an three months in advance.

OUTLINES.

Mass., make a remarkably prosperous showing for the past year, and the operatives are demanding a return to the wages of 1884, as per agreement. -- The House Elections Committee had a brief secret session yesterday, but made no progress in their work - The Department of Agriculture furnishes estimates of the grain crops of the country, in which some big figures are presented. -Total visible supply of cotton for the word 3,081,686 bales; crop in sight 5,498,544 bales. - A collision of freight trains in Georgia smashed the engines and several cars and two car loads of horses were burned. -The Emperor of Germany is confined to his bed, and his condition is reported quite serious. - A father in Camden, N. J., shot his young daughter dead and then killed himself. - Several of the most important committees of the House have organized, and will be ready to report business on Monday. --- War preparations in Europe continue on a large scale, and everything points to the conclusion that the Czar means to enforce his terms, if not by diplomacy, by war. - The railroad strikers in Pennsylvania show no sign of weakening, the chief interest now centreing in the miners. -A destructive fire occurred at Louisa C. H., Va., Friday night. -- New York markets: Money easy at 233 per cent., closing offered at 3 per cent.; cotton dull and easier at 101@ 10;c: southern flour quiet and steadily held; wheat, No. 2 red January 91 @918c; corn, No. 2 February 62c; spirits turpentine firmer at 40 c; rosin steady at \$1 071@1 10.

Mr. Gladstone has been invited to visit the Pope at the Vatican.

Frank Holman, formerly A. T Stewart's "confidential man," died a pauper in Cincinnati recently.

The mercury stood at 66 degrees in the shade yesterday at 2½ o'clock. That will do for the 7th January.

The strike among the Pennsylvania coal miners continues. No overtures for a settlement have been made by either side.

The codfish aristocracy of New York city attended a charity (?) ball in diamoads, silks and laces. "Oh, the rarity of Christian charity!"

The remains of Louis Napoleon and his son will be removed to Farnborough Chapel, England. Ex-Empress Eugenia is now in that country.

Gen. Wheeler is the only man in the House of military education-a West Pointer-and he is not on the Committee on Military Affairs. A rebel is not to be trusted, you know.

The Atlanta Constitution, now a very extreme organ of High Protection, is strong for the repeal of the internal tax. It knows that is a sure way to keep up the War Tariff and silence all clamor for its repeal or reduction.

Edwin Booth is by common consent the greatest living American actor. He is a man of culture and ability. He wrote to the New York Christian Union: "I never permit my wife or daughter to attend the theatre without previously ascertaining the character of the play." Here is a lesson for all parents.

Dr. McGlynn has a new ally in the able, scholarly and eminent Cardinal Manning, of England. He has recently published this:

"I answer that the obligation to feed the tungry springs from the natural right of every man to life, and to the food necessary for the sustenance of life. So strict is this natural right that it prevails over all positive laws of property. Necessity has no law, and a starving man has a natural right to his neighbor's bread."

We have ascertained since our editorial of yesterday relative to the Committees was written, that North Carolina got one chairmanship. Col. Cowles is at the head of the Committee on Expenditures in one of the Departments, a "minor" committee. Representative Latham is on the Committees of the District of Columbia and Private Claims.

John S. Long, Esq., of New Bern, has been invited to repeat his University lecture before Wake Forest College in February. No living North Carolinian surpasses Mr. Long on such occasions. In a very re- | valued at \$85,500.

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markable degree he blends the charms of rhetoric with the attractions of thought. He uses rich embroidery but upon a solid substratum. He is a thinker, a rhetorician and The cotton mills of Fall River. orator, and it affords us pleasure to say this for it is the truth.

