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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

The ball movement in cotton futures closed with a crash, and a net loss of 19 to 25 points yesterday. Many cotton spinners have agreed to purchase American cotton during the present month. A Pittsburg, Pa., savings and loan association is in a new phase in negotiations among the Powers regarding the Chinese problem. Bryan left Ohio yesterday for Chicago. Two steamers sailed yesterday from New York for New York; one for Boston. Native Indians along the coast of Alaska are in a starving condition. Conference of leaders of the State Democracy of New York held yesterday; harmony was practically assumed. Barkehausen will take the stump for Bryan. The conditions in Italy are favorable for crops. New York markets: Money on call steady at 1 1/4 per cent; the market being at 1 1/2 per cent; cotton ginning middling upland 10 1/2; flour steady, No. 2 red 79 1/2; corn—spot steady, No. 2 35 1/2; spot quiet, No. 2 35 1/2; soy steady; spirits turpentine firm.

### WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 7. Temperatures: 8 A. M., 78 degrees; 3 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 80 degrees. Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .00. Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesterday, 50 feet. COTTON REGION BULLETIN. Local rains have fallen in the Charleston, Galveston and Savannah districts. FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—For North Carolina—Partly cloudy and cooler Saturday with rain in western portions; fresh to brisk easterly winds; Sunday rain.

Port Almanac—September 8. Sun Rises 5:36 A. M. Sets 6:18 P. M. Day's length 12 H. 43 M. High water at Southport 6:40 A. M. High water Wilmington 9:10 A. M.

Attention is that when Great Britain annexed the Orange Free State and the Transvaal she annexed a people of carbuncles.

Commercers are doing a lively and profitable business showing logarithmic dollars, quarters, dimes and nickels in New York city.

There were 413 deaths in the city of Philadelphia last week, more than one-fourth of which were attributed directly or indirectly to the heat.

Mr. Olney, Mr. Cleveland's Secretary of State, is not "perplexed" as to how he will vote. He announces that he will vote for Wm. J. Bryan.

The *Wash. Democrat*, Republican, of St. Louis, says that city is so badly lighted that bonfires should be held at the street intersections. Judging from the stuff that has been appearing in that paper since the campaign opened, we thought that town was in need of light.

Since the war of 1861 this Government has paid in pensions \$2,400,000,000. It is now a generation after that war has closed paying nearly \$140,000,000 a year, about one-fourth of the Government's total revenue, and a very large part of this is paid to frauds.

A contributor to the New York *Sun*, defending the Philippine grab, says "Expansion is the law of the day." Well, when we get through with the Philippines, what next? Will we stop there or continue to obey the law of the day, and walk over into China, and then to other countries where we might consider it safe and proceed to grab?

London papers are complaining that American financiers are denuding England of its champion dogs, and not satisfied with that American women are denuding it of its champion cats. This is rough, but then in return we send England lots of stuff to eat, wheat, corn meal, rice, beef, apples, and have recently initiated them in sweet potatoes. These English editors should be perfectly willing to swap up their champion dogs and cats.

