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The barometer has risen slightly on the Middle Atlantic coast. The probabilities are that fair weather will continue throughout the Southern, Middle and New England States, but local showers are likely to occur on the South Atjantic coast.

----OUTLINES

The attempt to cause a strike of street railway employes in Philadelphia proved a failure. ---- Up to May 1st, the exciss of Government expenditures over leather. receipts for the fiscal year aggregate \$23,030,000. --- Secretary Carlisle bas called upon depository banks in New York to pay into the Treasury \$3.000 -000 on account of the last Government bond issue. ---- The Grain and Trade Congress closed its third annual session in Charleston yesterday; Kansas City was selected as the place for the next meeting. ---- The delegates chosen to the St. Louis Convention by the Arizona Re-

publican Convention will go uninstructed, McKinley's supporters bolted the convention because they could not get a resolution adopted endorsing Mc-Kinley's candidacy. ---- Fifty-one political prisoners were sent to the Spanish convict establishment in Africa yesterday. - A dynamite bomb caused the explosion in Captain Gaperal Weyler's palace, and not a gas engine as first reported: only one person was hurt slightly; Government officials say it was the work of Anarchists. ---- The Illino's Republican Convention instructed its delegates for McKinley and adopted a gold standard platform. --- An explosion in a colliery in Yorkshire. Eng., cut off the escape of one hundred men who are now entombed in the mine. -- The Baltimore Manufacturers' Record reports a very decided revival in busine's interests in the South; considerable capital is

being invested in the purchase and development of gold properties in Virginia, North Carolina and Georgia. ----- New York markets: Money on call was easy at 2@21/2 per cent.; last loan at 2 and closing offered at 2 per cent.; cotton steady; middling gulf 8%c; middling uplands 81/8c; Southern flour quoted easy; common to extra fair \$3.40@3.00; good to choice \$3.00@3.30; wheat-spot dull and firmer; f. o. b. 76%c to arrive; ungraded 60@61c; cornspot dull and firm; No. 2 at elevator 35

@35%c; afloat 36%c: spirits turpentine dull but steady at 28% @29c; rosin firm and quiet; strained, common to good \$2,00.

Who's hoodooed Hon. John S. Henderson, that he should swallow at Wallace. himself? Has he, too, learned in a few months that he has been wrong

all these years? A dozen or so girls near Pittsburg

have resolved never to marry men or even "go with the horrid things." Perhaps they will compromise on terday.

If Benjamin refuses to "take up the yoke" there will be at least one disconsolate denizen of Hoosierdom, a Mr. Shiel, who fears this country will have a sheol of a time if Benj. declines to bear the burden. Mr. Shiel rises to exclaim: "While I know it will be a great

hardship to him, I believe he owes it to the party and to the country to take up the yoke, though it be a a great burden." Now if the newly

wed statesman can resist such a plaintive appeal as this he must be built of stuff tougher than sole his former home.

Holmes' lawyer, who is trying to save his client's neck, has discovered that he is afflicted with a peculiar malady, which amounts to insanity, namely, a "wild desire to lie and make himself ridiculous." With his known crimes a man like that ought

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to be hanged on general principles. The rural denizens of Florida are too busily engaged in growing fruit, garden sass, &c., to pay much attention to poultry, and consequently the people of that State who are fond of chicken, eggs, &c., have to send from home to get 'em. There's nothing

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in that to crow over.

