rocks" on Sunday.

The dock Streeters, Capt. J. Hanby, and the Comets, Capt. H. B. Willis, two juvenile clubs, played a match game yesterday, which resulted in a score of 8 for the former and 5 for the latter.

A match game of base ball is said to have taken place on Dickinson's Hill, yesterday afternoon, between two colored female clubs, the "Blue Ridge" and "Rough and Ready," the score being 10 to 8 in favor of the latter.

Our Front Street Methodist friends, we hear, were greatly pleased with the sermons at their church Sunday. Rev. Mr. Tuttle preached in the morning and Rev. B. R. Hall at night.

The only case before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning was that of Dave Mallett, colored, charged with being drunk and down. It was his first appearance in a long time, and as he wanted to leave town he was dismissed with a reprimand.

Personal. The Richmond State, speaking of the examination of postal clerks in that city last week, says: "George M. Carr, a postal clerk between Richmond and Wilmington, was examined on the North Carolina scheme by transcript, and stood 100."

John Brogan, a white seaman, who was arrested on Friday morning last, on the charge of the larceny of five cans of condensed milk from Captain Alfred Olsen, of the steam tug Babel, on or about the 7th inst., had a preliminary examination before a magistrate yesterday, who after listening to the evidence, required the defendant to enter into a bond in the sum of \$50 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, failing in which he was sent to jail.

The family of Mr. L. A. Bilbro, residing on Church street, in the southern section of the city, including himself, wife and several children, were poisoned on Sunday evening and made deathly sick. A physician was summoned, who announced that the trouble had been caused by milk they had been drinking. At last accounts the parties were still confined to their beds, though it was understood they were considered out of danger.

RIVER AND MARINE. The water in the Cape Fear has become so low that the boats can scarcely make any headway at all. The steamer A. P. Hart, which left Fayetteville on Monday last, did not reach here until Sunday afternoon, and the steamer D. Murdochson, which left Tuesday, did not tie up here until some time Sunday night.

DECEASED. SCOTT—In this city, on Sunday morning, August 16, at 10 o'clock, GEORGE L. SCOTT, aged 38 years 3 months and 11 days. Born in Kirchwald, province of Hanover, Germany.

ROSCOE—In this city, on the 16th inst., at 5:15 P. M., of heart disease, Mrs. SOPHIE ROSCOE, a native of Steubenville, Ohio, beloved wife of H. Roscoe, aged 44 years 7 months and 19 days.

Change of Schedule. ON AND AFTER AUGUST 17TH, HACK FOR WRIGHTSVILLE SOUND will leave the Purcell House at 5:30 P. M. T. J. SOUTHERLAND.

Executrix's Notice. HAVING QUALIFIED AS EXECUTRIX OF THE last will and testament of GEORGE G. FARLEY, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the said decedent to exhibit the same to me or before the 15th day of August, 1885.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING: One Square One Day, 25 Cts. Two Days, 40 Cts. Three Days, 50 Cts. Five Days, 75 Cts. One Week, 1.00. Two Weeks, 1.75. Three Weeks, 2.25. One Month, 3.50. Two Months, 6.00. Three Months, 8.00. Six Months, 15.00. One Year, 30.00.

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