John Stevenson, the iron and steel man of Pennsylvania, built a \$60,000 stone house in the town of New Castle, but got miffed at his neighbors, sold out his interest in the iron plant, pulled down his house, stone by stone, carted it to another town twenty miles distant, and built another house out of it. It cost him something, but he got a good deal of solid satisfaction out of the move. Maybe his neighbors did, too.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss Louise Sloan is visiting in Garland.  
—Mr. D. R. Williams arrived last night from Asheville.  
—Dr. Geo. G. Thomas returned from New York yesterday.  
—Rev. S. H. Isler, of Goldsboro, visited in the city yesterday.  
—Mr. W. A. Farris returned from Henderson yesterday.  
—George Rountree, Esq., arrived from Asheville yesterday.  
—Mr. J. W. Collins and family have moved up from Carolina Beach.  
—Capt. and Mrs. E. W. Van C. Lucas returned yesterday from Washington.  
—Mr. and Mrs. James Madden moved up from Carolina Beach yesterday.  
—Mr. George Harris moved his family up yesterday from Wrightsville Beach.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearsall and Mr. Fred Pearsall have returned from New York.  
—Mrs. A. M. Ashim, of California, arrived last evening to visit her brother, Mr. N. Jacobi.  
—Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell returned last evening from Dillon, S. C., where he dedicated a church.  
—Mrs. E. A. Woodrow has returned to her home in Savannah after a pleasant visit to friends here.  
—L. V. Grady, Esq., returned from Kennansville yesterday, where he attended Duplin Superior Court.  
—Col. K. M. Murchison, who has been spending several months in New York, returned last evening via Asheville.  
—Deputy Clerk E. L. Larkins and Register of Deeds D. M. Stringfield, of Pender, were visitors to the city yesterday.  
—Messrs. W. L. Holt, R. L. Williams, A. S. Williams and L. B. Hale were arrivals on the steamer *Hurt* yesterday.  
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### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. O'Connor—For rent.  
S. L. Gore Co.—Mullets.  
Samuel Bear, Sr.—For rent.  
W. M. Cumming—For rent.  
J. W. Plummer, Jr.—Soft peaches.  
BUSINESS LOCALS.  
Navassa Guano Co.—For rent.  
The Cotton Market.  
The cotton receipts at the port of Wilmington for the week ending yesterday were 7,653 bales against 4,241 bales for the corresponding period last year. The receipts yesterday were 1,846 bales against 1,038 on the same day last year. There is no change in the market which is still quoted on a basis of 9 cents for middling.

### KINSAULS RESPITED.

Attempted Suicide and Minister's Request Give Him Another Week.

WILL HANG NEXT FRIDAY.

Took Overdose of Morphine and Later Tried to Cut His Throat With Knife. Condemned Man Attempts to Excite Political Sympathy.

[Special Star Telegram.]

CLINTON, N. C., Sept. 7.—Archie Kinsauls was not hanged to day because of an attempt to commit suicide by cutting his throat this morning with a pocket knife. He is now unconscious and pronounced by the physicians to be in a very critical condition and very likely to die from the wound. He passed a sleepless night, and early this morning was violently sick with cholera morbus and ate no breakfast whatever. He has protested all along that he would not be hanged, and even when the gallows was being built in the jail enclosure where he could see it he said he would not be hanged on it. Some took this to mean that he had suicidal intent, and others thought that it was because he had high hopes that the Governor would interfere. He cut his throat on both sides, but did not go quite deep enough to reach the jugular vein.

A telegram was received by the sheriff from Governor Russell postponing the day of execution till Friday, the 14th of September.

The STAR yesterday told in detail the story of Kinsauls' crime, his subsequent arrest, liberation from jail by his friends, re-capture after being wounded by sheriff's posse, conviction by the court, removal to New Hanover county jail for safe keeping and his final return to the Clinton prison for execution; all of which included, with hundreds of others of more or less moment, combine to make this the most interesting murder case probably ever known in Eastern North Carolina. The keenest interest in the appointed hanging was manifested by Wilmington people yesterday, and inquiries at newspaper offices were frequent. The condemned man was respited by the Governor as indicated above, it is learned, not alone for the reason that the circumstances of the hanging would be very revolting from the nature of the wounds and condition of the man, but also for the reason that local ministers of the gospel strenuously urged an extension of his time for the reason that he was religiously not then prepared to die.

A gentleman, who arrived in the city last night, and who preferred that his name be not given, brought additional news of the attempt at suicide and the feeling about Clinton. He stated that from information gained at Warsaw from a gentleman who arrived from Clinton about noon, he thought the Populists of Sampson were jubilant over the prospects of the hanging, though persons well acquainted with the circumstances of the killing say there was no political significance in it. This statement is borne out by the fact that many Democrats are the most urgent advocates of the execution. The Democrats, he says, appear to prefer that Kinsauls should die of the wound inflicted by his own hands rather than be a victim of a hanging which is so revolting to him. At any rate from the information given by the STAR, it is not likely there will be the least trouble so far as regards the political parties, leaders on both sides disclaiming any motives other than those prompted by justice in the matter.

