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MORNING EDITION.

OUTLINES.

The tariff bill introduced in the House by Mr. Morrison will effect a reduction of about twenty millions of dollars in revenues from customs. —— Unemployed workingmen in Birmingham, Eng., attempted a riot but were suppressed by police. —— The House Committee on coinage discussed the silver question for two hours without coming to a conclusion. —— Mr. Watterson, of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, is sick with meningitis. —— Disastrous floods are reported in Massachusetts, resulting in great loss. —— unemployed workmen in Yarmouth are making riotous demonstrations. —— Burmah is to be garrisoned with 16,000 British troops. —— The Mansion House relief fund for unemployed workmen in London amounts to $130,000. —— Two Americans have been expelled from Prussia for having made themselves troublesome to the authorities. —— New York markets: Money 1½@2 per cent.; cotton dull at 9 1-16@9⅛c; wheat, No. 2 red 92½c afloat; corn No. 2 49⅛@50c; southern flour quiet; spirits turpentine firm at 42c; rosin dull.

Arcbishop Gibbons is a native of Baltimore, and was born on the 23rd of July, 1834.

Mlle. Rhea is in Charleston this week. In that town she receives some social attentions.

Robert Homer died at Vineland, a few days ago. He left no will but he left $51,550 hid away in an old valise.

The relief fund in London for the poor and destitute workman is growing and quiet is now reported on all sides in that city.

Henry Watterson, the brilliant editor of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, is very low, and there is but little chance for him.

Herr Hanseur made a violent attack upon Bismarck's policy aimed at the Poles, and which contemplates expelling them all from Prussia.

The Democratic party in the North is much poorer in leading men than it was a few months ago. Hendricks, McClellan, Hancock and Seymour make a big gap in the ranks.

In the called election Mr. John Morley was elected to Parliament. He forfeited his place by accepting the Irish Secretaryship. He was elected by an increased majority of 1,000.

There is a movement talked of to erect a national monument in honor of that stirling Democrat and patriot, the late Vice President Hendricks. We hope it will be done and that the South will have an active hand in its erection.

The subscription for the benefit of Gen. Hancock's widow grows. Sixteen Northern men have contributed nearly $17,000. George W. Childs, the philanthropist and friend of Gen. Grant, gives $1,000. He is a newspaper man.

The *World* and other papers that are fighting the battles of the Bell Telephone Company are still pelting and misrepresenting Attorney General Garland. Their latest is that he has determined to get rid of his Pan Electric stock.

It is announced in the Virginia papers that Mr. W. C. Elam, a native of Fayetteville, this State, and the viogorous, slashing editor of the Richmond *Whig* under the Mahone regime, will go on the Baltimore *American's* staff at a $3,000 salary.

In 1883, when the New York *Sun* opposed consistently the Republican party, it had a circulation of nearly 1,100,000 for the week. For the week ending Feb. 8, 1886, it had but 685,142. This is what it lost by its bad conduct in the campaign of 1884.

The Gladstone party is said to be divided into two violently opposing factions. The Radicals are bitterly denouncing the scheme of Home Rule formulated by the Premier. Mr. Gladstone is represented as ready to sacrifice his position to secure Irish rights. Grand old man indeed!

The remaining three Judicial Districts in South Carolina are to have each a stenographic reporter. This completes the State. A young gentleman of this city has been offered one of the new positions. Will not North Carolina move in this matter? She generally leads in improvements and reforms.

Boycotting in Richmond, Va., is quite vigorous. A gentleman who was in that city on Saturday says that he heard nothing else talked of. Some of the largest establishments have been boycotted, and great uneasiness is felt throughout the community. One gentleman was too much for the boycotters. He works 1,200 persons in a cigarette factory, 750 of whom are girls. He was warned that he must no longer patronize Baughman, who had been boycotted. His answer was—"Go ahead. I will close up. I have got more than enough to live on. If you force me I will turn adrift 1,200 persons who are now earning a living. Will you force 750 girls upon the town?" This silenced their batteries. A few days afterwards he voluntarily increased the pay of all eight per cent., although there had been no complaint of the wages paid.

