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OUTLINES.

No business was transacted in Congress yesterday; the House was not in session; the Senate Washington's farewell address was read by Mr. Ingalls.

The Memphis Appeal had a very kind and appreciative editorial upon Col. D. K. McRae. We quote the following: "Col. McRae is well remembered by the people of Memphis, who knew him as one of the foremost lawyers in the city."

The Gladstonites were made happy by recent elections. But they lost in majorities except in South-west, where they gained heavily.

It is now asserted that the Democrat in the 11th District in Michigan would have been elected but for the bulldozing of the bosses of lumber and mines.

According to the census of 1880, the capital invested in farms aggregated \$12,104,081,440. The capital invested in manufactures was \$2,790,272,606.

Miss Mary Anderson has closed a very successful season at the Lyceum in London. She played to invariable overflowing houses during her entire season.

Local Notes. Nine new subscribers to the Daily Star were received last night by one mail.

Hon. C. W. McClammy, Representative in Congress from the Third District, was in the city yesterday.

Messrs. Rosenmann & Sternberger are taking measures for overcoats for members of the W. L. I., which the State will furnish.

Services will be held at 8 o'clock to-night at Brooklyn Baptist Chapel by Rev. W. S. Creasy, and at Helping Hand Chapel by Rev. D. H. Tuttle.

Rev. Dr. Mendelsohn, who has been Rabbi of the congregation of the Temple of Israel for twelve years past has again been elected to the position.

Rev. C. L. Arnold, who has been confined to his home for a few days by a slight attack of sickness, is very much improved and was walking out yesterday.

Mayor Fowler has issued an order to the police to arrest all drivers of drays, carts and delivery wagons whose vehicles are not numbered, as required by city ordinance.

Gilbert Telfair, colored, who is serving out a thirty days' sentence at police headquarters has been put at work kalsomning the ceiling and walls of the corridor of the City Hall.

The Methodist Church on Fourth street makes a handsome appearance with its pressed brick and stained glass windows. It is nearly completed on the outside, and inside the carpenters are busy putting up the arches.

It is reported here that Rev. T. M. Ambler, formerly rector of St. Paul's Parish, in this city, has received a call to the rectory of St. Peter's Episcopal church at Washington, N. C.

Sheriff Johnson, of Marion county, S. C., came after John Campbell, the colored man wanted for a burglary committed in that place and arrested here a few days ago.

The STAR has received from Hon. C. W. McClammy a lithographed copy of the design for the "United States Court House and Postoffice," which the government proposes to erect in this city.

The work of raising the sunken tug W. P. Cratfield began yesterday, under the direction of Capt. S. W. Skinner. By evening the boat had been raised until the top of the smoke-stack was two or three feet above the surface of the water.

Messrs. S. A. Schloss & Co. have rented the store under the Commercial Hotel, which has just undergone thorough repairs, and will commence the auction business there immediately.

At the regular monthly meeting of this society, held Tuesday evening, an election of officers for the ensuing year was held resulting as follows:

President—H. G. Smallbones. Vice President—A. D. Brown. Chaplain—Rev. Dr. Carmichael. Physician—Dr. T. F. Wood. Treasurer—W. A. Riach. Secretary—John B. Quelch.

The Artesian Well. Boring for the artesian well at Hilton, for the Clarendon Water Works Company, has progressed satisfactorily, and has reached a depth of about twenty-five feet.

The contractors of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad have filled up the two deep gullies on Fanning street, and the scrapers are now two squares beyond on Dickinson street.

Mayor's Court. The Mayor disposed of the following cases yesterday: Washington Moseley, colored, was fined five dollars for permitting his hogs to run at large.

S. D. Parsons, drunk and disorderly, was required to pay a fine of twenty dollars or work thirty days on the streets.

A white woman, drunk and downy, was required to pay a fine of five dollars.

Engine Practice. The "Atlantic" engine was taken out yesterday afternoon for practice under the direction of Mr. E. G. Parmele, chief engineer, with assistants B. R. Russell and Thos. E. Platt.

The second and last test was from a hydrant, corner of Fourth and Princess streets, made for the purpose of ascertaining the difference in taking water direct from the river and from a fire-hydrant.

The engine increased the water-pressure to two hundred and sixty-five pounds. The same amount of hose and the same nozzle were used as in the previous test, and the stream thrown measured two hundred and forty feet, showing a difference of fifteen feet in using the hydrant.