The first attempt on the part of Kinsauls to end his life was early yesterday morning, when after spending a sleepless night, he feigned weakness and took this occasion to swallow fifteen one-fourth grain tablets of morphine, which he afterwards had brought with him from Wilmington. This attempt his self-destruction was discovered by the death watch then on, and he was brought around all right by physicians. Each tablet of the morphine taken is said to have contained a one-hundredth part of atropia, which is said to have counteracted the effect of the morphine to some extent or his first attempt at suicide would have been successful.

About 11 o'clock, just one hour before the appointed time for the execution, Kinsauls said he wanted to sleep until the hour for his death and the man on watch retired. Returning in about half an hour he was surprised to find the prisoner lying on the floor of his cell in an unconscious condition with two gashes evidently made downward from each ear with a pocket knife drawn toward the throat. A jack knife was found near and the wounded man had lost about three pints of blood from the gashes which were fortunately, though perhaps not intended, did not sever the jugular vein. It is unknown from what source he obtained the knife. Drs. Lee and Lee and Dr. John A. Stevens ministered to Kinsauls' needs, though physicians are non-committal as to the probable result of the injuries.

Kinsauls upon every occasion has tried to inject the political feature in his case and is quoted as having said to the workmen building the scaffold inside the jail: "No d—n Populist will ever hang me on that trap!" The following letter, received by Sheriff MacRae and Jailer Mills, is also significant:

"To the Sheriff and Mr. Mills, and all other good Democrats: They say that they are going to hang me, or kill

### LOCAL DOTS.

The charter for the Holmes Grocery Company was received yesterday from the Secretary of State.

The schooner *Lillie*, 311 tons, has sailed from the Barbadoes for this port to take a cargo of lumber.

The roof of the county jail is undergoing slight repairs. Deputy Sheriff Rowan is in charge of the work.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock to-morrow afternoon will be conducted by Rev. L. B. Boney.

Maj. D. O'Connor offers for rent the store now occupied by the Singer Sewing Machine Company on Market street; also, sixteen rooms over the store suitable for boarding house.

Joseph Jainer, colored, was tried before Justice Fowler yesterday on the charge of abandonment, and was bound over to Criminal Court under a \$50 bond, which he failed to give and was committed.

The heavy smoke which hung over the city last night was caused by the burning of the woods about four miles from Wilmington along the Seacoast railroad. The fire's greatest damage was to the timber.

The Southern Railway excursion returned to the up country last night, after two days spent in Wilmington. Many of the excursionists visited Wrightsville Beach yesterday, while quite a number remained in the city.

A deed was filed at the court house yesterday conveying from F. A. Davis and Cora M. Davis to Amanda M. Holland, a tract of property 33x110 feet, on Fifth between Grace and Chestnut streets, for the consideration of \$2,500.

### MAXTON'S NEW BANK.

Model Institution Just Opened to the Public in Robeson County.

From announcement made by the officers and stockholders of the new bank at Maxton, N. C., which began business September 1st, with a capital stock of \$20,000, the following facts are gleaned, which go to prove that it is probably the most model small institution of its kind in the State: The building in which the bank is located is of brick with steel ceiling, thus rendering it comparatively fire proof. An excellent vault of vitrified brick and Portland cement, is accessible by three doors weighing 2,000 pounds. On the inside of this is another vault of steel, with burglar proof appliances. In addition, the bank carries burglar insurance covering all funds with the Fidelity & Casualty Co. of New York.

The by-laws provide that the president, cashier or any active officer is ineligible to endorse for any one for credit to the bank or engage in speculation of any kind; and that no officer can pass upon any loan in which he is directly or indirectly interested.

All active officers have given a large trust company surety bond (no personal bond being allowed). Mr. W. J. Edwards is president and Mr. Thomas O. Evans cashier of the new bank.

### MEETS AT CHADBOURN.

It has been decided to have Wilmington Presbytery Assemble There.

