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OUTLINE

The October term of the U. S. Supreme Court will begin Monday next, with thirteen hundred and twenty-five cases on the docket; not more than four hundred can be disposed of during the term, among the first of which will be the criminal case of Cross and White against the State of North Carolina. The steamer City of New York still remains fast in the mud at Sandy Hook; the tugs have stopped work on her, and lighters are now alongside to lighten her so that she can be floated at high tide. The State Senate of Montana is in session, but the Democrats will have a majority of seven on joint ballot. Total receipts of cotton at all the ports since September 1st, 1889, 109 bales. The Republicans will have a majority on joint ballot of one hundred and twenty-five in the South Dakota Legislature. A negro train band was lynched at Jessup, Va., on Thursday, for maliciously striking a citizen with a stone. The delegates to the International Congress were in Springfield, Mass., yesterday. The czar arrived at Berlin yesterday, accompanied by Grand Duke George, his second son, and Emperor William embraced repeatedly, after which a royal reception was accorded him. A collision of trains yesterday morning, near Bridgeport, Ohio, resulted in the injury of eighteen men, three of them fatally. Mr. Blaine explains the omission of the South in the tour of the delegates to the International Congress, that it was decided to visit the South later in the season, when the weather will be more favorable and when its industries can be seen to the best advantage. Half a million pounds of tobacco have been destroyed by frost in the neighborhood of Fleatung, Burg, Ky. A line man in New York met with a horrible death yesterday from coming in contact with an electric light wire. The lower house of the Mexican Congress has passed, with but one dissenting vote, a bill to grant concession to two colored men of Texas to colonize lands with negroes from Texas and other American States; it will also pass the Senate and be signed by President Diaz. It is expected that twenty thousand negroes from Texas alone will move to Mexico, and thousands from other States. A disastrous flood prevails in the Department of Jura, France, a number of villages are surrounded by water, and many bridges have been carried away. Dun & Co., report a close money market, but the crop large, and the business outlook favorable, failures for the past week number 214, against 206 for the previous week. New York market Money stringent at 5/10 per cent; cotton steady middling uplands 104 cents, low middling 103-15 cents, southern four dull and heavy, wheat spot dull No. 2 red 86 3/4 cents at elevator, corn irregular and easy: No. 2, 39 1/2 cents at elevator, spirits turpentine steady at 45 1/4; rosin steady and quiet.

The birth of another of these monstrosities, a "White Republican Protective Club," is announced. It is in Texas this time. It proposes, as usual, to leave the negro "out in the cold," as if there could be any Republican party in Texas without the negro. But even with the negro vote that party is in a minority of 100,000 in Texas. So, where's the fun to come in?

A big six foot fellow from the backwoods who had about five feet of liquor in him, was landed in the guard house this afternoon by the police. Policeman Rigler had a tussle with him before aid came, and the man tore one leg of the officer's pants loose off—Charlotte News.

Policeman Rigler should apply for a pension at once. He is clearly entitled to it, as he lost that leg in the line of duty. We know Corporal Tanner will sustain us in this opinion.

Albion W. Tourgee is the champion literary liar of the century; and he is a liar for revenge. He writes for the magazines and for the Chicago Inter-Ocean, and he gratifies his malice, while receiving his pay, by vilifying the South. The fact that this fellow was once a Superior Court Judge in North Carolina seems like a horrible nightmare.

All the horse sense is not on this side of the globe. The Bangkok (Siam) Times says: "You can't eat enough in a week to last a year, and you can't advertise on that plan, either." Eminently correct. A business man's advertisement, like his sign, should be hung out all the time.

Mrs. Shaw, the American whistler, has lately had a photograph of herself taken in London for exhibition. It is nine feet high. "The photograph's all right for 'high,'" but we were just thinking of the terrible condition of a man who has a whistling wife. Whew!

The Newark Journal has an article headed "A Word With You, Grabb." The editor of the Journal is no doubt a disciple of Isaac Walton, and is trying to convince the Grabb that it won't hurt him to be attached to a fish hook.

It is perhaps not generally known that the ocean reaches such a depth as eight and three-quarter miles. It is said to be that depth at a point midway between the island Fristan d'Annab and the mouth of the Rio de la Platte.

Twins Eighty. Raleigh Chronicle.

The Wilmington Star has entered on a new volume. It twinkles brightly always and is a welcome visitor to our sanctum. It is the witty paper of the State press, and some of its humor deserves to live.

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. STAR OFFICE—Wrapping paper. MURSON & CO.—Come and see us. CROLY & MORRIS—Furniture sale. S. A. FOLLOWS & CO.—Auction to-night.

