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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

Hon. Wm. L. Wilson, president of the Washington and Lee University, died suddenly yesterday. — The alleged Chinese edict ordering punishment of high officials is said to have been a forgery. — Renewed activity of the Boxers north of Peking. — The Emperor of China thanks President McKinley for the consideration shown by the United States. — The census enumeration is completed. — France proposes that the peace negotiations with China begin immediately. — Eight people lost their lives in a tenement house fire in New York city. — The coal operators having agreed to the striking miners' demands the strike is considered as practically at an end. — The Second Baptist Church of Atlanta will call Rev. Jno. E. White, of North Carolina, to its pulpit. — Two ballots for United States Senator from Vermont without result. — There are 100 cases of yellow fever in Havana. — N. Y. markets: Money on call firm at 3 1/2 per cent, the last loan at 3 1/2 per cent; cotton quiet, middling uplands 10-16c; flour neglected, but steady and unchanged; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 79c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 47c; oats—spot dull, No. 2 25c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine quiet.

### WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 17.  
Temperatures: 8 A. M., 53 degrees; 3 P. M., 56 degrees; maximum, 64 degrees; minimum, 53 degrees; mean, 55 degrees.  
Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, 2.98 inches.  
Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M., 2.9 feet.  
FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—For North Carolina: Generally fair Thursday and Friday; light to fresh northeasterly winds.

### Port Almanac—October 18.

Sun Rises..... 6.09 A. M.  
Sun Sets..... 5.21 P. M.  
Day's Length..... 11 H. 12 M.  
High Water at Southport..... 4.28 P. M.  
High Water at W. M. on..... 6.58 P. M.

Judging from the unfavorable reports on it, the disappearing gun carriage will disappear for good.  
Hanna is steering clear of the Sultan of Sulu. He is leaving him to the management of Mr. Meiklejohn and Gen. Grosvenor.  
Some men are never satisfied. A New Jersey farmer committed suicide because he couldn't read all the campaign literature sent him.

Since the assassination of King Humbert, of Italy, 2,300 anarchists have been arrested in that country. They must have lots of them over there.

It is somewhat remarkable that all those anti-Roosevelt demonstrations were started by small boys. Perhaps the boys didn't like the way he showed his teeth.

The Pennsylvania railroad company has placed contracts for 150,000 tons of steel rails, worth \$3,900,000. That doesn't look as if that company was afraid of Bryan.

This talk about the horse being knocked out by the bicycles, automobiles, etc., won't do. The quadruped whose ancestry runs back 3,500,000 years, has got a grip and is here to stay.

New Jersey has been attending to something else besides incubating trusts. Within the past eight years she has constructed 1,000 miles of excellent public roads, paid for by State and county appropriations.

It is said that the rats in the Pennsylvania coal mines are getting so fierce from hunger that men are afraid to go down into the mines. Before the strike they got their living from the "dinner pails" of the miners.

When Hanna insists that there are no trusts he displays a bump of incredulity equal to that of Youtsey when he declared that Goebel wasn't dead. But Youtsey was laboring under a mental hallucination, while Hanna is just faking.

A Kansas fellow got the consent of a man to marry his daughter on condition that he would vote for McKinley. That is a somewhat novel kind of bribery. Girls must be cheap out in that State when they can be bought with a vote.

Ex-Attorney General Monnett, of Ohio, who has declared for Bryan, was a Republican. But we do not think he was a thoroughbred Republican. He is said to have refused a bribe of \$400,000 to stop proceedings against the Standard Oil Trust.

### LOCAL DOTS.

— Steamer *Louise*, hence for Bremen, arrived out yesterday.  
— The Y. M. C. A. membership score yesterday was "Reds" 87-1-10, "Yellows" 35-2-5.  
— Election for President and Vice-President and primary for United States Senator, Tuesday, November 6th.  
— The Clyde steamship *Oneida* passed out at Southport for her Georgetown trip at 6.50 A. M. yesterday.  
— A meeting of the "Red" membership team is called for 8 o'clock this evening at the Y. M. C. A. Matters of importance will be considered.  
— The second story of one of the newly constructed wards at the Marine Hospital is being fitted up with apartments for attendants and store rooms.  
— The Second Ward Bryan and Stevenson Democratic Club will not have its regular weekly meeting tonight, but a special meeting will be called later in the week.  
— The preliminary hearing in the case against James Wilson, colored, charged with murder, was continued from 10 o'clock yesterday morning to the same hour this morning.  
— A sociable for the benefit of the Lutheran Church fund will be given on Wednesday, October 24th, from 3 to 10 o'clock P. M. at the home of Mrs. L. Hansen, 114 N. 3rd street.  
— *Lumberton Robesonian*: "Rev. Mr. Hildreth, of Wilmington, has accepted a call to the pastorate of Raft Swamp Church and will preach Saturday and Sunday, November 3rd and 4th."  
— Two small white boys who ran away from their parents Tuesday were captured at Castle Haynes yesterday and returned to their home. One of them was a son of Mr. J. L. Stallings, and the other little adventurer was named Merritt.  
— Governor-elect Aycock has declined the invitation of Virginia Democrats to speak in that State during the campaign, as he had at first expected. His physicians, after his arduous campaign in the Summer, refuse to let him speak any more until he is fully recuperated.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

