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OUTLINES.

The letter of the President, accepting the resignation of Commissioner Sparks, of the General Land Office, has been given to the public; it is very kind in tone, and is highly complimentary of the retiring commissioner. —— Nearly an entire block of buildings, in the business portion of Decatur, Ala., was burned yesterday: loss from $75,000 to $100,000. —— A powder factory at El Paso, Texas, was blown to atoms yesterday morning; one man was killed, and one fatally injured. —— Johann Most, the Anarchist, has been arrested in New York for making an incendiary speech; this is the second time he has been arrested on the same charge, and he will probably get one year's imprisonment with fine. —— A fire broke out about two o'clock yesterday morning in the Saratoga European house, Chicago, which created a great panic among the guests, all of them leaving their rooms in the greatest fright and with only their night clothing; the fire was subdued in half an hour, with a loss of about $25,000 to the building and furniture. —— The Treasurer of the United States has issued his annual report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1887, which is bristling with figures running up into the hundreds of millions; the telegraphic abstract will be found interesting. —— A fire, involving a loss of $60,000, occurred at Owensboro, Ky., yesterday morning. —— A fire was raging last night, in the compress at the navy yard, Memphis, which will destroy ten thousand bales of cotton. —— The Royal Clyde Yacht Club will withdraw its challenge to compete for the America's cup, on account of unjust conditions. —— Two Paris editors fought a duel with swords yesterday, growing out of a quarrel over Gen. Boulanger; one of them was wounded. —— The condition of the Crown Prince of Germany is reported to be much worse, developments showing that he is afflicted with soft cancer of the most malignant type. —— Great excitement prevails in Paris relative to the decoration scandal, and the Chamber of Deputies has decided by a vote of 527 to 3 to prosecute M. Wilson; President Grevy's resignation is almost a fixed fact, and an excited discussion is going on as to his successor; the Extreme Left still cling to him. —— Visitors to Tullamore jail say Mr. O'Brien is greatly changed, and that he refuses to take nourishing food. —— A wonderful gold ledge has been discovered in Arizona, which is declared to be the richest ever known on the Pacific coast. —— There was a big battle in the Chicago grain and provision pits yesterday, with decidedly mixed results. —— N. Y. markets: Money easy at 3 @5 per cent., closing offered at 3 per cent; cotton qaiet and steady at 10⅜@10½c; southern flour firm; wheat—options advanced, No. 2 red November 86½@87½c; corn firm, No. 2 November 56c; spirits turpentine dull at 37c; rosin steady at $1 07@1 15.

The Queen of Sweden is insane.

There is talk of Gen. Tuttle's $36, pension being fraudulent.

To get money out of the U. S. Treasury is the sole aim of some politicians.

The rumor is that Port Royal, in South Carolina, is to be revived by a rich syndicate.

Most is getting scared. He is now swearing that the report of his recent raivings is not true.

In October the importations of steel rails were 254 times as much as they were in October, 1885.

The poor whites of New York city are burried in coffins that cost but 40 cents each. The higher civilization!

The New York *Sun* turns up its ugly little pug nose at Gen. Jackson and snarls. But who cares for the *Sun?* Not the South.

A mine has been opened near Prescott, Arizona, that is said to turn out ore averaging $1,000 per ton. If true, it breaks the record.

The Anarchists do not stop at this world with their wholesale destruction, but they even try to dethrone God. They are all Atheists.

At Denver, Colorado, a married actress was murdered in a theatre box because she had "deceived a lover." Oh, the theatre and its morals!

The U. S. Army now consists of 26,436 men and officers. Gen. Sheridan wants an increase of 5,000. What is the use for a 31,000 standing army in time of peace?