Naval stores. The movement in naval stores at this port shows receipts for the crop year to October 11th, as compared with receipts to same time last year as follows: Spirits turpentine, 42,256 casks; last year, 42,430. Rosin, 109,395 barrels; last year, 109,641. Turp. 34,421 barrels; last year, 34,625. Crude turpentine, 11,903 barrels; last year, 12,874.

Stocks yesterday as compared with same date last year were as follows: Spirits turpentine, 3,171 casks; rosin, 34,966 barrels; tar, 2,890 barrels; crude turpentine, 279 barrels. Last year—Spirits turpentine, 7,326 casks; rosin, 86,806 barrels; tar, 1,431 barrels; crude turpentine, 731 barrels.

Cotton for Liverpool. The Spanish steamship San Juan, 1,446 tons, cleared yesterday for Liverpool, Eng., with cargo of cotton shipped by Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, consisting of 6,100 bales, weighing 2,030,875 pounds and valued at \$314,450.

The steamer was loaded at the Champion Compress. She will sail this morning with probably the largest cargo of the staple yet taken from this port. The largest cargo shipped last year was 6,000 bales, by the same firm, on the British steamship Enfield, 1,405 tons, for Bremen, December 21st.

Cotton Receipts, Etc. Receipts of cotton at this port from Sept. 1st to Oct. 11th, 29,543 bales; to same date last year, 26,740 bales. Exports, since Sept. 1st, 16,129 bales, against 14,638 last year. Cotton was firm yesterday at 10 3/16 for middling; at same date last year middling was one cent lower, the quotations being 9 3/16 cents.

Local News. Bladen Superior Court meets on the 21st inst. "A Night Off" is the next attraction at the Opera House, October 21st. Rev. Robert Strange, rector of St. James' Church, has returned home. Gen. S. H. Manning, Sheriff of New Hanover, is home again from a visit to Maine. A special train for the Hammonds to-day at 10 o'clock. Fare, 25 cents for the round trip. The Presbyterian Synod will convene in Wilmington next year on the first Friday in November. Prayer and experience meeting of business and working men at the Seamen's Bethel this evening at 8 o'clock. Messrs. Jurden Haar & Bro. have commenced work in earnest upon their new brick store on South Front street. The repairs on the First Presbyterian Church being completed (except the new pews) and Dr. Hoge having returned home, services will be held to-morrow in the Church both morning and night. Services at St. James' Church to-morrow: 11 a. m., Litany and Holy Communion; 5 p. m., Evening Prayer. Sunday School at 4 p. m. The old teachers are requested to come prepared to take their classes. A joint missionary meeting of the congregation of St. John's, St. James' and St. Paul's Churches, will be held in the latter Church to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. C. L. Arnold will deliver an address. Seats free and the public invited. Capt. J. M. McGowan, our efficient health officer, and wife, left for Raleigh this morning on a visit to his mother and relatives. Capt. McGowan deserves a furlough, as he has done a great deal of good work in the sanitary department and needs rest for a few days. Mr. W. M. Hays will look after the Captain's department during his absence. Reverend J. H. Wheeler, or "Father Wheeler" as he is generally called on account of his age and from the love and esteem of his brethren and friends, and who was pastor of the Front Street Methodist Church of this city in 1888 and 1889, has been greatly bereaved in the last few days by the death at Charleston, S. C., of his youngest daughter, Miss Harriet Cole Wheeler.

A thief captured. Four males, two wagons and harness, were stolen last Sunday night from Messrs. W. R. Carter & Co., merchants, of Tolson, N. C. W. H. Adams, a white man, living near Tolson, was supposed to be the thief, and it was suspected that he would make his way to Florence, S. C., where he has relatives. On Monday, Mr. Carter started out to overhaul the thief and recover his property. He went to Fayetteville and Florence, S. C., where he made advertisement and offered rewards for the capture of the thief, and yesterday came on to Wilmington, and had arranged for advertising the robbery in the STAR, when he received a telegram stating that Adams had been arrested at Fayetteville, with the teams and wagons. The wagons were loaded with his household effects, and his wife and a young woman who was represented to be Adams' niece, were with the party, besides a colored man who was driving one of the wagons. Mr. Carter left for Fayetteville yesterday evening via the Carolina Central railroad to recover the property of his firm. He says that Adams has lived near Tolson all his life, where he rented land and farmed. He is about 40 years of age, and has a wife but no children.

The New M. E. Church at Warsaw. A note from Mr. J. C. Williams, acting G. M., says that the appointment of the Masonic ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new Methodist Church at Warsaw, has been changed from the 18th inst to Nov. 8th. Rev. W. S. Creasy is expected to deliver the address on the occasion.