R. N. Sweet—Salt.  
N. F. Parker—Removed.  
S. W. Sanders—Take notice.  
GAYLORD'S MILLINERY OPENING.  
Many New Fashions for Fall and Winter on Display To-day.  
The ladies of the city will be especially interested in the announcement that the annual Fall and Winter opening of millinery and millinery novelties at the large department store of Mr. George O. Gaylord, on North Front street, will begin to-day and continue through to-morrow. The opening was necessarily delayed this year on account of the removal of the store to its present new and up-to-date apartments, but for multitude and variety of styles shown it is promised that this year's event will eclipse all its distinguished predecessors.  
Miss Alma Brown, the supervising milliner at the store, spent considerable time North this year and especially invites all her customers and friends to call to-day and secure the pick of the many selections.

### Local Shipping News.

The schooner *Harry W. Haynes* arrived yesterday from New York for a cargo of lumber from the Chadbourn Lumber Company.  
The schooner *Massachusetts* cleared yesterday with a cargo of 387 piling from Messrs. W. H. Robbins & Bro., of New York.  
The schooner *Emma Knowlton* cleared yesterday with a cargo of 304, 385 feet of lumber for Mayaguez, Porto Rico.  
The Norwegian barque *Brodrone* was cleared by Messrs. Heide & Co. yesterday for Belfast, with a cargo of 6,276 barrels rosin from the S. P. Shetter Company.  
Whiskey and Bricksbats.  
William Parker, colored, charged with assault and battery with a deadly weapon upon his wife, was given a hearing before Justice Fowler yesterday and bound over to Criminal Court under a \$50 bond, which he failed to give and was committed. The evidence showed that Parker threw a bottle of whiskey at his wife and it struck her in the back. He also used bricksbats to the woman's detriment.  
Steamer Hurt Will Lay Up.  
The steamer *A. P. Hurt*, plying between Wilmington and Fayetteville, will be laid up for a few days until a new boiler installed, the old one having failed to come up to the requirements of the inspectors, who made an examination of the same Tuesday. It is very likely that the *Hurt* will take the *Hurt's* run during the time consumed in repairing.

### Will Address Young People.

Mr. Joe F. Watson, State Secretary of the B. Y. P. U., will address the young people at the First Baptist Church to-night. Mr. Watson is a wide awake young man, who speaks with the eloquence of earnestness. Young people of all denominations will be helped by hearing him.

### CAMPAIGN MEETING.

Brooke G. Empe, Esq., Spoke to Many Democrats Last Night in the Court House.

### ELECTOR DOWD WAS ABSENT

He Telegraphed That Another Engagement Prevented His Coming, But Promised a Date Later—Justice Borsemann Spoke.

