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OUTLINES.

The two subsidy bills were further debated in the Senate yesterday. Mr. Vest and Mr. George making speeches against them, and other Senators making brief speeches in their favor; an unimportant amendment was adopted to the tonnage subsidy bill, after which it was passed by a vote of 20 to 18; a vote was then taken on the postal subsidy bill, and it was also passed by a vote of 25 to 16; the tariff bill was then taken up and has become the "unfinished business" in the House...

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted. Spirits of turpentine sold yesterday at 39 1/2 cents per gallon and tar at \$1.60 per barrel. The Register of Deeds issued five marriage licenses the past week—all for colored persons. The semi-occasional railroad racket is again disturbing the Southport people and they have hopes of "getting there" after a while.

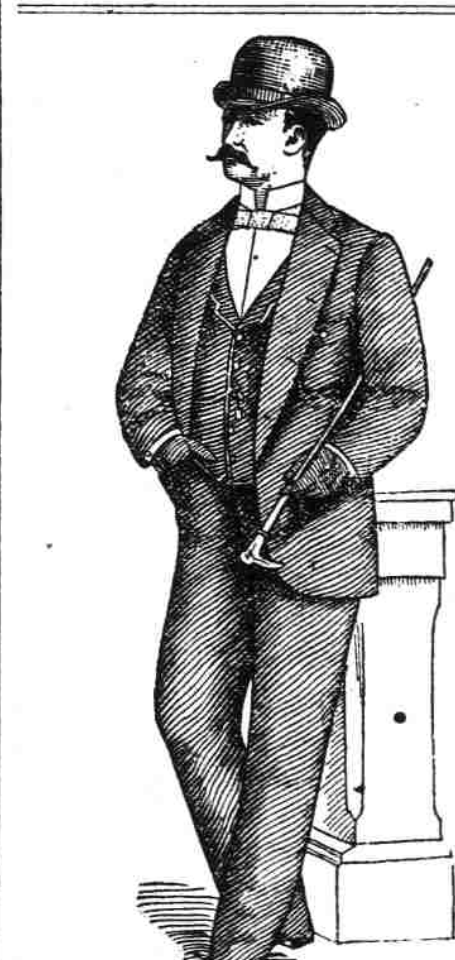
BUILDING ASSOCIATIONS.

Their Great Work in Promoting Habits of Economy and Thrift. Building Associations have done more to encourage habits of economy and thrift, especially among people of moderate means, than any financial agency that has ever been devised. Look at their progress in Wilmington, and the great benefits that have resulted. Thousands of dollars, in small weekly instalments, are paid into these associations every month, and this money is loaned, in nearly every instance, to persons who buy homes for themselves and families. The money thus borrowed is returned in small sums every week, and at the end of about six years the borrower owns his house, his mortgage is cancelled, and he will find that he has paid out a sum not greatly in excess of the amount he would have paid out for rent had the Building Association not aided him in his praiseworthy desire to become his own landlord.

DEM. STATE CONVENTION.

Raleigh, Wednesday, August 30th. DEM. CONG. CONVENTIONS. 2nd District, Wilson, July 16th. 3rd District, Clinton, July 23d. 4th District, Durham, July 24th. 6th District, Laurinburg, July 29th. 11th District, Salisbury, Aug. 1st. DEM. JUDICIAL CONVENTIONS. 1st District, Edenton, July 23d. 2nd District, Weldon, July 23rd. 7th District, Laurinburg, July 16th. 8th District, Lexington, July 31st. 9th District, Elkin, July 16th. 10th District, Morganton, July 31st. 11th District, Lincolnton, Aug. 14th. 12th District, Bryson City, July 24th.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



THE CORRECT STYLE IS THE STANLEY SASH. WHITE FLANNEL SUITS, YACHTING CAPS, Silk and Flannel Negligee Shirts. ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN CLOTHING AND Gents' Furnishings. S. H. FISHBLATE, KING CLOTHIER.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Gen. Grant thought during his administration that \$25,000,000 would be ample to meet all pension demands; Gen. Garfield \$37,000,000 the largest sum that would ever be required. Wonder what they would think of their prognosticating powers if they could see the \$167,821,733, and all the reports not in yet, which have been piled up by the pension boomers since they passed away?