The New York *Times* has been criticising each of Mr. Edwin Booth's characters he has been presenting at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York. It regards his *Lucius Junius Brutus*, in John Howard Payne's tragedy, as one of his best personations. It says:

"These demonstrations were richly deserved, for Mr. Booth has rarely acted, recently, with the spirit and fire that he put into his work last night. There was in his performance of Brutus something more than elocution, appropriate gesture, and well considered "business," though these merits, invariably recognized in Mr. Booth's acting are so unusual in this degenerate time that they never lack the appreciation of thoughtful persons. The tragedian was seen last night at his best."

Spirits Turpentine.

— Mr. William Rowzee, one of Salisbury's oldest and most valued citizens, died a few days since, aged 76 years. His wife died a fortnight before, aged 75 years.

— Raleigh *News-Observer:* A colored man named Thomas Williams yesterday was the victim of an accident at the cotton seed oil mills. His arm was caught in the machinery and so badly mangled that amputation was necessary.

— The Knoxville (Tenn.) *Daily Journal* of the 11th gives a very elaborate description of the wedding of Lt. Lawrence D. Tyson, U. S. A., to Miss Bettie McGhee, daughter of one of Knoxville's wealthiest residents, Col. C. M. McGhee. The bride is a bell of Knoxville. Lt. Tyson is from Pitt county, N. C.

— For the week ending February 9th, the following patents were granted North Carolinians: C. A. Hege, Salem, cotton press; C. A. Jenkins, New Bern, adjustable bedstead; D. W. Whitaker, Durham, printer's galley; P. W. Wiley, Raleigh, machine for attaching labels to packages; Joseph E. Morgan, Columbus, seed planter and fertilizer distributor.

— Statesville *Landmark:* Mr. William P. Drake, son of Mr. E. B. Drake, was found dead by the latter gentleman at Statesville Wednesday night. His age was 46 years. —— Judge James C. McRae slipped on the steps of a residence in Statesville last Sunday and fell. He was crippled all the past week and continued the discharge of his judicial duties with difficulty.

—Warrenton *Gazette:* Mr. Stephen Daniel, of Warren county, lost his large frame barn and crop of tobacco last Saturday night. Insurance $1,500. —— Dr. Joseph A. Drake, of Shocco Springs, Warren county, died Wednesday, aged 86 years. He was a native of Nash county and for many years represented that county in the State Senate. His body was taken to Nash for interment.

— A distressing calamity befell Capt. Joe Rose and wife at Engelhard, Hyde county. Mrs. Rose heard the report of a pistol in her dwelling, and rushing in found her little girl Naomi, aged six years, in the agony of death, with a bullet-hole just above the eye and her brains protruding therefrom She was accidentally shot by another girl, twelve years old, named Julia Payne.

— Goldsboro *Argus:* The work of setting out trees upon the streets in various localities of our city is being pushed with commendable application on the part of our city authorities. —— There is quite a current rumor in this vicinity, we are told, to the effect that the escaped prisoner Braswell, got away from the guards. This is not true. He made his escape from the open window of the county jail, as we stated at the time.

— Henderson *Gold Leaf:* Mrs. Mariah Geoghegan, wife of Dr. John A. Geoghegan, died at her home in this county, about six miles from Henderson, on the 10th of January, in the 47th year of her age. —— For some time the county jail of Granville, has been considered unsafe, and unhealthy. We learn that at the last term of the Superior Court of that county, the commissioners were indicted upon the condition of the jail. [Granville has had three jails within our recollection.—STAR].

