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Maffit, well known and to the Confederacy, and afterwards was in command of the blockade-runner Owl and distinguished as a naval officer, both in the says "Home Rule is opposed to the OUTLINES. United States and Confederate service, died other vessels engaged in bringing in sup. spirit of the age." Ah ! He evident. Among the papers found on the premises plies and munitions of war for the Southat his home in this city yesterday evening, ly views the age through Tory spec-When the war closed, his property being of the Anarchist Parsons, in Chicago, was MMKATZ after a prolonged illness, in the 68th year of confiscated and he an exile, he applied for tacles. This is the age of progress. IN CONSEQUENCE OF OUR REDUCTION IN a scrap of a letter from Junius A. Strickhis age. a command in the English merchant ser-Democratic ideas are moving the prices last week trade was Booming, and our land of Durham, N. C. --- Cyclones and vice, and was given the command of a His death, though unexpected, will be fine steamer running between Liverpool tornadoes in France and Germany have world. Coercive measures and persales were very satisfactory. Those of our sincerely mourned by many warm personal and Rio Janeiro She was subsequently destroyed vineyards and wrecked several secutions are of the past. The peofriends, not only in this community but sold to the Brazilian Government and friends who favored us with a call were contowns; a number of persons were killed. elsewhere in the State, and indeed, throughused as an army transport. While conveyple are moving and are on top. But vinced that WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY and went ing several hundred soldiers to the scene ----- Violent storms in Kansas and Ohio out the country. He leaves a widow with all this is lost upon such fellows as of action small pox broke out among them, off feeling that they had bought CLOTHING for destroyed a large number of buildings and three children, and a son and daughter by BESIDES THE MANY DESIRABLE GOODS ALand as the well refused either to nurse the Trevelyan. less money than ever before. Our Sizes are still sick or bury the dead, that duty devolved a former marriage. A friend furnishes us killed a number of persons. --- New upon Capt. Maffitt, and a fearful time he had-"sickening to the last degree," he good and our Counters show a great many Bar-York markets: Money 11@2 per cent; with a brief account of his long and re-A majority of the directors of the DON'T SHOOT, BUT STOP AND HEAR ME cotton dull at 9 3-16@9#c; wheat-spot gains; yet, therefore, we can offer the same inmarkable career: described it-and the soldiers were muti-Theological Seminary at Colum-Monday, May 17th, ducements to purchasers this week. We have nous and without discipline. He rehigher; corn, ungraded 37@46c; southern John Newland Maffitt was born at sea on TALK ABOUT bia, S. C., refused to close the institained command of this steamer for eigh flour steady; rosin steady at \$1 05@1 10; the 22d of February, 1819. His parents teen months, when at the urgent entreaty spirits turpentine dull at 344c. tution. They elected two new Fifty Suits Genuine Middlesex Flannel BOUELE CANVASS DRESS GOODS, 44 inches CLOTHING. were the Rev. John Newland Maffitt and of his family, he resigned the command and came home. He soon after purchased professors. The Rev. J. A. Lefevre, Ann Carnicke, his wife. a small farm near Wilmington, where he re wide, worth \$1.25, for 75c, still on hand, which we will sell at the Remark-Keely, the motor man, "will exhi-D.D., of Baltimore, was elected to The Rev. Mr. Maffitt having determined sided for nearly eighteen years. In July, 1885, he moved to Wilmington. to emigrate to America, left Ireland with bit" again. What? the chair of theology, vacated by ably Low Price of An entire new line of WHITE GOODS. his wife and family late in January or early For a year or two his health had been fail-Dr. Girardeau, receiving all the votes **Fifty Cents in Cash!** Barnum's circus is in Washington ing, but he determined to make a \$8.50 Per Suit. in February, and landed in New York on The finest FRENCH NAINSOOKS, BATISTE. cast. The Rev. Prof. J. F. Latimer, brave effort to retrieve his ruined the 21st of April, 1819; his son John having and Congress is very jealous of it. fortunes and provide for his young MULLS, PERSIAN LAWNS, EMBROIDERIES formerly of Davidson College, N. C., Is better at any time than been born on the passage. Their first home family. The disappointment of that hope Also Twenty-five Suits GENUINE YACHT was too great a shock to his feeble frame; and now of Union Theological Sem-Bartley Campbell, the dramatic was in Connecticut, and when John was CLOTH (color guaranteed) at \$9.00, sold hereto-One Hundred Cents of Old Stock! and FLOUNCINGS, very low. the thought that he could no longer proabout five years old his uncle, Dr. William inary, Virginia, was elected to the author, is crazy and in an asylum. vide for his loved ones broke his heart fore at \$12,50. Maffitt, who had accompanied them to But his last days were cheered and com GOOD LACE CURTAINS, three yards long, for chair of Biblical literature, formerly Sir Henry James, Gladstone's At-Old Stock is Dear at Any Price. America, visited his brother, the Rev. Mr. forted by the devoted attentions of hi occupied by the Rev. Dr. Hemphill. Seersucker Coats and Vests many friends, and hopes were entertained \$1.50 a pair. Mafflitt, and finding him in straightened

torney General, is out against the Home Rule bill.

