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MORNING EDITION.

OUTLINES.

Rev. Dr. Curry, the newly appointed Minister to Spain has been interviewed by a reporter. Several fourth-class post-masters were appointed yesterday for North Carolina.

Rev. Dr. Milburn is back in New York from a short trip to Europe. The latest rumor about the new Cardinal is that Archbishop Gibbons will get it.

The cotton in Georgia has been very much injured by the continued heavy rains. Ohio Democrats are offering to bet odds that Sherman is not returned to the U. S. Senate.

Rev. C. M. Booth, Baptist, is in disgrace—cause, forgery and bad associations. This is at Springfield, Mass.

Colored candidates on Republican tickets in Ohio had but little showing. They were dropped everywhere.

W. H. Davison, a rope walker, had a fall of twenty feet at Spartanburg, S. C., and was dangerously hurt. His spitting blood.

New York purist of being the inventor of those choice words that are such favorites with some North Carolina editors and preachers.

The peanut crop for 1885 is very short as compared with the crop of 1884. It is estimated at 2,400,000 bushels, a falling off of 1,150,000 bushels.

Stocks in all markets October 1, 1885. Virginia crop 1,800,000 bushels. North Carolina crop 800,000 bushels. Total supply 3,900,000 bushels.

The Catholic Visitor, of Richmond, Va., has an editorial on Dr. Curry, and a discourse he is credited with preaching at Richmond in 1876.

In the recent election in Ohio the frauds upon the ballot rivalled anything that has been hitherto known. Cincinnati and Columbus were the scenes of the most barefaced rascalities.

Here is an item for philanthropists and religious people to consider. A dispatch to the New York Herald from Chattanooga, dated the 17th says:

The Wilmington Star completed its eighteenth year a few days ago. It is the foremost daily in the State, and its arrangement and collection of matter make it the best compendium of information published in the State.

Spirits Turpentine

The Morganton Star has bought the Blade. John C. Blake, of Raleigh, aged 44, is dead. There is great complaint throughout the State about postal cards. They are very scarce.

The Battleboro Headlight is the name of a new paper just started at Battleboro by Messrs. Stokes & Odum. Our best wishes attend the enterprise.

Asheboro Courier: A fine barn of tobacco, belonging to W. J. Groome & Bro., of Trinity College, was burned last Wednesday night.

two-year old, son of Theo. Lawrence, while out hunting this morning while getting over a fence, fell, and his gun was discharged, the contents lodging in his left hand badly.

New Berne Journal: W. B. Lane, Esq., who was in the city on Monday attending a meeting of the county board of education, reports the death of Mr. Josiah Hill, which occurred at his home in the 9th township on Sunday evening. He was 97 years old.

Lumberton Robesonian: Mr. Demcan McMillan, grandfather of our townsman, Dr. J. D. McMillan, died at his residence in St. Pauls township on the 7th of September, in the 90th year of his age. He was born in Scotland, but came to this country in 1804, and has lived in this country ever since.

Raleigh Recorder: Shaw University opened with a larger number of students than ever before. Rev. Dr. T. E. Skinner, President of the Board of Trustees of Wake Forest College, has called a meeting of the Board in Raleigh, N. C., during the session of the N. C. Baptist State Convention.

Goldboro Argus: The election yesterday upon the question of water works for the city of Goldboro resulted in the measure being carried by about 11 majority of the total registered vote of the city. We have not the official vote at hand, but understand that the total vote was about 307-375 for and 83 against water works.

Lincolnton Press: Departed this life in great peace in Lincolnton, N. C., October 1, 1885, Mrs. Alice M. Robeson, and daughter of Rev. J. B. Bailey, of the North Carolina Annual Conference. She was born in Gates county, North Carolina, June 30, 1850.

Raleigh News-Observer: "The North Carolina Criminal Code and Digest" is the title of a new law book, by M. N. Amis, Esq., of the Raleigh bar, to be published soon. Dr. Robinson says there are about 1,300 incurable insane in the eastern division, and about 2,000 in the State.

Forty-eight hours ago or less the mercury stood at 76 in our office. Last night at 10 o'clock it stood at 60.

THE CITY.

MUNSON-Umbrellas. WALTER-White cook. COLLIER & Co.-Auctioneers. H. WARREN & Son-Fine fruit. HANSENBERGER-The Baus piano.

A warning. For the benefit of our theatre-goers, we copy the following fearful warning from the Petersburg Index Appeal:

Mad theatre-goers should immediately take time by the forelock. Indeed, may become necessary to take the girls by the forelock, for the hats this season are three stories high and have a mansard roof and several Queen Anne turrets besides.

Receipts of cotton yesterday 1,543 bales. A telegram from Fayetteville yesterday reported good rains up the river.

One of our regular reporters is sick and the other is absent from the city. We are in bad luck, truly. A cold wave seems to be moving down this way, and overcoats were in demand last night.

The cotton compresses seem to be doing a good business, as they are running night and day. Our city is now bountifully supplied with elegant fruit, including some of the finest apples we have ever seen.

The Eastern Carolina Fair and Stock Association opens at Goldsboro on the 3rd of November, and will last four days. We acknowledge receipt of a complimentary ticket.

Servis, that is so frequently and belgiently mentioned in our telegraphic columns, is a little larger than our own Eagles' Island. But there's no Subserviancy about her.