— Greensboro *Workman:* News has reached us through exchanges, but without particulars, of the recent death of the venerable Dr. Wm. Hunter, of Enfield. His age is given at 82 years. He belonged to a long-lived family. His eldest brother, the late Thomas C. Hunter, was in his 88rd year, we believe, and his sister, Mrs Elizabeth Whitaker, who still survives, is something near 87 years old. The ages of the other two brothers, Dr. James Hunter, of Enfield, and Mr. Benjamin Hunter, of Brinkleyville, both deceased, we do not now distinctly remember. Dr. Wm. Hunter was at one time an active and successful practitioner of medicine, and possessed a valuable estate.

— Asheville *Citizen:* A mail train recently made the run from Richmond, Va., to Wilmington, N. C., in 5 hours and ten minutes, a distance of 248 miles. We point with pride to a recent trip from Hendersonville to Asheville, a distance of 22 miles in 8 hours, and a railroad in sight all the time. How we did wish that railroad would "git up and git." —— Our countryman, J. B. Freeman, called on us yesterday. He was just from a visit to his large peach orchard, situated near Chimney Rock, in Rutherford county, and gives us the gratifying information that the recent cold snap did no damage whatever to his peaches. There are upwards of ten thousand bearing trees in the orchard, and it is owned by Messrs. J. B. Freeman & Co.

— Charlotte *Observer:* Mr. Isaac H. Wilson, of this city, yesterday received his commission as a United States deputy marshal for this, the Sixth District. —— Dr. W. F. G. Young, alias Dr. W. B. Young, who was introduced to the public through these columns last Sunday morning, registered yesterday at a hotel where guests are never troubled about board bills, and where there is no use kicking about the *menu*. To use plain language, Dr. Young yesterday went to jail in Concord, on Sheriff Propst's free transfer line. —— Jimmie Stinson, a little orphan boy, died at Davidson College yesterday afternoon, of injuries received by being ground under the wheels of a box car

— Raleigh *Visitor:* It has been determined to hold a two day's all day meeting in the First Baptist church on February 18th and 19th, for the promotion of a deeper spirituality in the membership of the church. —— We had a visit this morning from Mr. Romulus Sturdivant, father of John B. Sturdivant, the boy preacher, of whom so much has been recently related. Mr. S. says that his son on Thursday last, had another divine revelation, which was in substance, that he would be stricken blind, deaf and dumb on yesterday morning, and that at the same time his left arm would by paralyzed. This divine affliction took place as stated while the boy was at breakfast yesterday morning and he continued in that condition until 9 o'clock last night, when he was restored. Mr. Sturdivant states that there 150 persons present at the time of the restoration He says that his son was examined by two expert physicians during his affliction, who state that his case was indeed a wonderful one.

— Asheville *Advance:* Col. E. D. Bolton, civil engineer, of Boston, Mass., is in the city, having been summoned here by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen. He will at once look into the matter of the proposed water supply, sewerage, etc., for city. —— The public roads of Buncombe and adjoining counties are reported to be in a worse condition than they have been in for years. In many places the mud is axel deep. —— A conflict of jurisdiction between the State and Federal Courts has arisen during the present term of Iredell Superior Court. In the case of B. F. Long, Receiver, &c., vs. the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, and Buford, Clyde and Logan, as certain of the defendants are non-residents, a motion was made to have the cause removed to the Federal Court. The motion was denied, but the record was filed in Judge Dick's court, nevertheless. The case was argued in the Federal Court on the motion to remove to the State Court. Judge Dick sustained the motion to remove, but was overruled by Bond, the District Judge. Judge McRae refuses to recognize Judge Bond's injunction, but leaves the case in the Superior Court of Iredell to be tried at the next term. This raises a very interesting question, the final decision of which will be awaited with no little interest.

