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Attention is invited to the following reduced rates of subscription: DAILY STAR, By Mail: One Year \$6.00...

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OUTLINES.

A. C. Adams, one of the murderers of Wiley Craft and Will Cook, in Kentucky, was arrested in Bristol, Tenn., Monday night...

C. A. Percy, a young mechanic at Niagara Falls, constructed a life-saving craft of his own. It is 17 feet long and 4 1/2 feet wide...

Senator Pugh, of Alabama, is represented as saying that the men who served in the war are no longer to the front, or words to that effect. This is untrue...

T. C. Crawford, in his last London letter to the N. Y. World, describes a young man of promise, and the son of the greatest living English statesman. He says: "Mr. Herbert Gladstone looks very much more like his mother than his father..."

The Atlanta Capital urges that ex President Davis be invited to attend the Exposition in that town in September and on the same day that Mr. Cleveland is to be present. This suggestion is too much for the Hoodlums of the New York Star...

Spirits Turpentine.

Fever is prevailing at Morganton. Elizabeth City Falcon: A negro church meeting at Manteo last Sunday night ended in a big row, and one man was severely cut with a knife. Monroe Enquirer-Express: Mr. Archibald Griffin, who lived near Euto, in New Salem township, was killed by lightning on last Wednesday afternoon...

A PRECIOUS PAIR.

Wilmington Hook and Ladder No. 1. The truck house of Wilmington Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, has recently been thoroughly repaired and put in splendid order. The building is a two-story structure; the ground floor, used for truck and horses, also contains a sitting room, sleeping apartments and kitchen for employees. The second story is a large hall, ceiled with highly polished native pine. It is comfortably furnished and makes a handsome and pleasant club room...

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War Department, U.S. Signal Service, U.S. Army.

The following table shows the average maximum and minimum temperature, and average amount of rainfall, at the districts named. Each district includes from ten to twenty stations of observation, and the figures given below are the mean values of all reports sent to each centre of district. Observations taken daily at 6 P. M., 75th meridian time. August 30, 1887--A. P. M.

Table with 4 columns: Districts, Max. Temp., Min. Temp., Rain Fall. Lists various districts like Atlanta, Augusta, Charleston, etc.

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for to-day, received at 1 a. m.: For Virginia and North Carolina, generally fair weather, winds generally shifting to east and south, slightly warmer. For South Carolina, slightly warmer, fair weather and easterly winds.

Quarterly Meetings.

Wilmington District, M. E. Church, South. Fourth round of Quarterly Meetings. Grace Church, Wilmington, September 3-4. Bladen Street, Wilmington, September 3-4. Elizabeth Circuit at Purdy's, September 10-11. Brunswick Circuit, at Union, Sept. 17-18. Southport Station, September 24-25. Clinton Circuit, at Goshen, October 1-2. Duplin Circuit, at Kenansville, October 29-30. Onslow Circuit, at Tabernacle, October 15-16. Magnolia Circuit, at Magnolia, October 22-23. Bladen Circuit, at Windsor, October 29-30. Carver's Creek, at Shiloh, November 2-3. Cokesbury Circuit, at Salem, November 5-6. Brunswick Circuit, November 12-13. Weldon Circuit, November 19-20. Whiteville Circuit, November 26-27. THOS. W. GUTHRIE, P. E.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MURKIN-Cutter returned. COLLIER & Co-Horses at auction. E. WARREN & Son-Chocolate day. D. L. GORE-Corn, meal, flour, etc. NORTH-P. HODGES & TAYLOR-Insur.

A Jam in the River at Meares' Bluff.

The Clarendon Bridge Company have erected false works at Meares Bluff preparatory to the construction of a new bridge across the Cape Fear river at that point. The heavy freshet in the river brought down yesterday a vast quantity of trees, logs and other debris, which lodged against the timber false works, forming a raft which at one time extended nearly across the river, and covered an area of about three acres. The mass of floating trash and timber accumulated between 3 a. m. and 8 a. m. The safety of the bridge was not threatened seriously, but navigation was impeded and would have been entirely suspended had not the authorities of the railroads which lease the bridge, ordered up to that point three tug boats and a large number of hands and removed the obstruction, which was done by dint of hard labor by 4 o'clock in the afternoon. To have seen the immense mass of logs and trees packed and jammed as it was, it seemed to one unaccustomed to such work that it would take a week to accomplish its removal, but it was all done inside of twelve hours.

