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THE MORNING STAR.

OUTLINES.

Admiral Ramsay has been chosen
successor of the Schley
of inquiry. — Judge Tor-
of Minneapolis, has been elec-
commander in chief of the G. A. R.
John Most, charged with circulat-
incendiary literature and
in New York, was held in \$1,000
Proposals for the settle-
of the strike are again under
— A man who left
yesterday for New York is said
to have declared he was going to
kill
President Roosevelt.
The President was on a gaming ex-
cursion in Northern New York when
of the President's condition
him last evening.
New York markets: Money on
firm at 4 1/2 per cent, the last
being at 5 per cent; cotton
middling upland 8 1/2; four
inactive; wheat — spot easy,
red 75 1/2; corn — spot easy, No.
3, oats — spot steady, No. 3 38 1/2;
steady; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 13
temperatures: 8 A. M., 78 degrees;
M., 79 degrees; maximum, 92 de-
grees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 84
degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .0; rainfall
for the month to date, .75
inches.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

temperatures were generally
slight lower in the central sec-
tion. Local rains are reported from
several districts.

STORM WARNING.

storm was reported at 11 A. M.
Friday, central near the eastern
coast of Cuba, moving west-
ward. It was considered danger-
ous for vessels of all classes off
Florida and North Carolina
night and Saturday.

FORECAST FOR TODAY.

Thursday, Sept. 13—For North
Carolina: Partly cloudy Saturday and
Sunday, probably showers; clear Sat-
urday evening and central portions;
fresh northerly winds.

ALMANAC—September 14.

Rises 5.41 A. M.
Sets 6.10 P. M.
Length 12 H. 39 M.
Water at Southport 7 P. M.
Water at Wilmington 7 P. M.

According to the last census there

156,000 negroes in Pennsylvania,
which means about 30,000
negroes worth playing for.

In Glasgow they are discussing

scheme of a railway tunnel un-
der the channel from Ireland to
England. The estimated cost is
\$10,000,000.

The New York Journal suggests

the trial of Czolgosz be short,
simple and non-sensational. He
should not be given much opportu-
nity to pose as a hero.

England is catching on to Ameri-

can ideas. Even big London has
allowed the example of American
law, and passed an ordinance pro-
hibiting expectorating on the side-
walks.

So far we are told by the experts

Russian talk that Czolgosz is pro-
nounced Cholgozh, Cholgozh,
Zolgozh, Zolgozh and Zolgozoo.
This isn't a complete list, but you
can take your choice after wrestling
with the lot.

Senator Wellington hasn't denied

alleged interview yet, but he
will probably do like all the inter-
viewed do when they say brutal or
filthy things—say the reporter mis-
represented them, and that they
never said it.

Manhattan island was originally

bought from its Indian proprietors
for about \$25 worth of assorted stu-
ff. But the fellows who sold it had no
idea that there ever would be steam-
boats, railroad trains, and all that
kind of thing running into it.

Japan has imported her tobacco

from this country, the Philippines
and Egypt. Recently experiments
in its cultivation in Japan have suc-
ceeded so well that the Japs hope to
soon be able to raise all they need
without depending on any other
country.

A medium who manipulates spirits

in Eau Claire, Wis., has gotten into
trouble with a young lady because
at a seance he permitted an incor-
poreated spirit to kiss her, and she
afterwards learned that he was an
ugly case. She therefore instituted
suit for \$5,000 against the medium.

It is said that Prince Chun, who

escaped kowtowing to Wil-
liam, will visit this country on his
return to China. Mr. Chun will
not have any kowtowing to do here,
but may have a jolly time and get
some valuable pointers from Mr.
Wang-fang, who doesn't sleep
much when he is awake.

HE IS DEAD.

The dreaded has happened and
the life which for eight days has
hung in the balance has gone out
and cast a shadow of gloom over
this whole land. The wire which
clicked the sad announcement of
his death brought sorrow to every
household, to the millions who
since the assassin shot was fired
prayed that the life of the stricken
President might be spared.

The fear and solicitude that fol-
lowed the shock at the horrid deed
gave way to a feeling of hopefulness
with the encouraging bulletins sent
out from day to day by the attend-
ant physicians until the belief be-
came general that he would survive
and get well. The gloomy bulletin
of yesterday therefore came as a
terrible shock that brought with it
grief and despair.