A number of Republican primary elections were held in Columbus, Ohio, last Saturday to choose delegates to the State Convention. The slim attendance discouraged the bosses so much that some of them say that if no more interest is shown in other portions of the State, it means that the Republicans intend to let the contest this year go by default.

If Secretary Rusk is truly the friend of the farmer, regardless of locality, which he is believed to be, when he gets full charge of the weather department and gets the hang of it, he will turn his attention to the Dakotas. A section which sends out all the blizzards in winter and sweaters under 102 degrees in the shade in summer needs looking after.

Mayor Fowler went down to the Sound Friday evening to remain until Monday. During his absence from the city Alderman Morton is Mayor pro tem. The steamer Bessie will make a trip to "The Rocks" to-day leaving her wharf at 9 a. m. She will stop at Harper's Pier to leave the males for Carolina Beach.

Interments in the city cemeteries the past week are reported as follows: Oakdale, two children, Pine Forest (colored) two children and two adults. Total, six. Services at St. James Church to-morrow—the Sixth Sunday after Trinity—at 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. The rector will officiate Sunday morning, at 11 a. m., at Lebanon Chapel, Wrightsville.

There is talk of a shooting match at Carolina Beach soon. One hundred live pigeons are promised, and if the match is arranged it will attract a bigger crowd than could be collected to hunt Kure's bar. Since the saw-mill was started, things are "humming" at the works of the Industrial Manufacturing Company. The diamond market baskets they are now making are equal in shape and quality to any manufactured in the United States.

THE GULF STREAM THEORY. It is Not Believed That the Climate Conditions are Changing. Speaking of the mild winter and the influences of the changes of the Gulf Stream upon the climate and the season, Prof. Thomas C. Mendenhall, Chief of the United States Coast Geodetic Survey, says: There is no question that the Gulf Stream shifts its position in relation to the eastern coast of the country from time to time. Such changes are due to variation in other ocean currents in its vicinity, and are attributable largely to prevailing winds in that part of the Atlantic. That the Gulf Stream is now very much nearer the coast than usual, I am unable to affirm; but even if that was the case, it would not in my judgment, afford an explanation of the unusual climate conditions which have prevailed for some time. It must be remembered that these unusual conditions are not peculiar to the Atlantic coast, and it is impossible to conceive that the influence of the Gulf Stream would extend to and throughout the Mississippi valley and give rise to the uniform high temperature which has existed over this large area.

The explanation of this must be sought elsewhere. Meteorological observations and study do not bear out the popular notion that material changes are taking place in the climate. In the nature of things some seasons will be mild and others severe. It is quite possible that several mild winters may occur in succession, and also several winters of severity, but definite conclusions with regards to climate can only be safely drawn from a study of the observations of many years.

Small Fire Last Night. The fire last evening for which an alarm was sent out from box No. 14, was in an out-house on the premises of Mr. Jno. White, on Princess street between Sixth and Seventh streets. The fire was put out with a few buckets of water; the damage was trifling. The Fire Department turned out promptly at the alarm. Shortly before midnight a gas jet on the second floor of Messrs. Chestnut & Barrentine's shoe store ignited a lot of waste paper, and a blaze started, but it was extinguished by an employe before any damage resulted. No alarm was given.

A Chicago woman wants a divorce from her husband because he asked a lady acquaintance the color of her stockings. This is drawing the color line pretty low, but in view of the size of the Chicago woman's foot the question covered more ground than might at first appear.

A Republican club in Philadelphia nominated T. Reed, Esq., for the Presidency the other day, and when he heard of it he wrote them a letter thanking them ever so much. "Small favors thankfully received and larger ones in proportion," is Tom's motto.

Wilmington the Coolest. Wilmington was the coolest place yesterday in this district of the cotton belt; the recorded maximum temperature at the Signal office being only 81°, against 90° at Charlotte, Wadesboro and Lumberton, 94° at Cheraw, 92° at Florence, 88° at Raleigh and Goldsboro, 86° at Newbern, and 84° at Weldon. The minimum temperature at Wilmington was 64°, at Charlotte 62, and at Raleigh 58. There was no rain in this district yesterday and very little in the other districts of the cotton belt.

The Infantry. As usual on Saturday the "infantry" turned out with full ranks yesterday to enjoy the trip on the Sylvan Grove. They were well armed by their nurses, and each and every one was the prettiest, and the cunningest, and the smartest in the estimation of its mamma. From a gentle breeze at the start, things soon became "squally," but with the handsome Harper at the wheel—of a baby carriage—no serious apprehensions were felt.