Maj. Finger addressed the students and citizens of Chapel Hill, on the "Public School Problem." A correspondent furnishes us with an abstract from which we cull a few sentences. He said:

"The people seem now to have less appreciation for religious and civil liberty than formerly; hence, there is more need for popular education. Our inherited freedom must be preserved. The Declaration of Independence ought to be read every 4th of July. It ought to be read and taught in the schools, together with the history of all the times that led to its adoption. An appreciation of our privileges must be instilled into the minds of the people. The University, a part of the public school system, has done great good, and the people of the United States and of the State, owe more to it than they are wont to believe. People, in all ages, have been virtuous in proportion to their education. Public education is the sheet-anchor and basis of republican liberty. Public education is not for the benefit of any one class. It should not be supported by a few for a few, but by all, for all. A large element in State opposes public education, but since the schools are here to stay, make them, the University and all, what they should be."

Virginians are very much disappointed over Conkling's speech in the *habeas corpus* case. The Washington *Star* says:

"It seems to have been expected that Mr. Conkling would make one of his greatest efforts; that he would put himself on record, before the Court, as maintaining that the sovereignty of a State could not or should not be invaded. Instead of that Mr. Conkling delivered a very mild and noncommittal speech. He did not lay down any affirmative legal propositions but usually quoted his clients In making his strongest points, it is said Mr. Conkling would say "my clients affirm" thus and so, or "the petition alleges" so and so. There is no concealment of the disappointment at the ex-Senator's argument, and some say that he was not willing to put himself on record in favor of anything like State's rights because he feared that it might arise against him hereafter."

The New York *Herald* is now published in Paris as well as at the old stand. But are they the same? The Augusta *Chronicle* seems to think so. It says:

"The experiment of printing and publishing the *Herald* simultaneously on two continents, begun in Paris October 4, last, has proved to be a great success. The old European edition of the *Herald*, which went by mail, has given place to the *Herald* which now crosses the ocean by lightning."

The New Orleans *Picayune*, referring to Gen. Henry R. Jackson's speech, says, and it is true, every word:

"When people have no other excuse than cowardice for disapproving of the honest expressions of their own friends, they are in a pitiable way."

The New York *World* says it costs nearly $1,000,000 to secure city and county officials in the recent elections. It publishes a three-column article, giving assessments, etc. The candidates for justices paid $123,800. Very hopeful that.

The Macon Committee of the Georgia Memorial Fund for ex-President Davis, have issued their address. A general canvass of the whole State will be made. Georgians will respond generously we have no doubt.

Some papers think, and such an one is before us, that if you do not hurrah for free drinks and free smokes you are untrue to the Democratic party. Save the mark!

It was a mild decision, no doubt, that suspended nine students at Williams College for hazing. Expulsion would have been better.

Spirits Turpentine.

— Winston *Daily:* An intoxicated drummer applied to the ticket agent at High Point Saturday night for a ticket to Greensboro, and the agent refused to sell him one, according to the rules of the railroad company. The drummer boarded the train without a ticket and refused to pay his fare, when the conductor remonstrated with him, but without effect. He then told him he would have to put him off and started to do so. The drummer then drew a knife upon him, whereupon the conductor proceeded to give the knight of the gripsack a genteel thrashing.

— Our old friend, John S. Long, Esq., one of North Carolina's most gifted men, but who is neither "Col." nor "Hon.,"—but the papers think he ought to be, for they give him the cheap titles—made a fine address at the University. He discussed a "College Graduate in Pursuit of a Living." A correspondent of the Raleigh *News and Observer* says: "His graceful manner, his pleasing delivery, the practical ideas of his address, set in a beautiful diadem of rhetoric, logic and lofty imagery, all combined to profoundly impress an audience not always attentive when dry literary topics are considered."

—Wadesboro *Messenger:* The Methodist Church has been greatly revived and about 30 persons have professed religion. The preaching of Dr. Rosser has been with power and demonstration of the Spirit, and rejoicing converts bless God for his coming among us. ——We learn that there was a lively rumpus in Lilesville on Monday. It seems that a big negro man was kicking up rather too much, and the town marshal, Mr. J. A. Dabbs, attempted to arrest him, and the negro resisted arrest. The marshal drew his pistol and the negro took it from him, beat him over the head with it, and then ran off and made his escape. Mr. Dabbs had been sick and was in no condition for such an affair.