The Fall meeting of Wilmington Presbytery which was appointed to have been held with Sweet Home church, Shallotte, Brunswick county, on September 27th at 8 P. M., has been postponed until October 3rd at the same hour, when the meeting will be held with the Chadbourne Presbyterian church.

The change from Sweet Home church was for the reason that during this season of the year there is much sickness in lower Brunswick county and it would not only be a hardship upon the people there in the event of sickness to entertain the Presbytery but also the health of the delegates themselves would be endangered.

Clinton was a candidate for the place of meeting, when it was decided to change the location, but the decision was in favor of Chadbourne. The place and date was originally set by the session of the Presbytery at Faison, N. C., April 4th.

### PRISONERS TRIED TO ESCAPE.

From the County Jail Thursday Night by Cutting Their Way Out.

Some of the prisoners in the county jail made an unsuccessful attempt to regain their freedom Thursday night by cutting their way out. Early yesterday morning Jailer Mills found a pile of crumbled mortar in one corner and upon further investigation saw through it all. With a nail or file or some other instrument of that character, all the mortar had been removed from between several bricks, but as the wall is eighteen inches thick, the undertaking proved too much for them. C. B. Freeman, of Bladen county, who is charged with murder, is in the jail with several other prisoners, but Jailer Mills doesn't think that he had a hand in the attempted escape.

### Fast Time by Compton.

The steamer *Compton*, which arrived last night from Little River, S. C., shortly before 12 o'clock, accomplished the remarkable fast time of less than six hours from Little River, S. C. a distance of 70 miles, having left Little River at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, made one stop and arrived here at the time mentioned. Capt. Sanders now has a handsome and a fast boat and the public is showing its appreciation of the service by a liberal patronage.

### A. C. L. IMPROVEMENT.

The Quantico-Charleston Link of Railway to Be Put in Fine Shape.

### IN THE VAN OF PROGRESS.

New Freight and Passenger Engines and Most Improved Coaches Are Being Added to Its Lines—Will Excel It With Flying Machines.

[Special to the News & Courier.]

FLORENCE, S. C., Sept. 6.—The Atlantic Coast Line Company is making wonderful improvements in its proposed Quantico to Charleston, Augusta and Columbia. Within the past year it has completed its entire main line tracks with 90 pound steel rails. It has built many new freight and passenger depots and has made large additions to its passenger headquarters. The several shops have been consolidated and the capacity of those in service tripled. Thousands of dollars have been put in new machinery that will replace the tiny wood burners that have been pulling a "shoo fly" passenger and a dozen box cars on a freight train.

An order has been placed with the Richmond Locomotive Works for ten of the large modern freight engines, duplicates of those purchased by this system last year of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, of Philadelphia. These engines are monster machines and are known as "hammer heads" or "10-wheel jacks." They are fitted with 194 28-inch cylinders, 63-inch driving wheels, an immense boiler and fire box and the latest improvements, such as injectors, valves, lubricators, etc. The tanks are of 4,000 gallon capacity and will carry water enough to run an engine pulling a heavy train for fifty miles and coal enough to run one hundred and fifty miles. Each of them is neatly and handsomely painted and conveniently arranged for oiling and repairing.

Six of these monster locomotives have already been delivered to the Coast Line at their shops here and will be used for hauling freight trains between Charleston, Augusta, Florence and Richmond.

In addition to these the Coast Line Company has purchased of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, of Philadelphia, two more of the larger passenger engines known as "trailers," and two immense "low-boy" freight engines for the yards. The two trailers are duplicates of those now in use between Florence and Rocky Mount, N. C. They will be used for hauling freight trains between Florence and Rocky Mount.

The Southern Railway how has the "plum," but the Coast Line people say they will have that appropriation if they have to get "lying machines."

The Coast Line people say the Coast Line people are now having built at their own shops in Wilmington and in the Pullman Works, at Pullman, Ill., twenty beautiful freight engines, which will replace all the old "shacks" now in service on the main lines. These coaches are built and fitted with a view to the comfort of passengers, vestibuled, elegantly upholstered, lavatories, lighted with electricity and heated by steam. They will be painted a dark olive green on the outside, trimmed and lettered in old gold, while the interior is beautifully fitted in antique oak. These cars will be used on the local "shoo fly" as well as on the through trains.

