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THE MORNING STAR.

THE SUMMER WEATHER.

The summer of 1885 was a very hot one according to the human thermometer. The highest recorded heat in our office was 91 degrees, and on but three or four days did the heat attain to that height.

—Elizabeth City Economist: This may be put down as the hottest summer we have had for years. The thermometer was at 98 several times.

—Capt. Howgate is in England and no mistake. He has been seen. The New York Times says:

—Mr. Hugh Postell is dead at Asheville of typhoid fever, aged 33.

—The Tarboro people have resolved to be independent of the wash-women, and will have a laundry cycle to all demands.

—The Moore Gazette has completed its third year. Mr. John W. Scott, Jr., the editor, has improved it and it is now better than it ever was.

—New Bern had 81 interments from May to August inclusive. That is equal to 249 in a year.

—The Murfreesboro Index is the name of the new paper by Mr. John W. Hicks, late of the Warrenton Home Journal.

—Raleigh Visitor: It is rumored that a new independent morning paper will soon be established here by a joint stock company.

MORNING EDITION.

OUTLINES.

The race between the Geneseta and Puritan was again postponed, because of an accident at the beginning of the race, the Puritan fouling the Geneseta and both boats sustaining damage.

—The Spanish man-of-war Velasco, expected to arrive at Tap on the 23rd of August, was under orders to gain possession of that island; news from Tap is anxiously awaited at Madrid.

—The drought is very severe in some parts of Virginia.

—Charleston has a young and promising tenor singing by the name of James B. Bradley.

—John Sullivan has sent word to Ryan that the fight between them is "off." John is imbibing too freely.

—Virginia are now talking of 20,000 majority for Gen. Lee. They will be wise to compromise at half that.

—Dr. Green was born near the Hermitage, Jackson's home. We give it up. He was a protegee of "Old Hickory."

—A cash box has been constructed in New Orleans for street railroad cars. It makes change and collects fares of passengers without human assistance.

—Some Republican busy body started a report that Postmaster General Vilas was about to resign. This is emphatically contradicted.

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Indian Curiosities.

Lieut. J. R. Rhodes, who is in the U. S. Revenue Marine service on the Fort Townsend (Washington Territory) station, sends to his little son Clarence, in this city, as a curiosity, one of the bows, with arrows, in use among the Indians in that part of the country.

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—The Board of Aldermen. In the hurry of getting up the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen a few errors occurred which we will correct.

—Lawn Party and Concert. The lawn party and concert last night at the City Hall park proved quite an attraction, although the weather was threatening.

—A Novelty. Mr. E. V. Richards has painted an ingenious sign for Mr. H. Cronenberg, the artist. As viewed from the northeast corner of Second and Market streets it reads "Art Gallery."

—The Shooting a Story. The cases of John Owens and Maggie Owens, colored, arrested on Sunday night on the charge of shooting at each other at their residence in the neighborhood of Third and Castle streets, had a hearing before Justice Hall, yesterday.

—SILVER AND BRASS. —Capt. Thos. Macumber, of the British barque George Davis, just in from Liverpool, reports having spoken the German barque Murray, from New York and bound to Stettin, Germany, on the 9th of August, in about 6.40 west longitude and 40 north latitude.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR A LARGE LOT OF FIRST-CLASS FURNITURE, consisting of Solid Black Walnut Bed-Room Suits, Marble Slab Suits, Oak Suits, &c.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, Max. Temp., Min. Temp., Rain Fall.

Our Home Temperature. The following shows the range of the thermometer, yesterday, in this city, as furnished by the Signal Service office.

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for today: For the South Atlantic States, occasional local rains, increasing east to south winds, veering to southwesterly, and nearly stationary temperature.

First Baptist Church—Young Missionaries. Rev. Dr. Pritchard, of the First Baptist Church, announced to his congregation on Sunday last that he had accepted an invitation to preach in Philadelphia on next Sunday and the Sunday following.