— A Mr. Batchelor and three children came near being drowned in trying to cross a stream in a boat in Nash county. The *News-Observer* says: When half way over, and in the deepest water, the little canoe suddenly sank; every one of them wept down, but the boy being able to swim made his way across. Mr. Batchelor caught one of the little girls, and after a severe struggle managed to get to the bank with her. The other little girl was carried rapidly down the stream, the current being very swift, and it seemed almost impossible to do anything to rescue her. Just at the critical moment, however, a colored man, whose name the gentleman did not know, appeared upon the scene and seeing the little girl about to sink for the last time, plunged in and brought her safely out but in an unconscious condition. But for the colored man she must have been drowned The escape was a narrow one for all parties.

—Cor. Richmond *Dispatch*: The North Carolina Baptist Convention embraces in its jurisdiction all the State save the counties west of the Blue Ridge. These are in the Western Covention, which makes a membership of 25,000 white Baptists in those counties. It has an entirely separate organization, and held its convention some weeks since The reports for the North Carolina Convention, which, it must be borne in mind, consists only of white Baptists, show what earnest work has marked the year now ending. There are eighty-one missionaries employed by the State Mission Board in all parts of the State. For this purpose $10,000 was raised during the year, all of which was expended. For foreign missions the amount raised was $6,500; for home missions, $3,050; for education, $3,560; for the orphanage at Thomasville, where there are now seventy-five orphans under the kind superintendence of Mr. Jno. H. Mills; for Sunday school work and the supply store, $6,000.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MUNSON—Gents furnishings.
FOR SALE—Shepherd puppies.
A. H. HOLMES—Onion sets, etc.
COLLIER & Co—Horse at auction.
ATTENTION—Howard R. F. E. Co.
E. WARREN & SON—Fine candies
J F. GARRELL—Finest beef and mutton

Local Dots.

-- Capt. V. V. Richardson, U. S. Marshal for this district, was in the city yesterday.

— The steamer *Cape Fear* arrived from Fayetteville about five o'clock yesterday afternoon.

— Dr. Thos. F. Wood's many friends were glad to see him out driving yesterday morning.

— Mr. J. S. McEachern, who had a slight stroke of paralysis a short time ago, is rapidly recovering.

— Hon. A. M. Waddell has been invited to deliver the address at the Silver City, Chatham county Fair.

— Norwegian barques *Sidon* and *Flora* arrived in below yesterday and anchored at the quarantine station.

-- Mr. E. B. Sanders, chief engineer of the Wilmington and Onslow Railroad, reports the line located to Wrightsville sound.

— The "cornered" cotton at the City Hall (mentioned recently in the STAR) was removed yesterday by the owner, Mr. Sol Bear.

-- Sweet potatoes are abundant and cheap; good Norton yams selling from boats yesterday at Market dock at 45 cents per bushel.

— Prof. H. C. Lincoln, assisted by his wife, will conduct a service of song at Brooklyn Hall to-night, to which the public is cordially invited.

—Receipts of cotton yesterday 831 bales. Total receipts for the crop year 106,826 bales, against 72,756 to same date last year. Increase, 34,070 bales.

— Rev. Mr. Peschau's horse ran off with the buggy to which it was attached yesterday afternoon, from in front of Mr. Peschau's residence to Orrell's livery stable. No damage was done.

-- Messrs. Alex Sprunt & Son cleared the British steamship *Roraima* yesterday for Liverpool, Eng, with a cargo of 3,184 bales of cotton, weighing 1,527,859 pounds and valued at $152,786.

— Mr. William Latimer, president of the Acme Manufacturing Co., accompanied by Mr. Henry Savage, has gone South on an extensive tour, taking in the West Indies, Yucatan and other places.

-- Dr. Thos. D. Haigh, of Fayetteville, is visiting relatives in this city. Dr. Haigh has many warm friends in Wilmington. One of his sons, Mr. DeLagniel Haigh, is prominently mentioned for the position as head of the State Agricultural Department, recently held by Dr. Dabney.