### PULL FAVORS BRYAN.

New York Herald: For the purpose of obtaining an indication of the trend of political sentiment in this city a poll was taken of the *Herald's* composing room yesterday. Out of our party sixty-four of those employed in the same department voted for Bryan and thirty-seven for McKinley. Of those now employed in the composing room, 106 announce it as their intention to vote the Democratic ticket, sixteen will vote the Republican ticket, one will vote the Prohibition ticket and eight are still in doubt.

Attention, Democrats. Democrats should not forget the call of State Chairman Simmons, Wm. J. Bryan, Adlai E. Stevenson, Jas. K. Jones, Wm. R. Hearst, Josephus Daniels, Julian S. Carr, B. C. Beckwith and E. Chambers Smith for a thorough organization in all the States. For North Carolina the plan is for all the White Supremacy clubs of 1896 to be re-organized as Bryan and Stevenson clubs. The dates fixed are September 14th (at night) for clubs in the towns and cities and September 15th (day or night) for clubs in the county precincts.

Church Notices. First Presbyterian Church: Sunday at 11 A. M. services in the Lecture Room conducted by the choir. There will be the usual service on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Prayer meeting service every Wednesday night.

First Baptist Church, corner of Market and Third streets, Wilmington, N. C. The Gospel according to St. Matthew. "What Shall the End Be?" Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon at 8 o'clock. Sunday School meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public is cordially invited.

Southside Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Worcester streets, Rev. J. H. Herring, pastor. Services at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Prayer meeting service every Wednesday night.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Second and Market streets, Rev. J. H. Herring, pastor. Services at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Prayer meeting service every Wednesday night.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner Fourth and Brunswick streets, Rev. J. J. Parsons, pastor. Services at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Prayer meeting service every Wednesday night.

First Street Methodist Church, situated on Fifth street between Nun and Church, Rev. John H. Hall, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday afternoon at 10 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to all.

### INJURY TO WILMINGTON LADY.

Mrs. Donald MacRae Throws from a Buggy at Laville Yesterday Morning—Her Condition Serious.

Numerous friends in Wilmington received yesterday with a shock the news that Mrs. Donald MacRae had been seriously injured in a runaway at Linville, a mountain Summer resort near Asheville, by being thrown to an embankment from a buggy in which she was riding yesterday morning. Particulars of the distressing occurrence are unknown to the family or friends here, other than that the injuries are internal and very severe, but not necessarily fatal.

The news came in a telegram from Mr. Hugh MacRae to Dr. George G. Thomas, inquiring if he could come at once in case his services were needed. The construction placed upon the telegram is that Mrs. MacRae is not so severely injured as is supposed by some, or the message would have summoned Dr. Thomas to come at once and would have been accompanied by telegrams to members of the family here, had there been a probability of Mrs. MacRae having been fatally injured.

Particulars are expected to-day, as Linville is removed some distance from a telegraph station and any news pertaining to the affair would have to be sent by stage to the railroad.

There are with Mrs. MacRae her husband and three sisters, Mrs. M. F. H. Gouverneur, Mrs. Hugh MacRae and Mrs. George Rountree. Also, Mr. Hugh MacRae and possibly other members of the family. Mrs. Hugh MacRae has been quite ill with typhoid fever, but is somewhat improved. A trained nurse from Boston has been with her during her sickness and the nurse's presence in the accident to Mrs. Donald MacRae is very fortunate.

### THURSDAY WAS THE DAY.

Mistake North Carolinians Made by Not Consulting the State Law.

It now appears that after all, Wilmington people and those of the whole State, for that matter, were a little premature in celebrating Labor Day last Monday and that, according to the North Carolina law, Thursday was the day which should have been celebrated.

The STAR several days ago, through the kind thoughtfulness of Dr. W. W. Harris and Col. John L. Cantwell, called attention to the probable mistake but stated that as most other States observe Monday, there might have been a typographical error as to the day.