— Wilson *Advance:* The event of this week has been the trial of Herbert Pittman for shooting and killing his brother, William Pittman, which was committed on the 19th of January. Many persons were examined. Thomas Tomlinson was the only witness of the killing and his testimony was the most important. He said that he (Tomlinson) and Herbert Pittman were standing in the yard of Herbert Pittman when William Pittman came in and asked Herbert "where in the — he was going." Herbert had put harness on the horse, and he replied that he was going to seek a home. William had a knife in his hand when he came up and attempted to cut the harness. Herbert told him not to do so. This angered William, who at once cut his brother. The latter ran from him until he was hemmed in between a crib and a cart. Herbert's vest was cut on the side and the buttons were cut off—all except the top one. Herbert shot twice at William. The second shot was fired while William held him by the hair This shot entered his bowels. Herbert made every effort to escape from his brother before he fired. Tomlinson swore that William cut at Herbert three times before the fatal shot was fired. The jury remained out an hour and then returned a verdict of not guilty.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS—

MUNSON—Spring suitings.
GABRIEL HOLMES—For sale.
THE KEYNOTE—New York city.
WM. H. PETERS—Receiver's sale.
G. W. PRICE, JR.—Auction sales.
E. WARREN & SON—Cough drops.
COLLIER & CO.—Bananas at auction.
N. JACOBI, ASSIGNEE—Cheap books.
J. D. BELLAMY, JR.—Money to loan.
MASONIC—Meeting Wilmington Lodge.

Board of Audit and Finance.

A regular meeting of this Board was held yesterday afternoon at the City Hall. Present: W. I. Gore, Esq., chairman, and Messrs. John W. Gerdts, R. J. Jones and C. F. VonKampen. The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and adopted. The following were audited and approved: Bills for current expenses to the amount of $1,108.31, and coupons—288 in number—amounting to $4,240. The coupons were burned in the presence of the Board. The action of the Board of Aldermen, instructing the Committee on Fire Department to purchase a fire-alarm bell weighing not less than fifteen hundred pounds, to replace the one now in use, was concurred in; to be provided for and charged in appropriations for the ensuing fiscal year.

Personal.

Capt. James I. Metts, broker, of this city, has removed to Chicago, where he will engage in the grain and provision business.

Among the arrivals at the Orton yesterday were: Alfred Rowell, Harry Honnett, A. P. Decker, W. H. King, John Christian, J. E. Kimheimer, N. Y.; J. S. Hutchinson, Charlotte; J. B. Ellington, N. C; C. D. Russell, Savannah; D. B. Ruffner, Thos. Delahanty, P. Bryan, S. V. Thompson, Philadelphia; B. C. Rawley, Florence; G. C. Nichols, H. Raschbaum, Baltimore; W. D. Blake, Boston; B. Alexander, Darlington; E. H. Snead, Atlanta; W. W. Rowland, Magnolia, S. C.; R. J. I. Lowndes, Charleston; J. R. Oglesby, Whiteville.

Local Dots.

— A cold wave threatens.

— Cotton receipts yesterday 247 bales, against 144 bales the same date last year.

— Some of the vessels in port are minus their crews, who took French leave immediately upon arrival.

— Yesterday was spring-like—"Stealing a march on us," as it were—and the small boy and his kite appeared on the streets.

— Capt. Myers, Chief of the Fire Department, was engaged yesterday afternoon in a tour of inspection of the engine houses in the city.

— There were four persons before the Mayor yesterday morning charged with disorderly conduct. A colored female named Jane Hines received the highest distinction—a fine of ten dollars.

— Mr. William Niestlie, of the drug firm of Miller & Niestle, of this city, passed his examination and received his license to practice pharmacy at the recent meeting of the State board in Raleigh.

— A colored man named John Lewis died suddenly about nine o'clock Sunday night at his home on the corner of Seventh and Hanover streets. His death is supposed to have resulted from heart disease, with which he had been afflicted for some time.

— St. Valentine's day—February 14th—falling this year on Sunday, the observance was spread over three days—Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The funny valentine had a big majority, of course. Some of the boys who tried to beat the government out of one cent postage on the missives they sent, got into trouble by be- a little too demonstrative when they called at residences with their favors, and were hauled up before the Mayor. They were admonished and discharged.