— The Charleston *News and Courier* says: "The annual meeting of the Northeastern Railroad Company will be held on Friday, the 25th instant. The proposed lease of the road to the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad for a term of ninety-nine years will be considered and will doubtless be effected."

Sent Up.

Police Officer Turlington left for Raleigh last night, via the Carolina Central railroad, with Fuller Hamsley (or Hansley), the escaped convict, whose arrest was mentioned in the STAR of yesterday. Fuller escaped from the penitentiary about a year ago. He was sent up from Brunswick county for larceny.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Annual Meeting—Election of Officers—Government Improvements on the River and Harbor—An Interesting Account by Capt. W. H Bixby, U. S. Engineer.

The annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the rooms of the Produce Exchange yesterday at noon.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Eduard Peschau, 1st Vice President. Minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved, and the report of the Secretary and Treasurer from October 6, 1885, to November 15, 1887, was submitted and ordered on file.

A letter was read from the President of the Chamber, Mr. F. W. Kerchner, regretting that he could not be present at the meeting, and requesting that Capt. W. H. Bixby, U. S. Engineer in charge of river and harbor improvements, be invited to attend the annual meeting and give such information as he could in regard to the work, particularly in reference to Corn Cake inlet.

Capt. Bixby was present and upon invitation addressed the Chamber, and with the aid of maps explained fully the difficulties encountered and overcome by the engineers. In regard to closing Corn Cake inlet he showed that if not impracticable, it was not advisable to close this inlet, but that its disadvantages and the injury it might cause would be obviated by building the dam now in course of construction from the lower end of Zeke's island, to connect with Smith's island; thus forcing the water from the river to flow around Smith's island and through the swashes by a devious course, before it could pass out at Corn Cake inlet. The depth of water in this channel would be about four to six feet, and across the bar at Corn Cake inlet about nine feet at low tide, which would always be available for small coastwise craft seeking this port from up the coast enabling them to avoid the longer route by Frying Pan Shoals and through the main entrance to the river. Littoral currents along the coast were fast forming shoals that would soon close the two smaller inlets near Corn Cake.

Speaking of the improvements on the bar at the mouth of the river, Capt. Bixby said that the Government boat *Woodbury* was now at work dredging a new channel, which has already reached a depth of thirteen feet at low water, and within the next twelve months would be cleaned out by the scouring of the current and dredging operations, so as to give a depth of sixteen feet at low tide, thus making an entirely new and straight channel across the bar; so that vessels entering the river could do so on one course, instead of having, as now, to lay three courses to enter the river. As soon as this work is completed the old channel will be abandoned.

Improvements now in progress on the river above Southport, Capt. Bixby was confident, would within a year give a continuous channel from Wilmington to the sea of sixteen feet depth at low tide. Dredging operations just below Point Peter which have been in progress the past summer, have given a depth of water of over sixteen feet at low tide from that point up to the railroad bridge at Hilton, thus extending the wharf frontage of the city to that extent.

In answer to inquiries Capt. Bixby said that to complete the work as planned would require an appropriation by Congress of $300,000. He estimated that a loss of twenty to thirty per cent. was sustained by inadequate appropriations, which caused interruptions and delay, resulting in deterioration, etc.

Capt. Bixby's remarks were highly interesting and instructive, and were listened to with profound attention. At their conclusion, on motion, the thanks of the Chamber were extended to him.

The Chamber then went into an election for officers.

On motion, the rules were suspended, and Mr. J. H. Currie was requested to cast the vote of the Chamber for the old incumbents, as follows:

President—F. W. Kerchner.

First Vice President—Eduard Peschau.

Second Vice President—Donald MacRae.

Secretary and Treasurer—Jon. L. Cantwell.

Executive Council—R. E. Heide, H. C. McQueen, Wm. Calder, Jas. H. Chadbourn, George Harriss.