The schooner Kate Wentworth was cleared yesterday for Jerome, Haiti, and the cargo, which was shipped by Messrs. J. H. Chadbourne & Co., consisting of lumber, shingles and brick, was valued at \$3,361.88.

Some fine beef is being brought to this market now. By the way, the war in this article continues, and while the butchers "throw their cleavers" at each other, the public gets the best beef at ten cents per pound.

The large British steamships now here loading with cotton suggest the important fact that the water facilities of this port have been greatly improved during the last few years, thanks to the Government appropriations.

It was suggested in this department of the STAR, a day or two since, that the whipping-post for wife-beaters would be a good thing for Wilmington. Now we see that the Cincinnati Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has unanimously adopted a resolution in favor of that same thing.

Another point to be considered is the fact that the climate here would suit the French people much better than would that of the Piedmont section of South Carolina.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance, held Monday afternoon, there were present: W. I. Gore, Chairman, Wm. Calder, R. J. Jones, C. F. Von Kampen, and several bills were audited during the meeting.

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Board is hereby authorized to countersign thirty bonds, each of the denomination of one thousand dollars, to be exchanged for a like amount of notes outstanding, which were issued for the purchase of the Markets on Front and Fourth streets; bonds authorized by an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, and ratified the 28th day of February, 1885.

The New Hanover Gun and Kennel Club met last night, and H. McL. Green was elected President, the Rev. Dr. Fritchard having declined to accept. The officers are now as follows:

President—H. McL. Green. Vice President—W. A. Williams. Treasurer—R. H. Grant. Secretary—J. C. Loder. Governing Committee—C. E. Nallin, B. G. Euple and S. A. Haney.

Wilmington still sustains her supremacy over her Southern competitors as a cotton market. Tuesday, the price of middling cotton was as follows at the points named: Savannah, 9-8-16; Charleston, 9-1; Wilmington, 9-8-16.

Magistrate's Court. Sam Gardner, colored, was brought before Justice J. C. Mills for abandonment of his wife Cely, and found guilty and required to pay \$30 per month for her support, and also the costs in the case.

Is This Right? John Wright was a pious wheelwright, Who could hardly write a line right; But whenever he'd write a church's rite, John Wright would write it right.

To the Editor of the Morning Star, N. C.: DEAR SIR: My attention is attracted to your issue of October 21st, and particularly to the article entitled "Progress," which contains an erroneous statement on the minds of those who use the facts.

The Wilmington Fire Alarm System, established by our Company, at a cost of \$10,000, is in existence and entered into by the City of Wilmington, and believed to be the cheapest arrangement which they could make.

Our Company assumed the construction and maintenance of the fire alarm system, and are consequently entitled to the profit made on the investment. The City of Wilmington, under the present arrangement, pays us an annual rental of \$82 instead of \$885.00 as intimated by Messrs. "Progress."

In view of the fact that with a Telephone Fire Alarm System, all the existing Telephone Exchange Stations become auxiliary Fire Alarm Stations without any expense to the city whatever, and in view of the further fact that the adoption of the Gamewell System would involve the necessity for additional lines of poles on many of the streets, I do not think it will be to the interests of the city to make the change suggested by "Progress."

By publishing the above you will oblige Yours truly, C. E. McCLURE, Supt.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Competition Busted! PRICE OF VEAL, LAMB AND MUTTON STILL REMAIN 10 CENTS PER POUND.

Sausage, Liver Pudding, Bologna Sausage, Venison. FRESH AND NICE. We guarantee as FINE MEATS as are sold in Wilmington markets.

Umbrellas. JUST FROM THE FACTORY, SILK ZANELLA, J. Alpaca, Scotch Ghingham, Black, Brown, Purple Lined, Cardinal Lined, Sealing Silver Handles, Celluloid Handles, Crooks, Straight Sticks, &c., at 50 CTS. and upwards.

Correct Styles! STIFF AND SOFT HATS! LADIES' HATS! TAYLOR'S SWEET GUM AND MULLIN, Small and Large sizes.

THE FLORIST. WE ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE... BEST FRUIT GROW IN YEARS, and are giving our customers the benefit of Choice Selected Fruit at Low Prices.

Unusually Attractive Line! THIS WEEK'S STEAMER BRINGS US AN Unusually Attractive Line!

Reduced. I HAVE GREATLY REDUCED THE PRICE OF Colgate's Toilet Wares, Soap and Handkerchiefs Extracts. Call and price before buying elsewhere.

Stayed. FROM 417 CHESTNUT STREET, A SMALL BLACK AND TAN PUPPY, with a small band around his neck with a small white button.

Wm. E. Springer & Co. CARRY ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST complete assortments of general Hardware in the State. Goods and prices guaranteed in all instances.

Grates. CALL AND SEE WHAT WE HAVE IN THIS LINE OF GRATES. We are selling STOVES, Ranges and Cooking Stoves.

Table with rates of advertisement: One Square One Day, Two Days, Three Days, Four Days, Five Days, One Week, Two Weeks, Three Weeks, One Month, Two Months, Three Months, Six Months, One Year.

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Fall and Winter Goods.

M. M. KATZ'S 116 Market St.

An Entirely New Stock

White Goods. Lace, Edgings, Furs, Gloves, Corsets, Men and Boys' Wear, Hosiery, Housekeeping Goods, Domestic, Notions, &c., &c.

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