In Chicago sixty-six police were wounded by the Anarchists. Of these five have died. Ten have recovered.

bince West Point was opened as a military school 6,632 cadets have been admitted. Of these New York sent 857, or nearly one-eighth.

The Methodist Church at Smithville, Rev. M. M. McFarland pastor, is enjoying a refreshing season. Many have professed Christ.

In New York the Anarchists have

three companies under arms. They are armed with rifles and drill twice a month. They ought to be broken up and watched.

It is indignantly denied by Wolseley's friends that he made such a fool of himself as reported. He has not threatened to go into rebellion with the Orangemen of Ulster.

We are not surprised to learn that ex-President Davis was made sick by his trup. He was greatly over-taxed for a man of his advanced years. Several physicians are attending him.

Blair, the author of woman suffrage and Federal school teaching bills, favors adding 250,000 persons to the present enormous pension roll. The best experts say this will require full \$50,000,000. What an old humbug and erank !

There is a case before the U.S. Supreme Coart from South Carolina that is said to be almost parallel in every particular with the famous Janad, co versus Jaradyce case See Chancery Reports by Charles Dickenr, volume two, labelled "Bleak House."

The New York Star is not a very large paper for a big city, but it is a well conducted paper. It is announced that there are seventy in the editorial and musging editor's departments. Because two men in North Carolina cannot do the work of. seventy, there are fellows unjust and stupid enough to ridicale them.

We are encouraged to see that Mr. Thomas Power O'Connor, M. P., has not given up hope of victory for the Home Rale bill. On the 13th inst., he cabled the New York Star as follows:

"Opinion in Parliament as well as outside in the metropolis is nearly unanimous that the second reading of the bill will be lost. Such is not my opinion. I believe it will be carried.

He says war to the knife has been declared and there will be no compromise with Chamberlain. Good. Fight it out on that line.

The Episcopalians in Convention at Savannah had an exciting time on Thursday. A communication from Rev. Dr. Armstrong was presented, Bishop Beckwith decided it could

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He also received all the votes cast.

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Excursion-Thursday next.

M. M. KATZ-Desirable goods.

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C. W. YATES-Paper bags, etc.

G. A. PECK-Ice cream freezers.

L. J. Porsson-Real estate agent.

Excursion-Wednesday evening.

GILES & MURCHISON-Fruit jars.

J. L. BOATWRIGHT-Choice goods.

COLLIER & Co-Mozart Saloon sale.

WADDELL & ELLIOTT-Dissolution.

GEO. W. PRICE, JR .- Auction sale.

Local Dots. - The Criminal Court meets to-

morrow. There are no capital cases to be tried

- The Board of Audit and Finance meet to-morrow afternoon in regular seminonthly session.

- Bishop Watson will administer the rite of confirmation at St. Paul's Church this evening at 8.15 o'clock.

- Street hands were engaged yeserday morning flushing gutters and washing out alleyways along Front street.

- The county Register reports five marriage licenses issued the past week -two for whites and three for blacks.

- The Hook and Ladder Company will have an excursion on the steamer Passport on Thursday, May 20th to Smithville and the Forts.

- The first "moonlight excursion" of the season takes place Wednesday night, on the steamer Passport, to the Rocks. There will be music, dancing and refreshments on board.

-- Interments in the cemeteries during the past week were as follows: Bellevue, one-an adult; Pine Forest (col.) two-both children. There were no interment, in Oakdale.

- It has been decided by the manager of the Opera House to have no extra charge for reserved seats at the performances of the Bijou Opera Company. All persons who have bought tickets will be refunded the extra amount paid for these scats. The price of admission is only 50 cents.

Theatrical,

The Chattanooga Times gives the Bijou Opera Company, a very flattering notice of their performance of "Girofle-Girofla" at that place:

"The audience which greeted the Bijou Opera Company last night in the presentation of this charming opera were delighted with the entertainment. The music is fine and it was brought out very near perfec-tion. Miss Randall has a charming voice and she brings every note into full force and effect; her voice is clear, pure and ringing, while Mr. Flint's basso is undoubty one of the best ever heard at James Hall; his family. in fact, every part was well sustained. The Company is meritorious and deserves success. All who heard them last night will remember the Bijou Opera Company with pleasure and be giad to hear them again; which was all North, would be secured to him this cannot be said of every travelling him this friends have since assured him