Col. W. L. DeRosset offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we learn with sincere regret of the continued ill-health of ex-President A. H. VanBokkelen and beg to assure him of our earnest sympathy and heart-felt wishes for his early recovery.

The meeting then adjourned.

— The three drinking fountains purchased by the city will be put in position—one at Front and Market, another at Fifth and Market and the third at Fourth street market.

Weather Indications.

The following are the indications for to-day, received at 1 a. m.:

For Virginia, fair weather, slightly colder, light northerly winds, becoming variable.

North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, eastern Florida and western Florida slightly colder, fair weather, light to fresh winds, generally shifting to northeasterly.

Ladies' Benevolent Society.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society met yesterday during the forenoon in the Session room of the First Presbyterian Church, to hear an address from Mr. J. A. Bonitz, of the *Messenger* It was a pleasing and instructive discourse, abounding in good counsel and sympathy. We regret that our limited space precludes the publication of this admirable address in the STAR. Mr. Bonitz's closing words were:

"Your society is entitled to the sympathy and the help of the benevolent minded people of this city. You should have the membership of all worthy ladies, their contributions, their cooperation in your good work and their presence at your meetings, and let us all remember that 'inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these my brethren, ye have also done it unto me.'"

At the conclusion of the address the thanks of the Society were extended to Mr. Bonitz, and on motion of one of the ladies present the Secretary was directed to furnish a copy to the newspapers of the city.

The election of officers of the Society for the ensuing year was postponed until next Thursday, at a meeting to be held at Miss Hart's school room.

"Two Old Cronies."

The attraction at the Opera House to-night will be something unique and funny. There are shows and shows, and a good many worthless shows have managed to find their way down South, especially during the last ten or twelve years. "The Two Old Cronies," which will be produced to-night, however, is something far above the average of the usual Southern attraction. The play, if it can be called a play, is new. It is a combination of music and comedy, a performance by artists which keeps the audience in a roar of laughter and which is so interspersed with music that one is almost uncertain whether to laugh or applaud, and generally ends by doing both. The performance is a production of comedy and music, both of an exquisite character and both interpreted by a company of artists.

Mayor's Court.

John Smith, alias Ben. Gay, colored, charged with the larceny of a pump used on a mud scow, the property of the U. S. Government, was required to give a justified bond in the sum of $100 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, in default of which he was committed to jail.

John McMillan, colored tramp, who was found asleep in a box car at the railroad, was sent below for three days.

James Miller, colored, disorderly conduct, was fined $10, with the alternative of twenty days in the chain gang.

RIVER AND MARINE.

—Br. steamship *Parklands*, hence for Liverpool, arrived out yesterday.

—Steamer *Gulf Stream* sailed from New York for this port last Wednesday.

—Schr. *Thomas Clyde*, Frazier, cleared at Philadelphia for this port Nov. 15.

THE MAILS.

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

CLOSE.

Northern through mails, fast	10:00 P. M
Northern through and way mails	8:00 A. M
North Carolina and Atlantic and North Carolina Railroads and routes supplied therefrom... 10:00 P. M. &	8:00 A. M
Raleigh ... 6:00 P. M. &	8:00 A. M
Southern mails	9:00 P. M
Cheraw & Darlington Railroad and points supplied therefrom	9:00 P. M
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.	
Western mails, C. C. Railway	5:00 A. M
Fayetteville, C. F. & Y. V. R. R. and points supplied therefrom	5:00 A. M
Raleigh & Hamlet Railroad and points supplied therefrom	6:00 P. M
Charlotte and Monroe ... 6:00 P. M. &	5:00 A. M
Smithville	2:00 P. M
Wrightsville	8:30 A. M
TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.	
Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices	6:00 A. M
Little River, S. C., and intermediate offices	2.00 P. M
Cape Fear River mail	1:30 P. M
OPEN FOR DELIVERY.	
Northern through and way mails	10:00 P. M
Southern through and way mails	6:30 A. M
Southern, West of Florence	9.30 A. M
Carolina Central Railroad. 9:30 A. M &	9.30 P. M

Carriers delivery open on Sunday from 9:00 to 9:30 A. M.