Family Reunion. A family reunion was recently held near Bladenboro, N. C., at which with all the kindred and neighbors there were 157 present. It was at the house of David Hester who was born in 1811, and who has 8 children, 82 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren living and 20 dead. Total, 138. Those living are all hearty, strong, robust looking people, and there is not an idiot or invalid among them. There are two preachers and five school teachers and three different denominations numbered among the family.

Cotton Region Bulletin. There was no rain in the cotton region yesterday. The temperature was higher, the maximum ranging from 78 to 86 and the minimum from 45 to 58 at the various districts. The stations in this district reported the minimum as follows: Cheraw 38, Weldon 40, Lumberton and Newbern 44, Wadeboro 46, Florence and Goldsboro 48, Raleigh 50, Charlotte 52, and Wilmington 54. The average maximum temperature was 78 degrees.

OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT. Suggestions by a Tax Payer. EDITOR STAR:—The frequency with which the city has to provide new horses, &c., for its Fire Department, and the great expense attached thereto is attracting the attention of the tax payers of the city, and believing that the proper authorities will cheerfully listen to any suggestions which might be respectfully made, I would like to suggest that instead of all the Fire Department purchasing their horses and men to dress out the map sand, as at present, which frequently turns out to be burning chimneys, false alarms, or fires extinguished before the city alarm is given, that the alarms be divided amongst the different organizations, especially the steam engines, and that when the city bell strikes, the company having charge of that particular alarm box should proceed to the fire while the others should remain at their houses ready for a general alarm, which could be turned in, should the fire get beyond the hills or up town, be larger than it could manage. The taxpayers on the hills would also request and suggest that the streets on the hill should be improved and placed in better condition, that the fire companies in going to fires may go with greater rapidity, so that houses may not burn down before the engines arrive; that provision should be made for a plentiful supply of water, and that the policy adopted by the city government for all these years, of making all street improvements down town and neglecting the hills or up town, be changed, and tax-payers on the suburbs be given some benefit for the large amount paid by them as city taxes. Yours, ZIP.

Notice. I HAVE REMOVED MY LAUNDRY FROM Market street to North Front, between Chesnut and Mulberry, where I will be pleased to see all my friends and the public generally. S. A. LEE, 21 and 23 Market St.

SCHOOL SHOES, SCHOOL SHOES. WE WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL THE attention of our friends and patrons to the following of CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES, which for durability and style are unequalled and which we are selling at marvelous low prices: Boys' Veal Calf Bals, English Toe, 1 to 2 at \$1.00. Boys' English Toe Bals, Solid, 1 to 2 at \$1.25. Girls' Veal Calf Bals and Button, 1 to 1 1/2 at \$1.00. Boys' Veal Calf Bals, Seamless, 10 1/2 to \$1.75. Boys' Veal Calf Button, Seamless, 1 to 1 1/2 at \$2.00. CHILDREN'S SOLAR TIP SHOES. Our stock of Children's Solar Tip Shoes is complete either in heel or spring heel. Call to see and we will convince you that we are selling better goods for less money than you can purchase elsewhere.

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Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley. President Julian M. Gray, of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley railroad, and Mr. John M. Rose, secretary of the company, accompanied by Mr. G. W. Williams and Mr. W. M. Cumming, yesterday made a trip over the completed portion of the road. They found everything in good shape, and the party returned in the afternoon. President Gray and Mr. Rose left for Fayetteville via the Carolina Central at 7:30 p. m. Two section houses have been built at points between the terminus here and Black river, and contracts for all the depot buildings between Fayetteville and Wilmington have been made. The convicts from Fayetteville who are to assist in the work of laying the rails beyond Black river, arrived here yesterday about 10 a. m. on the steamer Murchison, and left at three o'clock in the afternoon on a construction train, for the place where they will commence work.

QUARTERLY APPOINTMENTS. Wilmington District—Fourth Round. Bladen Circuit, Windsor, October 12th and 13th. Wakeham Circuit, Bethel, October 19th and 20th. New River Mission, Pikes, October 23rd and 24th. Sampson Circuit, Concord, October 23rd and 24th. Brunswick Circuit, Zion, November 23rd and 24th. Kenansville Circuit, Richlands, November 9th and 10th. Onslow Circuit, Tabernacle, November 9th and 10th. Trustees of Church property are expected to have their reports ready. F. D. SWINDELL, Presiding Elder.