The largest campaign meeting of the year was held last night at the Court House, the occasion advertised being the speaking by Hon. W. C. Dowd, of Charlotte, who, however, telegraphed in the afternoon from his home that another engagement made it impossible for him to meet his appointment here. He intimated that he would speak in Wilmington later.  
As much as the absence of Mr. Dowd was regretted, the crowd which had assembled to hear the issues of the campaign discussed in an able and convincing manner were not disappointed. County Chairman E. F. Johnson called the meeting to order and after reading the telegram from Mr. Dowd, presented Brooke G. Empe, Esq., one of the most entertaining speakers of the Wilmington bar, who in an address of more than an hour thoroughly pleased and instructed his hearers with an exposition of the questions at stake in the present campaign. Mr. Empe was accorded warmest applause and his discussion was calm, convincing, dispassionate and witty, especially appealing to the masses of people who are arrayed against the champions of trusts and monopolies in the great fight which is now on.  
His first references were to the evils of imperialism and the tendency toward militarism. He showed himself complete master of the subject in hand and a careful reader apt thorough student of current events. Operations of our armies in Cuba and the Philippines were reviewed and the tendency of the situation shown to be towards an empire and a tottering government.  
The greater portion of his discussion was concerning trusts and monopolies, describing from personal experience, their manner of throttling competition and manipulating affairs to the detriment of the people and to their own despicable ends. This feature of his address was especially instructive and entertaining. He declared the only remedy for the condition was the overthrow of a government which is an avowed friend to the combinations and whose logical president, Mark Hanna, is himself opposed to every interest of the laboring classes.  
He closed his argument with a second reference to imperialism and appealed to the people to thwart the endeavor of Republicans to fasten upon the country a monarchy.  
When Mr. Empe had closed his speech there were calls for Justice G. W. Borsemann, who responded and made a convincing appeal to the people to deliver their country from a party which would have for its emperor William McKinley and for its ruler a Mark Hanna. Justice Borsemann also made remarks from his personal observations in his native country, Germany, and pictured the evils arising from a large standing army and a covetous desire for conquest. He was given closest attention and upon the close of his speech a round of applause and congratulations upon his effort. He promised the audience to speak in several of the wards before the campaign is over.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. G. Barrentine left yesterday for Boston.  
— Mr. Ed. Pescham, Jr., is visiting his parents.  
— Miss S. Kinnie Hawkins is now a member of the Union school faculty.  
— Mr. W. L. Bellamy, of Wampsee, S. C., was a Wilmington visitor yesterday.  
— Mr. R. C. Powell, a leading merchant of Vineland, N. C., was here yesterday.  
— Mrs. E. W. Cooper and daughter, Mrs. W. C. Burkholder, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia.  
— Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McMillan, Jr., and Mrs. Louise E. DeLozier, returned yesterday from Baltimore.  
— Mr. M. H. Kelly was called to Rocky M. yesterday on account of the illness of his little daughter.  
— Mr. A. J. Johnson, of Taylor's Bridge, was down on one of his periodical business visits yesterday.  
— Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gray, of Richmond, arrived yesterday to visit the family of Mr. J. C. Springer.  
— Solicitor Rudolph Duffy was here yesterday, returning to his home at Jacksonville from Sampson Superior Court.  
— Robert Ruark, Esq., returned from Southport yesterday where he has been attending Brunswick Superior Court.  
— Mrs. J. M. Commander and children returned yesterday evening from Portsmouth, Va., where they have been visiting relatives.  
— Mr. R. F. Hamme and children and sister, Mrs. L. F. Hamme, returned yesterday from a very pleasant visit to relatives in Granville county.  
— Mrs. Chas. Humphreys and daughters, Misses Nannie and Page, returned last night from Maryland, where they spent the Summer.  
— Quartermaster Sergeant Fink and wife were in the city yesterday. Mrs. Fink left in the afternoon for San Antonio, Texas, to visit relatives.  
— The Star regrets to learn that Mr. Alfred Alderman is suffering the consequences of a second fall which he sustained some days since. He is now confined to his home and is unable to help himself in the least degree.  
— Among the out-of-town people in the city yesterday on business were Messrs. B. L. Kellum, Jacksonville; W. N. Marine, Jr., Marines; Oswald Meares, Calabash; E. H. Hordeneck, Wampsee; James McDuffie, Point Caswell.

### TO NORTH CAROLINIANS.

J. W. Langley and J. W. Crooks Speak to a Gathering of Republicans.  
[Washington Post, 17th.]  
The North Carolina Republican Association met last night at Smidt's Hall, on Ninth street. President Samuel J. Turner called the meeting to order.  
John W. Langley spoke of the great fight which was being waged in Kentucky for civil liberty. He predicted that McKinley would receive the electoral vote and that Mr. Yerkes would be elected Governor. The next speaker of the evening was Hon. James W. Crooks, of Illinois. Mr. Crooks spoke at some length, reviewing the present administration and its benefits to the laboring people of the country. He took up the foreign policy, financial question, the labor question, and also spoke of the disfranchising methods adopted by the Democrats of the South. The association appointed committees to look after sending the voters home to vote. The next meeting will be held next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

### LOVELY EVENING WEDDING.

Miss Annie Stemmerman and Mr. Ernst Struock United in Marriage at the Lutheran Church.