Larceny of a Watch. John Barron, colored, was arrested yesterday and locked up in the city prison, charged with the larceny of a silver watch from Mrs. Pridden, at the Rock Spring Hotel. The case will be investigated Monday by Mayor Fowler.

Range of the Thermometer. The following is the range of the thermometer yesterday at the Signal Office in this city, as compared with the same date last year: 12 o'clock noon, 1890 1889 79 87 2 p. m., 79 94 4 p. m., 79 85

Services in St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church to-day, morning and night. The time of evening service in the Lutheran Church has been changed to 6 p. m. English services will be held at 6 o'clock this evening. Owing to the continued illness of the Rev. H. B. Anderson, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. Church, the pulpit of that Church will be filled by Rev. W. C. Merritt to-day at 11 a. m. and 8 15 p. m. German services will be held at 11 a. m. to-day and English services at 6 p. m. in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, corner Sixth and Market streets. Rev. F. W. E. Peschau pastor. All are welcome.

Services in St. John's Church to-day at 7.45 and 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Services at the First Baptist Church (colored) to-day at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., 8.15 p. m. Sunday school, 4.30 p. m. Rev. T. Hill, pastor.

Fatal Accident. J. A. Register, Esq., of Bladen county, writes the STAR that W. T. Robeson accidentally shot and killed himself on Friday last, near Register's Postoffice in Bladen, and that on affidavit that deceased had been criminally dealt with, an inquest was held. The writer says: "I proceeded at once with six jurors to investigate the cause of Robeson's death, and after hearing the testimony the jury returned a verdict that the deceased, W. T. Robeson came to his death by the discharge of a double-barrel shot-gun, which he held in his own hands."

Mayor's Court. Alderman Morton, Mayor pro tem., presided at the City Court yesterday. Jno. Forbes, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$10 and costs. Daniel Carroll, colored, also disorderly, was fined the costs—\$3.75. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Mayor pro tem. in the case of David Watters and Amy Watters, colored.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. T. M. DOBSON & Co.—Hams. STAR OFFICE—Babbitt metal. GEO. A. PECK—Hardware, etc. BROWN & RODDICK—Half-hose. R. R. BELLAMY—Open all day. H. L. FENNELLS—Square dealing. JAS. D. NUTT—Attention, doctors. J. H. HARDIN—Insecticide candles. G. R. FRENCH & SONS—Low shoes. B. F. SWAN—Cheap beef, eggs, etc. CRONLY & MORRIS—For sale or rent. ADRIAN & VOLLERS—Lowest prices. SYLVAN GROVE—Blackfish grounds. S. W. SANDERS & Co.—Sweet butter. J. B. HANKS—Prescription druggist.

The Seacoast Railroad Accident. The accident on the Seacoast railroad Friday night caused very little delay to traffic. The Ocean View train was used for visitors at the Hammocks who wished to return to the city after the german. This train brought passengers to the Onslow railroad crossing, where a train from the city was in waiting to bring them through, and they reached the city about 1 a. m. Mr. Nolan, the manager of the Seacoast road, had the track cleared by daylight, and trains were running as usual yesterday.

Weather Forecasts. The following are the weather forecasts for to-day: For Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, warmer, fair, southwesterly winds. For Florida, fair, southerly winds, stationary temperature, slightly warmer.

Crops in Robeson. A correspondent of the STAR, writing from Branchville, Robeson county, N. C., says that cotton and corn in that section are in splendid condition and the farmers are hopeful of making good crops.

Gov. Pattison will take the stump in Pennsylvania, and will also take Delamater's scalp. John L. Sullivan says he is after money, not glory. If John is not already a Republican he would have no trouble in qualifying himself for membership in that party.

If Tom Reed could have his way he would declare all the partisan bills now before Congress carried and adjourn. This warm weather is really trying on him. It is "frying the fat" out of him.

No, Captain, no. The level-headed, self-respecting Democratic Alliance men of this State will not be satisfied with "mule" representatives. They are not built that way.

The Pittsburg Dispatch, one of the ablest Republican papers in Pennsylvania, has kicked square out against the Quay State ticket and announces that it will support Pattison and Black.