Cultivating the Willow.

It is suggested that the cultivation of the osier willow would be a remunerative industry in this section. The plants grow abundantly, with no other care than the annual cutting. Thousands of acres now lying waste along rivers, creeks and branches, worthless as they are now, are well adapted to their growth, and planting in many such cases is simply sticking in the cuttings. The osier willow is used for making baskets, etc., and hundreds of tons of the peeled osiers are imported annually for this purpose, at high prices. The bark is valuable, for the manufacture of salicilic acid. Our informant says that lands valued at very high rates are devoted to the culture of the osier willow in New York, and are paying richly the cultivators and owners, besides furnishing employment to thousands of people. Isolated plantations of small area are not to be recommended as the most promising for a lucrative return, but associated effort directed in such a manner as to command success. The first requisite after a suitable location is that enough be grown to warrant the settlement of basket-makers and willow-workers.

Base Ball Notes.

It is understood that the Seaside Club will soon take steps to organize for the summer season.

It is claimed in Atlanta, Ga., that base ball brought into that city last year about fifty thousand dollars, at the least estimate.

It is probable that the Philadelphia League Club will visit Charleston, S. C., in March, for two weeks' of practice.

The Manager of the Charleston, S. C., club says that he intends to have the fastest base running team in the Southern League.

Cold Wave Coming.

The following telegram was received at the Signal Station in Wilmington yesterday evening, from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, at Washington, D. C.:

"5.35 p. m.—Hoist cold wave signal. A cold wave is coming The temperature will fall from fifteen to twenty degrees during the next twenty-four to thirty-two hours."

At the time the above warning was received at the station here, the temperature was 49 degrees. To verify the prediction it should fall to 34 or 29 degrees.

THE MAILS.

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

CLOSE.

Northern through mails, fast	7:45 P. M
Northern through and way mails	8:00 A. M
Through mail for all points north of Richmond	10:00 P. 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 7:45 P. M. &	8:00 A. M.
Southern mails for all points South, daily	8:00 P. M.
Western mails (C. C. Railway) daily (except Sunday)	6:15 P. M.
All points between Hamlet and Raleigh	6:15 P. M.
Mail for Cheraw and Darlington Railroad	8:00 P. M.
Mails for points between Florence and Charleston	8:00 P. M.
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays	1:00 P. M.
Fayetteville, via C. C. R. R., 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)	2:00 P. M.
Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, Shallotte and Little River, Tuesdays and Fridays	2:00 P. M.
Wrightsville daily at	8:30 A. M.

OPEN FOR DELIVERY.

Northern through and way mails	7:30 A. M.
Southern mails	9.30 A. M.
Carolina Central Railroad	9:00 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.

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.

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. and 5 A. M.

Railroad time, 75th meridian.

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for today:

For the Middle Atlantic States, light local rains during the night, followed by decidedly colder, fair weather, winds shifting to northwesterly, and rising barometer.

For the South Atlantic States, decidedly colder, fair weather, winds generally shifting to northerly, and higher barometer.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the City Postoffice, Tuesday, February 9th:

FEMALES.

B—W A Burdock, Alice Blackledge, Jennett Ballard, A W Burraft care Peter Jones, Julia A Bell, Henrietta Beatts.
C—Jane Caxon, Mary Carr, Nancy Clark.
E—Addie Ellis.
F—Sallie D Foley.
G—George Gebell.
H—Mary Hunter, Mary Hampton, H E Hill.
J—Charity Johnson, Nunby Jones, Elizabeth Johnson.
L—S F Laney.
M—John McKoy, Mary E McKinney, Dinah McKoy (2), Laura Moore.
N—Laura Nennie.
R—Maggist Richardson, S Robinson, Katie Richardson.
P—Virginia Peyton.
S—C V Sellers, Athalia Stewart, Hagust Stakehouse, Maria Sharpless.
W—Mary Williams (2).

MALES.