Gen. I. R. Trimble, who died in Baltimore a few days ago, was 86 years old. He commanded a North Carolina brigade at Gettysburg and has given in writing a high estimate of its courage and devotion. Telegrams of condolence were received from leading Southerners, including Secretary Bayard and Senator Hamp. ton. The honorary pall-bearers included nearly all the leading ex-Confederate Generals now living. He was a native of Virginia and a graduate of West Point. A Balti- day. more dispatch says:

"His most conspicuous work during the war was the following: The erection of the batteries that closed the Potomac River in 1861; the taking of Manassas, which Stonewall Jackson called the most brilliant achievement that had come under his notice during the war; the command of the Stonewall Division, to which he succeeded after Jackson's promotion; the command of the Valley of Virginia, and the command of Pender's Division on Pickett's right at Gettysburg, where in the third day's fight he lost a leg and was captured."

The willingness of the Atlantic Coast Line to run weekly excursions to Wilmington at half fare is very gratifying, shows a kind and obliging spirit, and must be of very genuine benefit to the trade. We hope the results will be in every way satisfactory, and to that end it is expected that the people living along the line will avail themselves of the low rates to visit our city. Other towns have been signally benefited by arrangements of the kind referred to, and we trust the increase of travel shall be so marked as to encourage the Atlantic Coast Line to extend the time of experiment indefinitely. The cheap rates will begin on 19th

There is great sorrow in China. Hundreds of thousands of people are reported drowned by the overflow in Hoang-Ho river. A London special to the New York World says:

"The extent of the disaster will be bet-ter understood when I say that an extent of country much larger than the whole principality of Wales, and much more thickly populated, is now a raging sea, and that all the inhabitants are either drowned or have fled. The people so terribly visited cannot number far short of the whole population of Ireland."

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. DICK & MEARES-At cost. Munson-Merino half-hose. M. M. KATZ-New bargains.

R. L. HUTCHINS-Think of it. R. R. BELLAMY-Open to-day. CHAS. KUNOLD-Lost breastpin. MRS. J. W. HEWLETT-Wanted. OAKDALE-Meeting of lot owners. GILES & MURCHISON-Steel nails. J. J. HEDRICK-Talk about towels. CALDER BTOTHERS-Liverpool salt. COLLIER & Co. - House at auction. OPERA HOUSE-Mendelssohn Club. W. E. SPRINGER & Co.-Removal. E. WARREN & Son-Marsh mallows. GEO. A. PECK-Plows, tinware, etc. THOS. W. STRANGE-Assignee's sale. Louis J. Poisson-Real estate agent.

W. & W. R. R.—Change of schedule. C. M. HARRIS-Select American series. Brown & Roddick-Decided bargains. H. L. FENNELL-Harness, saddles, etc. G. R. FRENCH & SONS-Neat and pretty. ALDERMAN, FLANNER & Co.-Plows, etc. W., C. & A. R. R.-Change of schedule.

Naval Stores Exhibit. Receipts of spirits turpentine for the crop year to date, are 62,489 casks, as against 56,286 casks for the corres-

ponding period last year; an increase of 6,203 casks. In rosins the receipts are 260,816,barrels, against 238,527 last year to same time; an increase of 22,289 barrels.

Tarshows a decrease of 6,108 barrels; the receipts being 40,538 barrels, against 46,646 last year.

Receipts of crude turpentine are a little in excess, 20,097 barrels against 19,891 last year.

The Land of Flowers. The Raleigh News and Observer

"The STAR is right in saying 'there are more flowers in Wilmington and five miles around that are native than can be found in all Florida. The of flowers is here, and not near the Gulf.' Botanists are of the opinion, we believe, that a greater variety of plants native to the region are to be found within a radius of five miles about Wilmington than in any other area of similar extent known."

Cotton for Europe. Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son cleared the German barque Oberburgermeister von Winter yesterday for Bremen, with 2,236 bales cotton, weighing 1,-032,294 pounds and valued at \$103,-

Also, the German barque Bertha, for Liverpool, with 1,823 bales of cotton, weighing 854,824 pounds and

Local Dots.

- Services will be held at St. Paul's Episcopal church to-day at the usual hours.