Dr. Harris has, however, removed all doubts as to a misprint and yesterday received the following reply from an inquiry to the Secretary of State regarding the probability of an error in printing:

"RALEIGH, Sept. 5, 1900.—Replying to your letter of the 5th, I beg to say that Chapter 410, Public Laws of 1899, is a correct copy as printed of the manuscript on file in this office."

Asheville, N. C. was the only city in the State to observe the holiday at the right time—the first Thursday in September and not the first Monday as in other States.

Hanover Seaside Club Dance. Hanover Seaside Club closed its season last night on Carolina Beach with an enjoyable dance. The occasion was most propitious in every respect, and those who were present spent a delightful evening. The club has enjoyed a most successful season and the formal close proved a very appropriate finale. The House Committee, composed of Messrs. Henry Gieschen (chairman), C. F. W. Rehder and E. P. H. Strunk, are to be congratulated upon the admirable manner in which all the social affairs of the club have been conducted this Summer.

Woman Adjudged Insane. Little Morgan, colored, was arrested by a policeman Thursday night for trying to break into one of the show windows at Rohrer's store to get a hat which she fancied. It was seen at once that her mind was unbalanced and she was sent yesterday to the Clerk of the Superior Court for examination. She was adjudged insane, and is now in the asylum at Camden, S. C. Col. Jno. D. Taylor wrote Governor McQueen, of South Carolina, as to what disposition is to be made of her.

### Club's Closing Function.

The Atlantic Yacht Club's closing frolic for the season at Wrightsville beach last night was attended by a full measure of success and a delightful evening was spent by a large number of pleasure seekers. About thirty-five couples participated and there was a large gathering of spectators, in both classes being many members of Carolina Yacht Club, who were invited for the occasion. The music by Prof. Miller's band was fair. There will be no dance at the Seashore Hotel to-night.

### Bound Over to Criminal Court.

In the Municipal Court yesterday morning, S. G. Watson, charged with assault and battery with a deadly weapon upon Justice G. W. Borne man Thursday, was bound over to the November term of Criminal Court under a \$85 bond which was given. According to Justice Borne man's testimony, Watson threw a chair at him and later threw a half brick which struck him in the groin. Watson testified that he thought Judge Borne man had been around his house eyespitting, and confessed to having thrown the chair and the brick.

### Married in Burgaw.

Mr. John Williams and Miss Lizzie Bell, daughter of Mr. McL. Bell, were united in marriage yesterday at Burgaw. Application for a marriage license was made here, but on account of an uncertainty as to whether the young lady was thirteen or fourteen years of age, the license could not be procured at the time. The couple then decided to go to Burgaw and make a trial. The bride was really fourteen years old and their trip to Pender county yesterday proved successful. They returned to Wilmington on the evening train.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT. The store now occupied by the Singer Sewing Machine Company on Market street. Also, 16 rooms over the store, suitable for boarding house. Apply to D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent.

MULLETS! MULLETS! 30 bbls. Mullets, just received—nice stock. 2,000 boxes Smoked Herring Oats, 500 lbs. Red Rust Proof Oats (Texas). Car-load Baskets, 150 bags Grits—fresh, 1,000 bbls. Flour. We ask the grocers of the Carolinas to get our prices.

D. L. GORE CO. WHOLESALE GROCERS, Wilmington, N. C.

FOR RENT. OFFICE OVER ZOELLER'S JEWELRY STORE. SIZE 20 X 60. ALSO, STORE 110 NORTH WATER STREET. Immediate possession given. Apply to SAMUEL BEAR, SR.

Press-Boy Wanted. A boy who has had experience in running JOB PRESSES may secure employment at the STAR office. Apply to Foreman to-day.

NOTICE. I wish to inform my friends and the public that on or about the 1st of October, 1900, I will be located on the wharf at Nos. 220 and 222 North Water street, where I will offer for sale a full line of GROCERIES at wholesale, and invite their inspection.

Very respectfully, JOS. H. WATTERS. sep 6 2 w

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