Pilot Boats Missing.

The pilot boats William & Richard and Wildcat, have not been heard from since the recent storm. Great uneasiness is manifested at Southport on account of their long absence. The supposition, however, is, that they may be at Charleston, and parties interested telegraphed yesterday to ascertain if the boats were harbored there, but no replies had been received up to last night.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the Post Office Monday, August 29, 1887. A-W M Adams, J C Adkens. B-L Blatchford, J Bunton, L V Basset, L Bradford, H Bettemourt, Geo W Bartram, Jas Bentor John Hodge, A Bryan, Noe Bishop, Mandy Bouden, James Barry. C-Willard Carroll, Elias Conset, D Cantwick, C A Crawford, Francis Capps, John Coggins. D-H H Donoho, Jane Devound. E-Abraham Eagles. F-John Faison, Lizzie Flood, E Frederick. G-Lewis Gardner. H-R Hymann, S Harris, C H Hill, Sarah Howard, Liza Hill, Hewell, Kissiah Hill, Lula Hutson, Annie Holden, G Hamilton. J-N Jane, F S Jaquith, Samuel Jones. L-J H Lyons. M-E Miller, A Merrit, Fred McCoy. P-Jerry Patterson, Robert Pickens. R-A Rhime, James Rock, Julia Robertson, Caroline Robbins, Francis Rowe, Eliza Ray. S-Caney Smith, Chas W Stanford, Thomas Toffee, Wm Tanfert, Lee Thorpe, C B Towson. W-Mary Williams, Edia Williams, E Whitton. 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.

Crops in Hyde County.

Mr. E. L. Mann, of Hyde county, writes Messrs. B. F. Mitchell & Son: "I am sorry to have to report a severe easterly gale of wind which has badly injured our corn crop—fully one-third or one-half. Up to the 20th instant our prospects were promising."

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church.

It being a year since the earthquake, praise, humiliation and prayer services will be held in St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, at 8 o'clock to-night. The services will be held in English. SEVER AND MARINE. Capt. Chester, of the steamer Benefactor, from New York, reports the bell and gas buoy at Hatteras turned up-side-down. Steamer Cape Fear cleared late yesterday afternoon for Fayetteville, having been detained to take on freight from the New York steamer which arrived about 2 p. m. The steamer D. Murchison arrived about 11 o'clock last night from Fayetteville. The freshet prevented the expected excursionists from coming. Capt. Smith reports that the water had fallen about five feet at Fayetteville. He estimates that about one-half of the lowland crops on the river have been destroyed.

Persons.

Capt. R. G. Ross has recovered sufficiently to take a trip to New York city. Mr. W. A. Dick, of the firm of Dick & Meares, returned last night from an extended Northern trip, in which business and pleasure were combined. Messrs. J. H. Tienken, Wilkin Roddick, M. H. Curran, H. C. Canaday and A. LeG. Wilkinson, arrived on the steamship Benefactor from New York yesterday. Mr. D. L. Gore has returned from a visit to Bladenboro. He reports crops looking fairly well, but farmers are disappointed at the prospects of a smaller yield than was anticipated. Mr. Wilkin Roddick returned yesterday on the steamer Benefactor. Mr. Roddick for the last week or ten days has been on a fishing excursion on the Miramichi river, New Brunswick, and says the net result was sixty salmon or "thereabouts."

The Freshet.

Advices from up the river state that the flood in the Cape Fear is subsiding. All the low lands below Fayetteville were covered, and it is estimated that about two-thirds of the crops were destroyed. The freshet has been a disastrous one to the farmers, but the water lashed about four feet of attaining the height it reached in the freshet of 1886. Capt. Robeson, of the steamer Cape Fear says that the water had fallen about eighteen inches at Fayetteville Monday morning. On the way down he passed large quantities of drift-wood and trash floating with the tide.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C. MAYOR'S OFFICE. AUGUST 27, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Mayor's office until noon, September 1st proximo, for furnishing twenty-nine (29) Winter Uniforms for the City Police Force, and two (2) Uniforms for the Janitors' Suits to consist of Frock Coats, single breasted, for twenty-five (25) Privates, and two (2) Janitors' double-breasted for five (5) Officers, Vests and Pants. Bids are requested for these Suits to be made of Metropolitan (Blue) Police Cloth. Blue are also wanted for twenty-nine (29) Overcoats, dark material, Cassimere or Chinchilla. Suits style, Standard and sample given over-coat to accompany bids. JOHN J. POWELL, Mayor and Chairman Police Committee. (Review copy).