of the incidents related in "Nautilus" took Having been appointed Aid to place. Commodore Elliot, the young Midshipman had many advantages not otherwise obtainable. He was next ordered to the frigate Macedonian as Past Midshipman, and it was while in port at Pensacola Fla., that he had his first experience of 'yellow jack," and came near losing his His first independent command was the Gallatin. He commanded also the brig Dolphin and severa! others. He was engaged under Prof. Bache for some years on the Coast Survey, and was of great service to the Professor, which the latter was not slow to acknowledge. Much of their work was in the harbors of Nantucket, Charles-18th of April. ton, Wilmington and Savannah. A channel in the harbor of Charleston still bears the name of Maffitt. In one of the numerous published sketches this tribute is paid to him: "He was always considered one of the best officers and most high-toned gentlemen of the old service. For some years he was connected with the Coast Survey and Prof. Bache, the head of that department, declared if Maffitt was taken from him he could not supply his place in all the navy. He is not only a thorough seaman and game to the back-bone, but a gentleman of superior intellect, a humorist of rare excellence, and one of the most delightful companions. There is no position in his profession which Maffitt is not capable of filling with honor and distinction.' This was his acknowledged position when the war began. His last command while in the service of the United States was the Crusader. He was very successful in capturing slavers. In January 1860 while in command of the Crusader, and also acting 'as paymaster of the vessel, he was ordered by the Secretary of the Navy to proceed to Mobile and there cash a check on the collector of the port for prize money due the officers and crew of the vessel under his command. The order was obeyed, and the check presented, but some hesitation was manifested in regard to cashing it The city at the time was much agitated by the ordinance of secession, which had been passed by the State of Alabama. Some feel ng was aroused by the presence of a government steamer, and it became known to Capt. Maffitt that a band was organized with the avowed object of capturing the steamer. He immediately placed the vessel in a defensive position, got up steam and prepared for action. In an interview with Col. Forsythe, then editor of the Mobile Register, and Col. M-, an influential citizen, he stated that if steamers approach ed with hostile intent he would open his broadsides upon them. This expression of his determination and the influence of these gentlemen had the effect of checking the scheme; and it was abandoned. He next proceeded to Havanna, as ordered, and through the American consul, endes vored to negotiate with the Bank of Havana for funds required for the necessities of the vessel. In consequence of the disturbed condition of the United States the negotiations failed, and he felt compelled to advance from his private funds the money needed to work the steamer to New York, where he was ordered. On arriving at New York, he turned the steamer over to the proper authorities and went to Washington to settle the accounts. His cash accounts received no attention from the Fourth Auditor, though for several months he was a constant applicant for a settlement, that he might be reimbursed for the necessities of A trying position was his-his wife being dead, his children had no relative save in North Carolina, his childhood's home.

circumstances, begged to adopt their son

John, and on the consent of his parents,

Dr. Maffitt brought his nephew to Fayette-

Some years were passed in this happy

home of his boyhood, when his uncle de-termined to send him to White Plains in

New York, to facilitate his education. As

a little stripling he started by the old-time stage coach with his ticket tacked to his

jacket, and on his arrival at his destination

much curiosity was shown to see the little

boy who had come alone all that distance

from his Southern home. He remained at

this school under Prof. Swinburn, until he

was thirteen years old, when his father's

friends obtained a commission as Midship-

man in the U.S. Navy for him. His com-

mission dated February 25th, 1832. His first orders were to join the old frigate Constitution, the flagship of the squadron

commanded by Commodore Elliot, then

fitting out for the Mediterranean. This

cruise lasted three years and six months,

ville, N. C., where he resided.

If he remained in the navy his property,

and it was during its continuance that most Secured in his hammock He is moored in the grave, Nor hears any more the loud roar of the wave

that he would rally; but the wound was too

deep. Not one thought of self ever crossed his mind. He lived for his family and friends

and when he could entertain them with

open-hearted liberality he was happy. No

rouble was too great to give them pleasure.

following lines with a pathos that was over-

'Whether sailor or not, for a moment avast!

Poor Jack's mizzen-topsail is hove to the

He's now all a wreck, nor will sail shoot

His cruise is done up: he'll no more heave

At length he drops down to mortality's

With eternity's ocean before him in view,

whelming to those who heard them-

mast.

ahead:

road:

the lead.

With his frame a mere hulk

And his reckoning on hoard,

Jack cheerfully pipes out-

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He'll jump up on deck.' His sufferings, which were agonizing to witness, were born with a patient fortitude that would have touched the stoutest heart. He had been confined to his house since the 10th of February, and to his bed since the

A New Fleid. An interesting series of religious meetings have been held all through the past week by Rev. H. D. Tuttle, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church, at the new chapel on Harnett street. This promises to be a good field, and Mr. Tuttle and his working members propose to cultivate it as far as other engagements will allow. It will probably be taken care of by the next Conference The day is not distant perhaps when a new church building will be erected not far from Harnett and Seventh. Mr. Tuttle is a very laborious and zealous worker, and he is steadily growing in ability as a preacher.





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