Quarter Meetings of the Wilmington District of the Methodist E. Church, South. Cokesbury Circuit, Bethel, September 12th and 13th.

Board Wanted. A PLEASANT LARGE ROOM, PREFERRED unfurnished, with Board, is wanted by a gentleman and wife in a private family, where home conveniences can be enjoyed.

SCHOOL NOTICE. MISS MARY C. DARBY WILL OPEN A PRIVATE SCHOOL for Girls and Boys, for instruction in all the English branches, at the residence No. 6 Church street.

Miss M. E. Lavender. WILL RE-OPEN HER SCHOOL OCTOBER 1. HIGH SCHOOL and ACADEMIC BRANCHES taught Boys and Girls. Tuition paid monthly.

Bartlett Pears. A SPINWALL BANANAS. CONCORD GRAPES. NEW YORK APPLES. BY TO-DAY'S STEAMER.

LIME. LIME. LIME. 1800 BBL. ROCKLAND LIME. BEST QUALITY. FOR SALE.

A Constant Strain. THE GREAT FLY-WHEEL, SET IN MOTION last Thursday morning, made many a revolution up to last evening, when steam was shut off till to-morrow morning.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING. One Square One Day, 10 Cts. Three Days, 25 Cts. One Week, 50 Cts. One Month, 1.00. Six Months, 5.00. One Year, 10.00.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. For Rent. From October 1st next, Store in E. Mount's Row, on South side of Market Street, between Front and Second.

For Rent. Dwelling A. W. corner Second and Dock streets. Store No. 8 South Front street.

For Rent. STORES, OFFICES AND DWELLINGS. Apply to O. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent.

For Rent. The Store, "EXCHANGE CORNER," at present occupied by Miss E. KERR, from 1st of October. Apply to T. H. SMITH.

For Rent. That desirable BRICK TENEMENT HOUSE, situated on Front between Orange and Ann streets. Full House contains seven rooms.

For Rent. A TWO-STORY HOUSE, with seven rooms and a kitchen with two rooms on fifth, between Pine and Market streets.

Adrian & Volders. OFFER FOR SALE AT LOW FIGURES. FLOUR, all grades. SUGAR.

Tar Heel Liniment. FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE. Rev. Dr. Pritchard, of the First Baptist Church, announced to his congregation on Sunday last that he had accepted an invitation to preach in Philadelphia on next Sunday and the Sunday following.

State & County Taxes, 1885. THE TAX BOOKS FOR THE YEAR 1885 have been placed in my hands for collection. All interested will take notice. Pay promptly and save costs.

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Bagging, Ties, Twine. 1000 Half Rolls 2 lb BAGGING. 2500 Bundles NEW ARROW TIES. 1000 Lbs BAILING TWINE.

Bacon, Flour, Coffee. 100 Boxes D. S. C. R. SIDES. 1000 Bbls FLOUR, all grades. 2000 Sacks Choice RIO COFFEE.

Molasses, Sugar, Rice. 100 Bbls Choice Porto Rico MOLASSES. 100 Bbls Refined SUGARS, all grades. 25 Bbls CAROLINA RICE.

Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue. 300 Kegs NAILS. 500 Bundles HOOP IRON. 25 Bbls DISTILLER'S GLUE.

Worth Consideration. ON EVERY \$10.00 OF INSURANCE IN A sixty days' clause Co. you lose in case of total loss at least \$100. Why not save this amt. by insuring in the

Liverpool & London & Globe Ins. Co. which pays all losses WITHOUT DISCOUNT. Jno. W. Gordon & Smith.

COTTON. 25 BARRLS, OUR OWN CATCH. 100 pounds in each Barrel. W. B. DAVIS & SON.

On Gents' Low Shoes. WE WILL GIVE YOU A BARGAIN TO CLOSE out stock, and all kinds of FOOTWEAR we offer at BARGAINS during this week. Call in and see what you can do.

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