Stamp Office open from 7.30 A. M. to 6:00 P. M Money Order and Register Department open 8.00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. continuous.

General delivery open from 6.30 A.M. to 7 P.M. and on Sundays from 9:00 to 10: 00 A. M.

Mails collected from street boxes in business portions of city at 5 A.M., 11:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.; from other parts of the city at 4 A.M. and 6P. M.

FORTY YEARS' EXPERIENCE OF AN OLD NURSE.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best Female Physicians and Nurses in the United States, and has been used for thirty years with never failing safety and success by millions of mothers and children, from the feeble infant of a week old to the adult. It corrects acidity of the stomach, relieves wind colic, regulates the bowels, and gives rest, health and comfort to mother and child. We believe it the Best and Surest Remedy in the world, in all cases of DYSENTERY and DIARRHŒA IN CHILDREN, whether arising from teething or any other cause. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac simile of CURTIS & PERKINS is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. 35 cents a bottle.

ROCKY MOUNT FAIR.

Big Day—A Tremendous Crowd—Great Success—A Fine Trotting Horse Ruined.

Special Star Report.

ROCKY MOUNT, Nov. 17.—To-day (Thursday) closes the big day of the Fair. A tremendous crowd was in attendance from every point on the railroad. Excursion trains came in from every direction—Fayetteville Short Cut, Wilson, Williamston, Tarboro, Weldon and Nashville.

The Fair has been a grand success financially—able to pay all indebtedness and a surplus to pay off all premiums.

Nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of attendance except the misfortune of Mr. Willy Edwards, of Wilson, whose horse had been trotting, and from some unknown cause became frightened, ran and fell, and in falling broke one of the shafts, cutting the tendon of his right hind leg just above the knee, ruining the horse for life. Mr. Edwards had refused $1,500 for him a few days ago. The horse was a very fine animal.

Friday the premiums will be awarded, and the crowd will be small, comparatively.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Horse at Auction.

TO-DAY, IN FRONT OF OUR SALES ROOM on Market street, at 10 o'clock, we will sell one Horse, works well in Harness and a splendid Saddle Horse. Also in our Sales Room Silver-Plated Casters, Butter and Pickle Dishes, Lamps, Vases, Blankets, Comforts, 65 fine Dress Coats, &c., &c.

COLLIER & CO., Auctioneers.
nov 18 1t

Howard Relief Fire Engine Co. No. 1.

ATTENTION MEMBERS.—You are hereby ordered to appear at your Engine House This (Friday) Nov, 18th, at 3 P. M. sharp, in full uniform and firemen's hats, for Engine Trial.

By order of the Foreman.
F. C. MILLER, Rec. Sec'y.
nov 18 1t

For Sale,

EIGHT SHEPHERD PUPPIES, WARRANTED full blood SCOTCH COLLIE, for $5.00 a piece.

Apply at
oct 13 3m STAR OFFICE.

Notice.

THE FINEST BEEF AND MUTTON SOLD IN this city for ten years can be found at Stalls Nos. 1 and 2, south side Front Street Market;

A fresh car load of this fine BEEF to arrive every Friday morning from Western North Carolina and Tennessee. Have also made arrangements for Kansas City BEEF, to arrive in a few days.

Meats delivered promptly. Remember the place, Stalls Nos. 1 and 2, south side Front Street Market, W. E. Worth & Co.'s old stand.

J. F. GARRELL, Successor to W. E. Worth & Co.
nov 18 3t

ONION SETS.

RED 10 CENTS QUART, YELLOW 12½ CENTS quart, White 15 cents quart. Large lots still cheaper.

FRESH SARATOGA CHIPS.
FRESH CELERY AND CABBAGES,
DRESSED TURKEYS AND CHICKENS to day.

Also good bargains in Live Turkeys and Chickens for to-day and Saturday's trade.