The Reed gang had better adjourn for good. They had to adjourn Friday because even with Reed as a counter they couldn't count a quorum to consider the silver conference report when it come up.

Senator Morgan, of Alabama, has written a letter to his constituents on the sub-treasury bill, taking the same grounds against it as those taken by Senators Carlisle and Vance, Congressmen Mills, Oates and others, that is, that it is unconstitutional and impracticable.

The Hartford Courant, Senator Hawley's paper takes strong ground against the Lodge Election bill. This is a pointer as to how the Senator stands on that question. The Courant holds that it is unconstitutional and will, as Mr. Blaine says, re-act upon the Republican party.

The employes in the postoffice department should not let John Wanamaker outdo them in generosity. Since he has presented the President with a summer residence at Cape May, they should chip in and buy him a winter residence in Florida, or some other well behaved winter climate.

For Sale or Rent. That desirable and pleasantly located DWELLING, containing seven rooms, situated upon the south side of Market street, 60 feet west from the corner of Tenth street, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, in Block 160. HOUSE in good order, with all conveniences upon the premises. Size of lot 80 feet front on Market street, running back south 150 feet to Meadow street. Lot will be sold as a whole or divided to suit. Possession given August 8th, 1890. For terms and particulars apply to CRONLY & MORRIS, Brokers.

BLACKFISH GROUNDS! STEAMER SYLVAN GROVE WILL CARRY a Fishing Party to the Blackfish Grounds on Monday, 14th inst., leaving Wilmington at 6 a. m., touching at the Rocks and Southport both ways. Fare to Sea and return \$1. Fare to Rocks and Southport and return 75 cents. July 13th

Our Motto: Square Dealing. WE HAVE THE VERY BEST Harness, BUGGIES, Trunks and Bags! For the money ever offered in this city. H. L. FENNELLS, THE HORSE MILLINER.

Just Received. A NICE LOT OF CHIP BEEF! FRESH EGGS, AND YOUNG CHICKENS. For sale by B. F. SWAN, 118 South Front street. July 13th

JOHN B. HANKS, Prescription Druggist, 107 No. Third St., Opp. City Hall, SELLS EVERYTHING USUALLY KEPT IN A regular Drug Store. Night calls answered from Mrs. West's residence, Third street, next north of City Hall. Telephone call-100. July 13th

Mosquitod, PERSIAN INSECTICIDE CANDLES, affording absolute destruction of and relief from Flies, Mosquitoes, and other annoying insects. For sale by JNO. H. HARDIN, Druggist and Seaman, New Market. July 13th

ATTENTION, DOCTORS! THE "APIOL" HAS ARRIVED. JAMES D. NUTT, the Druggist, The greatest place in town to buy Medicines. July 13th 220 North Front street.

WE OFFER FOR SALE At Lowest Market Prices: FLOUR, MOLASSES AND SYRUP, BUTTER AND CHEESE, SUGAR AND COFFEE, D. S. SIDES, HAMS AND SHOULDERS, LARD, TEA—Green and Black, CRACKERS AND CAKES, SOAP AND STARCH, LYE AND POTASH, CORN AND MEAL, TOBACCO, CIGARS AND SNUFF, WINES AND LIQUORS, &c., &c. ADRIAN & VOLLERS.

BALLANTINE & CO.'S Pale Extra Champagne Beer, For sale by ADRIAN & VOLLERS.

LOW SHOES GIVEN AWAY! AT COST. Geo. R. French & Sons, 108 North Front Street.

Hams! Hams! 10,000 POUNDS, WHICH WE OFFER at lowest market prices. Call early and get a bargain. T. M. DOBSON & CO., 112 North Water street.

SWEET BUTTER. NO MORE TROUBLE WITH BUTTER FOR US. No flies, no bad tastes from being exposed. Don't see how we ever got along without our Refrigerator. Boston Baked Beans, Boston Brown Bread, Saratoga Chips.

North Carolina's Favorite! 1768. OLD NICK 1890. CURES CHILLS, COLDS, COUGHS, LOSS OF appetite, and is by far the best goods to be had for weak lungs and consumption as it has been known for its purity over 125 years. We earnestly request all to write for price list, as we keep goods constant on hand that are FOUR YEARS OLD and quadruple rectified. We ship in any quantity desired. OLD NICK WHISKEY COMPANY, Panther Creek, Yadkin Co., N. C. Jan 23 8m

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