A—Ben Ashe, Wm Ates, S E Anderson.
B—J M Best, Col George Burr, J D Bell, Horace Butteas, Jas Brown, J K Bell, Wm H Bernard, Nelson Brown, T C Brown, Jas Bell, Trans Bayette, Jas W Baskin, S P Brown, John Burnett.
C—Hammond Cowan, Henry Crewranday, Horatio W Chase, Lincol Cooper, Roger Cutlar.
D—R J Davis.
E—J N Wheeler, E H Emeroy.
F—D B Fitchell, Sanders Farrior.
G—John L Galloway.
H—Lucinda Harriss, Willie Haisey, Simon Haisey, J C Hagao, Freeman Houston, J W Hines, Gaston Hicks, Jeff Hildabrast, Robert Harrison.
J—Robert Jenkins, Willie Johnson, Haney Jenkins, Elijah Jones, Sam'l Jenkins, Joe Jones.
K—E W Kerr.
M—Jefferson McNeill, W C McIntyre, F H Moulton (2), P W Melick., Jas McIntyre.
N—Solomon Nixon, G B Newcart.
O—John O'Hazen, Hubbard O'Kelley, Jahza Oldham, Geo Olonnon.
P—Sagleon Peterson, E D Parker, John F Page.
R—I E Riggs, C P Rook.
S—N Steet, Wm Scott, John Steinman, Situation Wanted, H W Sadler, E H Smith, Wm Slade, Jas Stokes, W B Smith, W Sealy, Thos Sharp, Denniss Simmons, Judson Senterfield.
T—A J Taylor, Wm Tennant, P P Taylor, John Turner.
V—T J Vann.
W—Richard Williams, John Wynes, Stephen Washington, R A Whitaker, P Walker, Thos W Williamson, William H Whitney (2.)

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.

O. G. PARSLEY, P. M.,
Wilmington, New Hanover Co., N. C.

Quarterly Meetings.

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

Duplin Circuit, at Kenansville, February 20th and 21st.

Topsail Circuit, at Herring's Chapel, February 27th and 28th.

Magnolia Circuit, at Magnolia, March 6th and 7th.

Clinton Circuit, at Clinton, March 13th and 14th.

Brunswick Circuit, at Sharon, March 20th and 21st.

PAUL J. CARRAWAY,
Presiding Elder.

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.

Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M.

REGULAR MONTHLY COMMUNICATION THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, February 16th, at 7½ o'clock.
Visitors made welcome.
JAMES W. MONROE, Secretary.
feb 16 1t

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feb 16 1t

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feb 13 3t nac

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Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness and Sore-Throat.

E. WARREN & SON,
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Wanted,

A FIRST CLASS MAN TO BUY AND SELL a first class Sewing Machine. For further particulars apply at This Office.
jan 16 1m tu th sat

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Collier & Co., Auct'rs.
Sales Rooms, cor. No. Water and Princess Sts.

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THIS DAY, AT 10 O'CLOCK, WE WILL SELL in front of the Custom House, 150 Bunches Bananas, Cocoanuts and Tomatoes. Bananas are last of 1000 Bunches, and fine. feb 16 1t

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Exchange National Bank,
NORFOLK, VA., Feb. 16, 1886.

PROPOSAS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS office until Saturday, March 27th, 1886, for the purchase of the hereinafter mentioned property in its entirety, and also for pieces or parcels of the same—reference being had to descriptive lists of said property—which lists, stating terms of sale, will be furnished upon application to the undersigned.
The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.
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Two (2) Steam Tugs.
Three (3) Transportation Barges.
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Its Wharves and Docks, which afford ample room for berthing at same time ten seagoing, steam or sailing vessels. The area of the Warehouse and Dock property in Portsmouth is about 6½ acres, together with all its other property which is fully described in the lists above referred to.
WM. H. PETERS, Receiver.
feb 16 till mh 27

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NATHANIEL JACOBI, Assignee.
feb 16 tf

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