- The British barque Lizzie Wright, which arrived yesterday from Liverpool, registers 933 tons.

- The county register issued six marriage licenses the past week-two for white and four for colored people.

- Rev. A. M. Conway, of the First (colored) Baptist church, will administer the rite of baptism at Hilton this afternoon at four o'clock.

- The third of Dr. T. H. Pritchard's series of sermons to the young will be preached to-night—his subject being, "What it is to be a Christian?"

- Julia Potter, the young white

woman who tried to kill herself by swallowing laudanum, was reported to be in a fair way to recover yester-- Interments in the city cemeteries the past week were as follows:

Bellevue, one child; Pine Forest, two

adults. There were no interments in Oakdale. - The annual meeting of lot owners of Oakdale Cemetery will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, at the office of Mr. R. J. Jones, secretary

and treasury of the company. - Fourth street bridge is not near completion (as was reported)—not by a long shot, and the probabilities are that it will be several weeks before it

is finished and opened to travel. - Grace Methodist church at the Jewish Synagogue, corner Fourth and Market streets, Rev. W. S. Creasy, pastor. Services to-day at 11 o'clock a. m., and 71 p. m. Sunday school 3

- A flat-boat loaded with cordwood sunk in the river near the Dram Tree a day or two ago. Yesterday the owner, a colored man, succeeded in raising it, secured all the wood and brought it up to the city.

- Elder J. G. Dukes will preach to-day at the Second Advent church on Seventh, between Harnett and Bladen streets. A protracted meeting will commence at the church at 11 o'clock in the morning.

- A special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Produce Exchange will be held next Tuesday, at noon, at the Exchange, to consider complaints of gauging of spirits turpentine at this port. Parties interested are invited to meet with the board.

- The sermons by Rev. D. H. Tuttle at Fifth Street Methodist church to-day will be on the following subjects: Morning-"The Enduring Character of Christian Work; and the Certainty of Reward." Evening-"Strongholds of Sin in Wilmington that Must be Pulled Down."

- A lighter belonging to Mr. Frank Gause sank yesterday afternoon on the west side of the river opposite Mr. E. J. Powers' guano warehouse. It was laden with 200 bags of Kainite and 170 bags of guano. Workmen will begin to-day to save what they can of it, and to raise the flat.

- The special train from New York for Jacksonville, Fla., with two hundred employes of the Ponce De Leon hotel on board, arrived here on time yesterday morning. They all took breakfast at the Atlantic Coast Line restaurant at Front Street Depot, and before their departure the band which accompanied them, serenaded the officers of the Coast Line. playing several pieces.

Officers Installed.

S.-D. H. Wilder.

Cherokee Tribe No. 9, Improved Order of Red Men, on the fifth sleep of the cold moon, raised the following officers to their stumps: V. P.-G. F. W. Colin.

S. S.-S. P. Wright. J. S.-O. H. Kennedy. C. of R.-S. J. Ellis. K. of W.-J. D. H. Klander. 1st S-A. B. Shiver. 2d S .- G. W. Mitchell. G. of F.-J. W. Hewett. G. of W.-E. J. Phillips. 1st W.-J. Tedder. 2d W.-J. Smith. 3d W .- F. Sofello. 4th W.-J. W. McCartney. 1st B.-J. W. Smith.

2d B.-W. Lindstrom.

3d B.-W. C. Ellis.

4th B.-C. S. Spencer. Mayor's Court. Delia Hines, a colored girl, charged with stealing a dress from a colored woman, was arraigned before the Mayor yesterday, but the evidence

did not sustain the charge and she

was released from arrest. John Moseley, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars or work ten days in the chain gang. Moseley is one of a gang of negro boys who congregate at the corner of South Second and Dock streets, where they indulge in marble playing, wrestling, and, very often, in loud and boisterous language, much to the annoyance of residents in that vicinity.

Criminal Court.