Full assortment of Groceries, Wines and Liquors.

A. H. HOLMES,
nov 18 tf Corner Market and Second Sts.

No Establishment Shows

AND SELLS A LINE OF PRETTIER NECK WEAR, A LARGER STOCK OF

Gloves, Half-Hose, Collars, Cuffs

and UNDERWEAR, than

nov 18 2t MUNSON.

We Have for Sale

GLUE, HOOP IRON, NAILS, SOAP AND FLOUR. Also Cotton and Naval Stores, closely handled.

WOODY & CURRIE, Commission Merchants, Wilmington, N. C.
nov 17 tf

WHEN YOU PASS

EXCHANGE CORNER DON'T FAIL TO DROP IN AND ASK TO SEE OUR

CANDIES

AT 25 CTS PER POUND.

E. Warren & Son,

EXCHANGE CORNER.
nov 16 tf

SOFT SHOES FOR TENDER FEET.

LADIES WHO SUFFER WITH TENDER FEET can find great comfort in using our soft uppers and flexible sole SHOES.

For Gents we offer an extensive assortment of elegant fitting goods. Call and examine stock.

Geo. R. French & Sons,

108 NORTH FRONT STREET.
nov 13 tf

D. O'CONNOR,

REAL ESTATE AGENT, WILMINGTON, N. C.

REAL ESTATE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

Stores, Dwellings and Offices for Rent. Rents collected, taxes and insurance promptly attended to.

Houses and Lots for sale on the Monthly Instalment Plan.

Cash advanced on city property when desired.
nov 10 tf

RATES OF ADVERTISING:

One Square One Day	$1 00
" " Two Days	1 50
" " Three Days	2 00
" " Four Days	2 50
" " Five Days	3 00
" " One Week	3 50
" " Two Weeks	6 00
" " Three Weeks	8 00
" " One Month	10 00
" " Two Months	18 00
" " Three Months	25 00
" " Six Months	40 00
" " One Year	60 00

Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates.

Ten lines solid Nonpareil type make one square.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.

Friday and Saturday, Nov. 18 and 19.

GRAND MATINEE SATURDAY.

The most thoroughly enjoyable MUSICAL COMEDY ever produced.

Two Old Cronies.

A GREAT PRODUCTION BY GREAT VOCAL AND COMEDY ARTISTS.

Will Henshaw and Ten Broeck lead this Great Cast.

A laughable genteel comedy brim full of bright catchy original music, besides selections from all the most popular Operas. This is the musical event of the season. Prices as usual

Box Sheet open Thursday morning at Heinsberger's.
nov 16 4t

Appreciated at Last!

THE SUPERIORITY OF OUR GOODS AND THE

Lowness of Our Prices

ARE FAST BECOMING APPRECIATED.

The intelligent people of Wilmington well know when BARGAINS are offered them, for in spite of the warm weather and general dullness of trade we have had a large demand for

Winter Suits and Fall Overcoats.

These Goods are all new, the material and workmanship of the same are the best, and we are already gaining a reputation for giving a perfect fit and selling goods lower by 30 per cent. than any Clothing house in this city.

Call on us and we will convince you of what is claimed.

Don't forget the place.

A. SHRIER'S

OLD STAND,

nov 13 tf 114 Market street.

A Cordial Invitation

IS HEREBY EXTENDED TO ALL WHO CAN APPRECIATE A LINE OF THE

CHOICEST AND BEST SELECTIONS OF

FANCY GROCERIES,

BOUGHT FROM SAMPLE TO PLEASE THE MOST FASTIDIOUS TRADE,

and now so placed in my spacious Store that a specimen of each and every kind and style may be seen. My time is given to catering to a

Select Family Trade,

and I say with confidence that a choicer display has never been made in this city.

JNO. L. BOATWRIGHT,
DEALER IN CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,
nov 15 tf 15 & 17 So. Front St.

HEADQUARTERS.

THE OLD RELIABLE,

J. L. CROOM,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, etc.

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