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brokers. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Princi

pally to People and Pointedly Printed. - Mr. J. C. Murchison, of Greensboro, N. C., is in the city. - Mr. Eugene Williams, of Philadelphia, Pa., was a guest of The Purcell

yesterday. -Mr. E. W. Gregory, of Richmond, Va., is in the city, registered at The Purcell. - Mr. Chas. H. Evans, of Baltimore, was in the city yesterday, stop-

ping at The Purcell. - Capt. V. V. Richardson, of Whiteville, N. C., was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

- Mr. Robt. W. Wallace, bookkeeper for the firm of Wm. E. Springer & Co., has returned from a visit to friends

> - Messrs. T. B. Rice, Greensboro; W. H. Daniels, Mullins; S. G. Atkins, Southport; Jno. W. Thompson, Raleigh; A. K. Mixson, M. J. Haruik,

Charleston; T. L. McNair, Laurel Hill, were among the arrivals in the city yesthis occasion.

much applause. The "Apodal Wonders," pistol from him, and also got posby Prof. Delano, assisted by Messrs. session of the officer's club. Du-Marshall and Croom, was the crowning ring the fight the deputy was seriously event of the evening, their wonderful hurt, his head, face and arms being cut. acrobatic mar œuvers surprising the en-Deputy Flynn then went to the City tire audience. The tenor solo by Mr. Hall and with two police efficers re-Jas. D. Smith was highly complimented turned to Belcher's row, and arrested and encored. ' Parson Jones and Par-Fannie Baker, Leander Holmes, Annie son Johnson," by Messrs. Henry How-Freeman, Nannie McLane, William ard and J.G. Marshall was rendered in Taylor and Ingram Haar, all negroes, their usual negro impersonation. "The on the charge of resisting an officer in Judge and Senator," by Messrs. Cowan and Graham, which was of their

The negro man who fought Flynn was own creation, was very laughnot arrested, as he could not be found. able and kept the audience in an It is said that he left the city for Goldsuproar from the beginning to the end, boro yesterday morning, that town being closing with some excellent renditions of popular airs by the Carolina Mando-All the persons arrested were comlin Club, composed of the following mitted to jail in default of bail, to await members: J. S. Williams (leader), Stuart

examination, set for the 11th inst. Heinsberger, Ed. Heinsberger, E. C. Warren, Richard Platt, C. V. Motte, BY RIVER AND RAIL. Ed. Neilson. The inimitable ante-bel-Beceipts of Naval Stores and Cotton

the discharge of his duty.

lum darkey impersonator Mr. Geo. T. Yesterday. Hewlett, with his funny, make-up, re-Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta I ceived great applause and won the ad-R.-46 bales cotton, 29 casks spirits turmiration of the audience. In this spepentine, 70 bbls rosin, 7 bbls tar. 80 bbls cial act he is a genius. Mr. Holden's

solo "The Mighty Deep" received concrude turpentine. Carolina Central R. R.-9 casks spirits tinuous encore, and in response he sang his favorite song, "Six Feet of Earth turpentine, 9 bbls rosin, 4 bbls tar, 21 Makes Us All of One Size."

bbls crude turpentine. Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.-The show closed with the beautiful musical sketch, "The Darkey's Dream 28 casks spirits turpentine, 29 bbls rosin. Steamer E A Hawes-25 casks spirits | or Slavery Days on the Old Plantation," by the entire company, which was turpentine, 136 bbls rosin, 8 bbls tar. filled with amusing incidents, dancing, Schooner Minnie Ward-18 casks spirits turpentine, 103 bbls rosin, 7 bbls and closed with an old-time Virginia reel, Mr. Hewlett taking the part of the

Total receipts-Cotton, 46 bales, Old Man and Mr. Wm. P. Croom the spirits turpentine, 109 casks; rosin, 347 Old Woman. Mr. W. W. Vick shuffled the "paste-

bbls; tar, 26 bbls; crude turpentine, 51 --the door. North Carolina Board of Health. The regular annual meeting of the North Carolina Board of Health, of which Dr. Geo. G. Thomas, of Wilming-

ton, is president, will be held at Winwith the pleasant moonlight ride on the ston on the 12th inst. The Bulletin is-Cape Fear and the time spent at Southsued by the Board says: "This meetport. The troupe has been organized ing, for a general discussion of sanitary for three years and has given four permatters by the leading men in the proformances in different towns and hopes fession in the State, is one of real imto make a tour through the State this portance and should be well attended. Summer. The executive staff are as fol-We hope especially to see a large numlows: J. G. Marshall, manager; Henry ber of the county superintendents of Newman, stage manager: E. P. Boathealth, as well as other health officers,

present that we may compare notes and prepare for "a strong pull, a long pull, and a pull altogether" for the cause of

hygiene in North Carolina.