For Rent.

HOUSE No. 47 SOUTH SECOND street, now occupied by Mr. N. Scofield; contains eight rooms, water, gas and bath. House No. 47 South Second street. House No. 116 South Fifth street, now occupied by Mr. Katz; has water, bath and gas. House No. 112 South Fifth street. House northeast corner Second and Ann streets. House southeast corner Second and Ann Sts. House northeast corner of Market and Fourth streets. House southeast corner of Fifth and Princess; contains eight rooms, water, gas and bath. House southwest corner Chesnut and Fourth streets. House east side of Second street, between Princess and Chesnut; eight rooms; cistern and water works. House No. 417 North Third street; cistern and water works. House southeast corner of Red Cross and Third streets. Apply to D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent.

For Rent.

TEAT DESIRABLE HOUSE No. 325 North Fourth street, at present occupied by Mr. Wm. Calder. House contains nice rooms, each having a southern exposure. Admiration adapted to the use of two small families. Apply to W. L. or R. D. JEWETT.

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

WE HAVE DECIDED TO CLOSE OUR RETAIL CROCKERY DEPARTMENT. On and after September 1st, WE WILL OFFER AT COST, FOR CASH, OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF Decorated and Plain China, DINNER SETS, TEA SETS, SEMI-PORCELAIN TABLE GLASSWARE, FANCY GOODS, &c. This will afford the housekeepers in this city and the surrounding country the best opportunity they have ever had for laying in a supply of these goods. Our WHOLESALE CROCKERY DEPARTMENT will be continued as heretofore. GILES & MURCHISON, 31 So. Front St. Crockery Department.

Wanted.

THIRTY GOOD COOPERS ON OIL BARREL STOCK. Steady work. Terms 50 cents. Apply at Barrel Factory of the SOUTHERN COTTON OIL CO., 30 So. St.

Telescopes.

ANOTHER INVOICE OF TRUNKS, SAMPLE Cases and Telescopes just received and for sale cheap. Give us a call for any article usually kept in a first class Saddletry Establishment, and we guarantee to please you both in quality and price. Repairing neatly and promptly. FRENCH & DANIEL, Sign of the Horse, No. 15 So. Front St. (Review copy).

Hats, Hats, Ladies' Sailors, Umbrellas.

HARRISON & ALLEN, Hatters.

Fresh Drugs.

ALL KINDS AT J. H. HARDIN'S, 25 So. St.

Carolina Beach.

DEPARTURE LEAVES FOR CAROLINA BEACH every week day at 9 and 4 o'clock Friday and Saturday, when evening boat leaves at 3.30. Train returning leaves at 1 and 6. As the result of the late freeze the route will continue to make her regular trip on Sunday. Family excursion, with meals by Italian Band, every Friday and Saturday. J. W. HARPER, General Agent.

At Actual Cost.

DESIROUS OF MAKING A CHANGE IN BUSINESS, I offer my entire stock of goods, consisting in part of China, Glass, Queensware, Plated and Britannia Ware at cost. Parties wishing to supply themselves with good goods at low prices will find it to their interest to call and examine my stock at once. Respectfully, J. W. HARPER, No. 117 South Front St.

Tinware.

WE KEEP THIS LINE OF GOODS ALSO. It is one of our specialties. We have a large stock of Tinware from us and a piece should be kept on hand. It is a great help in many cases. GILES & MURCHISON, 31 So. Front St.

To the Public.

WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC that the Pure Fine Oil manufactured by the Oil and Grease Company will be sold only by KURE & DOCKERT, 35 So. St.

Chocolate Day.

ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND, AND EACH Friday following, we sell our CELEBRATED CHOCOLATE CREAM DROPS at 20 cents per pound. Sold regularly from our Show Case at 25 cents per pound, assorted flavors. Remember this offer is for Friday only. E. WARREN & SON.

Southern Antidote for Malaria.

It is generally known that Simmons' Liver Regulator is relied upon to secure immunity from all malarial disorders. This is proven by its popularity, and anyone who has lived in the South has seen its curative effects and the protection it gives against this weakening and dangerous malarial. It acts more promptly than calomel or quinine, without any of their injurious consequences.