The following cases were heard yesterday: John D. Nixon; larceny. Former udgment stricken out and judgment

recorded for one penny and costs. S. Howard; wilful abandonment of his wife. Guilty. Judgment not pronounced.

John Baker; larceny. Judgment, welve menths in the County House of Correction. Sarah Fair; nuisance. Guilty. Judg-

House of Correction. Mary A. Barnes; embezzlement. Continued.

ment, twelve months in the County

Isaiah Tillinghast; assault and battery. Verdict, not guilty.

Willis Wilson; larceny. Guilty. Judgment, twelve months in State Penitentiary. Motions for a new trial and arrest of judgment were overruled, when an appeal was craved and granted.

The case of W. H. Howe, charged with keeping a gambling house, was called, but difficulty was found in securing a jury. Nearly every one of the regular jurors who had been present at the trial of Sanders for perjury-growing out of this case-had formed and expressed an opinion. After theC ourt had exhausted the jury list, it was found that only six jurymen were chosen, and as it was then five o'clock, the Court took a recess until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning, after directing the clerk to have fifteen additional jurymen summoned, and discharging the six men who had already been chosen.

One of the jurymen, who said that he knew too much to sit on that jury, was subposnaed as a witness for the State immed ately after he left the box.

Gunning Accident.

Capt. James Wells, who has charge of Messrs, W. E. Davis & Son's fishery on Zeke's Island, was seriously wounded last Thursday while gunning. Mr. Willie Mayo, writing from the 'Rocks," in giving an account of the accident, says that himself and Capt. Wells went gunning for ducks, and returned about sundown to Zeke's Island. Mr. Mayo left to get a lantern, leaving his gun with Mr. Wells leaning against the outside of the house near the door. When he had gone about two hundred yards he heard the report of a gun, but paid no attention to the matter. After securing the lantern he returned and found his gun lying on the beach with both hammers broken off, and Mr. Wells seriously wounded in the left thigh, with the flesh torn from the bone and bleeding profusely. Mr. Wells stated to Mayo that as he opened the door, the gun fell and both barrels were discharged, with the result as above

The wounded man was brought up to the city on the Louise yesterday and taken to his home, where he received the necessary surgical atten-

Week of Prayer.

Perhaps the best of the series of very interesting union services held in this city during the past week was that at the First Baptist Church, yesterday p. m. The congregation filled comfortably the large church, though most of those present were ladies. The speakers appointed, Rev. Messrs. Hoge and Tuttle, reached high water mark, and they were followed by an impromptu but eloquent and excellent speech from the Rev. H. W. Battle, of Wadesboro, on the dangerous influence of impure lterature, one of the topics in the programme. To the many who have expressed a desire that these meetings should be continued, we have to say that it was announced that they would be resumed some weeks before the coming of Mr. Pearson, the evangelist. Mr. C. H. Robinson made the opening prayer and Dr. T. H. Pritchard closed the meeting with prayer.

Arrangements for Rev. Mr. Parson The committee appointed to make arrangements for the accommodation of the people, who it is expected will assemble by thousands to hear the Rev. Mr. Pearson, the evangelist, on the occasion of his visit to this city next March, received estimates yesterday from a number of builders and contractors, for the erection of a tabernacle. The estimates ranged from \$2,000 to \$3,500. After consideration it was deemed the most feasible plan to secure if possible part of the Champion Compress building at the foot of Red Cross street. It is proposed, if possible, to rent the first | Stock of Merchandise, Liquors, Groceries and compartment of the building, which is 107 by 132 feet, and it is estimated will seat 2,500 to 3,000 people. It will cost about six hundred dollars to put in the seats, etc., and there will be additional cost for electric lights.

Cotton Movements.

The cotton movement at this port shows total receipts for the crop year 150,012 bales, as against 116,722 bales received up to the same time last year; an increase of 33,290 bales. Receipts for the week ended yester-

day are 1,448 bales, against 1,935 for the corresponding week last year. The stock at this port is 17,744 weather Indications.