Church Notices. St. Andrew's Church, Presbyterian, corner Fourth and Campbell sts. Rev. John W. Primrose, pastor. Sunday services at 11 a. m. conducted by Rev. W. McC. Miller. There will be no services at 4 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The public cordially invited. Seats free. First Presbyterian Church, corner of Third and Orange streets, Rev. Peyton B. Hoge, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. in the church. Sunday school at 4 p. m. Lecture and prayer meeting Thursday night in lecture room. Visitors welcome to all services. Front Street Chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, corner Front and Queen streets. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., conducted by Rev. W. McC. Miller. Sunday school at 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Clusters always welcome. First Methodist Church, northeast corner of Fourth and Mulberry streets. Rev. W. S. Creasy, pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 o'clock. A. M. and 8 p. m. Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Weekly Prayer Meeting and Lecture Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Seats free. A cordial invitation is extended to strangers and visitors. The congregation of Fifth Street M. E. Church will hold services in Union school house, on 5th, between Church and Nut streets, Rev. E. C. Seaman, pastor. Preaching to-morrow (Sunday) at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 4:30 p. m. Class Meeting at 8 o'clock. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock. First Baptist Church, corner of Fifth and Market streets. Rev. T. H. Fritchard, D. D., pastor. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Prayer and praise meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Strangers cordially invited. Regular monthly meeting for business Monday night at 8 o'clock. Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner of Fourth and Brunswick streets, Rev. A. A. Scruggs, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Church, Rev. T. Page Bond, pastor. Services Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday Class Meeting every Tuesday night. Regular Prayer Meeting every Thursday night.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.—Rev. STRANGE'S Column writes in the Boston Christian Freeman:—We would by no means recommend any kind of medicine which we did not know to be good—particularly for children. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, we can speak from knowledge in our own family, has proved a blessing indeed, by giving an infant troubled with colic pain, quiet sleep, and the parents unbroken rest at night. Most parents can appreciate these blessings. Here is an article which works to perfection, and which is harmless; for the sleep which it affords the infant is perfectly natural, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button" and during the process of teething its value is incalculable. We have frequently seen mothers say, "English Toe, I do not buy without it from the birth of the child till it had finished with the teething stage, on any consideration whatever. Sold at all drug stores, 25 cents a bottle.

Rev. Mr. Pearson. Rev. Mr. Pearson, the evangelist, arrived here yesterday morning by train on the Carolina Central en route to Tarboro, but missed connection and was forced to remain over. Upon his arrival here he was met by many of his friends and escorted to the residence of Dr. Thos. F. Wood, where he spent the day and night. Upon urgent invitation he preached last night, and the deep interest taken by our people in Mr. Pearson was manifested by the ardor shown in their desire to hear him. An hour or more before the beginning of the service the major portion of the First Baptist Church where it was held was well nigh filled, and it was not long before the large room was strained to its utmost capacity by the great number endeavoring to obtain seats. Mr. Pearson opened his remarks by saying that his stay in Wilmington was unintentional, but he trusted providential; and in consequence he chose as his subject, "Divine Providence." His text was the 37th verse of the 21st chapter of Ezekiel: "I will overturn, overturn, overturn it; and it shall be no more, until He comes, whose right it is; and I will give it Him." He divided his discourse into phases bearing upon the characteristics of Divine Providence, as follows: The importance, credibility, minuteness, material and mystery; and from these points his sermon was argumentative, searching, and impressive. It was a powerful sermon, and sufficed to prove why Mr. Pearson has such a strong hold upon the hearts of our people. At the conclusion of his discourse, he announced the course that he is to pursue in his evangelistic labors for some time in the future, and stated that it was his intention to visit the Holy Land next spring provided it is the Divine will that he be allowed to do so. His farewell remarks were very touching. A great many of those present waited in the body of the church to speak to him, and all in all he has met with a very cordial reception. He leaves at 9 o'clock this morning for Tarboro, where he has an appointment to hold a series of meetings.

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In great variety, and in every imaginable shade. In HATS we display the celebrated Genet Black Gros Grain, all qualities, Stoddard, Smith, Duchess, Armure and Broadwale, striped, Plaid and Plain Berrans. Mohr and India Stripes. Black Dress Goods. Priestley's Silk Warp Henrietta, Plaid, Striped and Bordered; Memorial Brand of Nani's Velvets, Bordered and Remounted; Tansie, Albatross, Jersey, Torson, Ondine, Serpe, Cashmere Imperial, Armure Striped Mohr, Velours, fine and wide stripe; Melrose, Westport, Cordeliet, reple Cloth, &c. with an elegant assortment of Black silk Trimmings to match. SAMPLE ORDER DEPARTMENT. Special attention paid to all orders by mail. Express charges prepaid on purchases of more than amount of five dollars and over. Respectfully, BROWN & RODDICK, oct 6 1/2 9 NORTH FRONT STREET.

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