The last test was not considered altogether satisfactory, as from the position of the engine the stream had to be thrown through a network of telegraph wires.

A Railroad Rally in the Fifth Ward. A meeting in favor of the railroad subscriptions was held at the corner of Seventh and Castle streets, in the Fifth Ward, last night.

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

Northern through and way mails. 8:30 A. M. Southern through mails. 11:00 P. M.

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The meeting then adjourned. It was announced that a meeting would be held to-night in the First Ward, corner of Sixth and Campbell streets.

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The barque Rialto came up from Southport yesterday.

Weather indications. The following are the indications for to-day, received at 1 a. m.: For North Carolina, rain, preceded in extreme eastern portion by light to fresh winds, generally easterly, slightly warmer in eastern portion, stationary temperature in western portion.

RIVER AND MARINE. —Nor. barque Nymphe, Ellefesen, hence for Newcastle, Eng., arrived at Plymouth, Eng., Feb. 20th.

The British steamer El Callao, which put in at this port for coal, went to sea yesterday morning.

Quarterly Meetings. Wilmington District, M. E. Church, South. First round of Quarterly Meetings.

Waccamaw circuit, at Shiloh, February 25 and 26. Brunswick mission, February 25 and 26.

Onslow circuit, at Green Branch, March 3 and 4. Kenansville, at Kenansville, March 10 and 11.

Carver's Creek, at Shiloh, March 18 and 19. Elizabeth circuit, at Elizabeth, March 24 and 25.

Cokesbury, at Salem, April 3 and 4. Bladen circuit, at Bethlehem, April 10 and 11.

Thos. W. Guthrie, P. E.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Piano Manufacturers, WHO RELY SOLELY ON THEIR OLD REPUTATION for the sale of their instruments, will surely get "left" unless their instruments meet the requirements of the present day.

Artist Material. DON'T SEND OFF FOR YOUR PAINTS, Brushes, Panels, Plaques, Academy Board, showing colors, when you can get them at manufacturers' prices at

Fine Imported Goods. GERMAN STUFFED FRUMES, SOMETHING new and very nice. French Prunes, very large, per pound.

California Fruits. Evaporated Peaches, Jelly-Cured Apricots, Sun-Cured Peaches, Dried Apples.

To the Public. I BEG LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE TO MY CUSTOMERS and the public generally, that I have this day sold to Messrs. M. F. Croom & Co. my entire stock of Wines and Liquors, and will in the future confine myself strictly to the Dry Goods and Grocery trade, where I will be pleased to see all my old friends and customers, and offer them everything desired in the above line at the very lowest CASH prices.

Shell. WE ARE PREPARED TO NAME VERY LOW prices for Paper Shell. If in need call on us.

Burning of Columbia. COPIES OF THE CHARLESTON "NEWS AND COURIER" containing Gen. Wade Hampton's account of the Burning of Columbia by the Federal Army, for sale, price 5 cents.

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Attention. I CALLED TO THE LARGE AND WELL SELECTED stock of Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, and other articles, at the recent advance in "Wholesale" a call will convince you. Respectfully,

Sign of the Horse. WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF WAGON Breeding, Head Harness, Collars, Names, and are Headquarters for all kinds of saddle and harness, Trunks and Bags, one of our wagon harnesses, and all articles of harness, and are at the service of our customers.

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BROWN & RODDICK, 9 North Front St.

WE WILL OFFER ON MONDAY, 18TH FEBRUARY, the following Big Bargains:

Lot 1. Misses' Fancy Stripe and Solid Colored HOSE 10c a pair, formerly 25c.

Lot 2. Misses' Solid Color LISLE HOSE, 15c a pair, formerly 25c.

Lot 3. Balance of our FOSTER RID GLOVES 75c a pair, formerly \$2.00.

Lot 4. Fine SKIRTS BRAIDS, warranted full length, 5 cents a piece.

Ruchings. We have just received a full line of imported RUCHINGS - NEW STYLES.

Hose. Ladies' Black SILK HOSE \$1.00 a pair. They are the best value we have ever shown, and are equal to any sold for \$1.50.

We are offering a full line of Misses' RIBB HOSE 25 and 35 cents. These goods are made with the double thread at the knees, and as fine as anything sold for 50 cents.

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