The following are the indications for to-day, received at 1 a. m .: For Virginia, rain, followed by fair weather, colder fresh to brisk northwesterly winds, with a cold wave.

North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, colder fair weather, fresh to brisk northwesterly winds, with a cold wave.

A Cold Wave Expected.

The temperature was from sixteen to twenty degrees below zero and the barometer registered as high as 30.40 in the Northwest yesterday, while the pressure in this city only indicated 30.00 inches, and the mercury rose as high as 70 degrees. These differences are favorable for the approach of the cold weather from the Northwest, and it is very probable that the temperature will be considerable lower in the next two or three days.

The Mendelssohn Grand Concert-The Mendelssehn Quintette Club will appear at the Opera House here on the 13th inst. The different artists

Herr Gustav Hille, solo violin, a native of Berlin, Germany, where he has been connected with the best musical organizations and where he stands in high esteem.

Herr Paul Mende, violin, a native of Dresden, Germany, and a graduate of the conservatory of that city. He has been in this country two years, during which time he occupied the position of first violin with the Patti concerts under the management of Herr Philip Rodelberger, solo flute

and viola, was engaged for the club in London, England, where he has been creating a furore as a virtuoso

Mr. Louis Blumenberg, violoncello virtuoso, was born in Baltimore, Md. Among the splendid concert organizations in which Blumenberg has appeared, are the Emma Thursby Company, the Joseffy Concerts, the Etel-ka Gerster Company, and a season with Marie Litta. In all the large cities in which he has appeared, the press has unanimously voted his playing as the most remarkable on this most difficult of all solo instruments.

Miss Anne Carpenter is one of the few American singers who have gained marked success in the private musical circles of Paris. Her rare personal beauty and charming manners, combined with a voice of sympathetic quality and dramatic power, make

her at once a singer of the first class.

Mr. Thomas Ryan is the viola and
clarionette player of the club. During the entire period of the life of this organization, now thirty-eight years, he has retained his connection with it, has labored for its well-earned reputation, and shared in the hon-ors which it has gained from the highest musical circles in America.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE.

Mendelssohn Quintette Club.

Friday Night, Jan. 13.

Box Sheet will be open at Heinsberger's, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

House at Auction. ON MONDAY, JANUARY 9TH, AT 12 O'CL'K,

we will sell the three-story Brick House recently

occupied by S. P. Collier. Sale will take place at the house and will positively be sold. jan 7 lt COLLIER & CO.

Oakdale. THE ANNUAL MEEPING OF THE LOT OWNers of Oakdale Cemetery will be held at Com-pany's Office, No. 114 Princess St., on Monday, January 9th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. RICHARD J. JONES, ian 7 It Secretary and Treasurer.

Wanted. POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER IN A PRIvate Family, or assistant in a Hotel, by Mrs. J.

W. Hewlett. Address

H. H. MUNSON, 319 Walnut St. jan 7 1t Lost,

AST NIGHT ON FRONT STREET, BETWEEN Market and Ann, a plain Gold Breastpin. The finder will be rewarded on returning it to
CHAS. KUNOLD,
jan 7 tf 318 So. Front St. or City Hall.

Robert R. Bellamy

RUGGIST, NORTHWEST CORNER FRONT and Market streets, will be OPEN ALL DAY

Auction Sale.

Beginning on tuesday morning next, the 10th inst., at 11 o'clock, I will dispose of at public auction, at the Store of G. W. Linder, on corner of Front and Dock streets, all of the THOS W. STRANGE, Horse and Dray. Assignee. jan 7 Et

Plows. Castings, ND A FULL LINE AGRICULTURAL IMPLE. ments. Superior Handled and Eye Hoes, Shovels, Spades, &c Builders' Hardware and Steel Nails. Prices guranteed.