The marriage of Miss Annie G. Stemmerman to Mr. Ernst P. H. Struock, was celebrated yesterday evening at 6 o'clock in St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, and the impressive ceremony was witnessed by a wide circle of relatives and friends of the popular bridal couple.  
The church, which was decorated with palms, bamboo, ferns and other potted plants, presented a beautiful scene. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Kate Stalter, the bridal party entered the center aisle. Mr. Will Rehder and Mr. Geo. Tiencken, ushers, were the first to pass in. They were followed by four flower girls, Gossina Haas, with Florence Wessell, and Lina Howell with Annelie Tiencken, who were beautifully dressed in white China silk and carried baskets of flowers. Next came the other ushers, Mr. Willie Mahler with Mr. Geo. Schuiben. The groom, with his best man, Mr. Fred Fuchs, then passed down the aisle, and were followed by the bride, who wore a hand-some gray silk gown with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of roses, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Carl Stemmerman, who gave her away.

The ceremony was impressively conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D. The party passed out of the church to the familiar notes of Mendelssohn's wedding march.  
The bride and groom are very popular and have a wide circle of friends who wish them long life and happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Struock, accompanied to the front street station by a number of their friends, left last night over the Atlantic Coast Line for Washington, and from thence on a northern tour.  
On their return to Wilmington, they will be at home to their friends at No. 315 Church street.

### Memorial Services.

The joint committee for the four lodges of Odd Fellows appointed to arrange for the memorial services in honor of the departed dead met Tuesday night and decided to have the exercises Sunday night, October 28th, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Rev. A. D. McClure will preach the annual sermon.

### Caught a Fox.

The Wilmington Fox Club inaugurated the season by a splendid chase early yesterday morning in East Wilmington. The party left the city about 4 o'clock A. M. with a large pack of hounds and it wasn't long before they got on a trail and captured a large fox.

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Shipments of Fruit daily.  
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### A TWO-STATE LEAGUE.

Base Ball Magnates Already Talking of Next Season's Prospects—Virginia-North Carolina Combination.

Thursday's Daily Press, of Newport News, Va., says:  
Instead of a purely Virginia League, it is said that steps are being taken now to organize for the season of 1901 a base ball league of eight or ten cities in Virginia and North Carolina. Notwithstanding the reports circulating already about the bright outlook for the Virginia League next year, the prospects for a purely Virginia League are not so encouraging, and it is said that the managers of the more successful teams of last season would prefer to see a Virginia-North Carolina organization, including five Virginia cities and five cities in the Old North State.  
It can be stated almost positively that next season the league magnates will not aim to pick off of the cities in one section with a view of keeping down travelling expenses. There is not enough rivalry in the game when this plan is adopted.  
It is reported that in the event a two-State league is organized that the five Virginia clubs will be as follows: Richmond, Newport News, Hampton, Norfolk, Lynchburg and Roanoke. The cities of Raleigh, Wilmington, Tarboro, Durham and several others are said to be anxious to have clubs in a league of this kind.  
It is probable that the league magnates will get together in a few weeks to discuss plans for the season of 1901 and then it will be known just how base ball will fare in Virginia.

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OYSTERS  
at  
WARREN'S CAFE.  
oct 18 1/2

#### CANNED GOODS.

100 Cases Fine Tomatoes.  
50 " " Yellow Peaches.  
100 " " Pineapples.  
10 " " Blackberries.  
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25 " Apples.  
150 " Oysters.  
75 " Sardines.  
ALSO  
50,000 Old Glory and War Eagle Cereals. None better.  
GET OUR PRICES.  
D. L. GORE CO.  
WHOLESALE GROCERS,  
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### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALT! SALT! SALT!  
In store and now discharging  
62 TONS.  
6,600 Sacks  
100 Pounds Coarse and Fine.  
100 Pounds Barrels and White Cotton.  
100 Pounds Fertilizing Salt.  
100 Pounds and 5 Pounds P. F. Fockets.  
100 Pounds Dairy Salt.  
100 Pounds Ice Cream Salt.  
100 Pounds Rock Salt for cattle.  
Pure German Kainit.  
Muriate of Potash.  
R. N. SWEET.  
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#### TORNADO INSURANCE.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET  
TORNADO INSURANCE,  
BY APPLYING TO  
FRANK H. STEDMAN,  
INSURANCE AGENT.  
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#### TAKE NOTICE.

Your attention is directed to the contents of this  
Basket.  
One can Peas.....20  
One can H. C. Soda.....15  
1/4 lb. Mixed Tea.....10