The Southern Mining Association has

ested in Southern mines or mineral lands | kache": to meet with the Settlers' Convention at Southern Pines, N. C., May 5th, 1896,

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treasurer.

Hinery, a little bit of Danish mixed with Milesian.' "You're mistaken," said Stone, "that's

something like this: "It is an uphill busi-Bankers and Brokers. ness to get up any enterprise in this city. We have a few, and only a few, enter prising people in Wilmington. Some of those who are the most zealous to build

up the city are the least able, and many who are amply able, and who would

realize the greatest benefit from improvement, are the least inclined to in-

"For instance," he said. "there are these who own real estate-stores and dwelling houses-for rent, who take no interest at all in trying to establish any new enterprise." This geatleman spoke of Charlotte.

Newbern, Raleigh, Durham, Wilson, &c., in this State and many places in other States, whose natural advantages were far inferior to Wilmington's that were outstripping her. They had enterprising property owners, as well as merchants and other business men. He said "the climate of Wilmington, both in Winter and Summer, is the finest in the Water Street. United States. That if we had Fair grounds, a race course and a tract for bicycle practice within or near the city limits, we should have a number of trainers

here both Winter and Summer. And this alone would be a large advertisement for us all over the world. This would bring a large number of people here on both business and pleasure. which would result in a greater demand for stores, dwelling houses, hotels, boarding houses, saloons, barber shops and every other kind of business. There would be a greater demand for all kinds

of labor as well as all kinds of goods and transportation." It all this be true, it seems to me that it's time for our people to awake from their lethargy and arise in all their might with open hands and open purses and receive the showers of blessings that are hovering over us. There is to be another meeting of the

vest their money

citizens at the City Hall this evening at 8.30. I wonder if any one who has the welfare of our city, or their own welfare at heart, will not attend this meeting?

boards," and Mr. J. Darlington was at TRAVELLER. Southport Items. The boys are highly elated over the

The Leader says that Lieut. Morrison success of the trip financially and socially. and the large crowd which went with of Wilmington urges the formation of a division of Naval Reserves at Southport them from Wilmington was well pleased and the matter is being quietly worked on.

The well known tug Italian has been sold by Mr. Skincer of Wilmington to John D. Dailey of New York. The tug left on Saturday and goes into the towing business on the Harlem river, New York.

Alligators are now very numerous on the muddy banks of the creeks tributary wright, musical director; J. W. Graham, to the lower Cape Fear. Adrian Moore, who made a fine record last year by slaying twenty-eight of the slimy saurians on

his farm at Walden Creek, laid in a supply of ammunition last week, and declares he will fight for his hogs as long as he has a shot left and there are reptiles left in the creek for him to kill. The driving of the artesian well at the

quarantine station will be of considerable interest to Southporters in view of the information that can thus be obtained of the lay of the different stratas in this region. Dr. Eiger, the quarantine officer, intends to collect, during the boring, specimens of the different strata for analysis, and Dr. Holmes

"Mahany," said Stone, "how would you pronounce this word," and he spell-State Geologist, has written expressing ed it out very carefully-"M-a-c-H-i-na desire to be furnished with samples of the lavers of earth passed through as a contribution to the geological knowledge "That's easy," said Mahany: "that's the name of an old Irish dook-Macof Brunswick county.

Rev. A. D. McClure.

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and application of the best methods for opening up the mineral wealth of the South. A large attendance is assured. Railroad fares are reduced more than one-half by the Seaboard Air Line for

ing increased interest in this direction