ALDERMAN, FLANNER & CO.,
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HOES, SCYTHES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLE-ments, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Paints, Oils, Tools, Cutlery, Tinware, Powder, Shot, Caps, Guns, Pistols, Tinware, Lamps, Lamp Geods, and all kinds of First Class Hardware at GEO. A. PECE'S, jan 7 tf 29 South Front street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Inventory of Stock!

BROWN & RODDICK, 9 North Front St.

DREVIOUS TO TAKING AN INVENTORY OF our stock, according to our usual custom, on Feb. ist, we will offer some most decided Bargains in Odd Lots, in order to close them out previous to that date. We mean business, and know that the sure way to accomplish our object is t MARK THEM DOWN TO FIGURES THAT CAN NOT FAIL TO ATTRACT ATTENTION We can only give a short list of such at this time, as we will from day to day add others as they come up while going over our stock preparatory to Feb. 1st. Now is your opportunity for Bargains.

Ladies' Made-Up Underwear, FLANNEL SKIRTS.

Ladies' Collars cents each; part of this lot were sold at 20 cts

ALL FANCY GOODS REDUCED AWAY DOWN.

ODD LOTS IN

LADIES' & GENTS' HANDKERCHIEFS EIDER DOWN CLOTHS LOWER

THAN EVER.

Cloaks and Jackets never offered at such figures before.

Blankets and Comforters. The prices of these should induce many to pro cure now and carry them over to next season.

Ladies', Gents' & Children's Underwear. We are bound to close them out. IT WILL PAY YOU TO GIVE US A CALL.

BROWN & RODDICK. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,

NEW YEAR! TAS COMMENCED, AND WITH IT WE

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shall continue to offer weekly some;

THIS WEEK WE WILL CONTINUE OUR

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SALE,

daily adding some from all departments, Also have just opened 50 HEAVY JACKETS,

worth \$6, for only \$3 A fine lot of JERSEYS, all worth double our

Just arrived 3,000 yards SATEENS, only 10c. CHECKED NAINSOOKS,

price, fer 50c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 up.

INDIA LINENS, EGYPTIAN LACES,

ALL-OVERS, **EMBROIDERIES**

40 inch DRAP COUPE only 35 cents. Jobs in Ladies', Misses', Men's and Boys' UN

DERWEAR.

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Gentlemen

WITH COLD FEET CAN FIND AT MUNSON'S

THE SHETLAND KNIT

Merino Half-Hose, ust the thing to produce WARMTH. 1an 7 2t

Salt. 1.000 SACES LIVERPOOL GROUND, FULL WRIGHT 200 pounds.

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Ten lines solid Nonpareil type make one squar-

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Two Months.

John J. Hedrick,

January 6th, 1888.

We want to talk to our friends about Towels. Towels are an interest-

ing subject to all nice Housekeepers We have a weakness that way, and consequently find ourselves overstocked. We do not design to exaggerate, but confidently believe that we have more Towels than any two sold them cheaper. We intend to

stores in the city, and have always sell them cheaper yet. Listen, our 374 cents Damask Towels with fancy border, have been reduced to 25c. We sold a Scotch Huck Towel very large size at \$3 per dozen, they are worth \$4, these we let you have at \$2.75. We give you a Huck Towel that would be cheap at 20c for 15c. A pure Linen Huck Towel, a little smaller size, at 10c. Cotton Towels as low as 5c, and elegant Towels up to \$1.50 each, which will be sold at a reduction. To those who are well

ing customers will get them all the same. If you desire to derive the benefit of the above offer, call early.

posted, the superiority and cheapness

of our Linen stock are as familiar as

"household words," The prices named

above are for cash, but prompt pay-

relation to other goods.

So much for Towels. Next week

we will give you some information in

Respectfully,

J. J. 田.

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be-called for and returned-send it to H. L. FENNELL, The Horse Milliner, 10 South Front St. 2.000 Second-Hand Spirit Casks,

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