Throughout all this ordeal he
bore himself so bravely, so calmly,
submitted to the inevitable with
such mastery self control that no
word of impatience, of complaining,
or of resentfulness at the perpetra-
tor or the abettors of the deed that
cost his life escaped his lips. He
bore it all with the submission of a
martyr and was the most resigned
to his possible fate of all those who
were associated with him officially
or otherwise. He was calm and
hopeful when they were gloomy, de-
pressed and dejected.

The country had hoped and prayed
that he would recover for its sake
and for his, and for the wife of his
bosom, to whom through their whole
wedded life he has been so beauti-
fully devoted, and when his hopes
were blighted and the tragic end
came, the great heart of the people
was stricken with grief, and the
tears of millions fell with the tears
of that loving wife who saw the life
go out of the man she loved and
whom the American people loved
and honored as they have loved and
honored few men.

They mourn the man whose pri-
vate life, domestic virtues and
amiable qualities endeared him to
all who knew him or knew of them;
they lament the passing away, even
if it were in the natural course of
events and not by the hand of vio-
lence, of a man who in his exalted
position had grown upon them from
year to year until all honored him
as a well meaning, broad-minded,
liberal-viewed, patriotic President,
who lived and labored for his coun-
try's welfare and for every section
of it.

Services at Temple of Israel.

Jewish New Year Ushered In With Ap-
propriate Religious Exercises.

Very solemn and impressive services
were held by the Rev. Dr. Mendel-
sohn last evening at the Temple of
Israel in honor of the Jewish New
Year, "Rosh Hashanah," which began
at sunset last evening.

Death of a Child at Delgado.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. S.
Strother, of Delgado, will sympathize
with them sincerely in the loss of
their little four-year-old daughter,
Alma Esther, which occurred Thurs-
day at the family home. Congestion
of the brain was the cause of the
little girl's death. The funeral was held
yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock and
the remains were interred in Bellevue
cemetery.

The Racket Store Sale.

There was a great rush yesterday
at Gaylord's Big Racket Store on account
of the sweeping sale advertised to take
place beginning at 8 o'clock the same
forenoon. Extra clerical assistance was
at times exhausted and the big build-
ing was thronged with bargain seek-
ers. The sale will continue to-day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Andrew Smith—For rent.
S. & B. Solomon—Stores closed.
Opera House—"Clivette," magician.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Crowds turned away.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Meeting—Onslow Land and Invest-
ment Co.

A BIG DAMAGE SUIT.

Conductor Asks for \$50,000 From
Carolina Central Railroad
for Injuries.

NOTICE FILED YESTERDAY.

Plaintiff is J. L. Love and Base of Action
is Accident at Croly Last Decem-
ber—Case in New Hanover
Superior Court.

Notice of a big damage suit against
the Carolina Central Railroad Com-
pany was filed yesterday with the
Clerk of the Superior Court.

The suit is brought by Mr. J. L.
Love, formerly a freight conductor in
the employ of the company, and his
attorneys are Herbert McClammy and
Wm. J. Bellamy, Esqs. While no
complaint is filed as yet, it is learned
that the amount of damages asked
will be \$50,000, and that the grounds
of complaint are that the plaintiff re-
ceived permanent injuries in an ac-
cident to his train at Croly, N. C., on
December 27th last. He claims that
he was riding in the caboose of his
train, and by the breaking of an al-
leged defective coupling the car was
telescoped and he was thrown vio-
lently against a hot stove, his face and
one hand badly burned and an arm
broken. He was brought to the City
Hospital in Wilmington subsequently
received treatment here. Mr.
Love is a young man, and his alleged
disability at comparatively an early
age is assigned by the attorneys as the
reason for the large amount asked.

The case will be returnable at the
next term of the Superior Court, but
will likely not be tried until the fol-
lowing term.

CITY HALL IMPROVEMENTS.

Rapid Progress Being Made On the New
Office Apartments, Etc.

Contractor D. Hanna and Supervising
Architect H. E. Bonitz are mak-
ing rapid progress on the extensive
repairs and improvement at the City
Hall.

The fixtures for the City Clerk and
Treasurer's office will be here shortly
from the Bentele Manufacturing
Company, Atlanta, Ga., and every-
thing will be in readiness for their in-
stallation upon arrival.

The necessary alteration in the city
court room for the partitioning of
offices for the Chief of Police and
City Superintendent of Health are
being made, and the old band room
in the basement is being rapidly
transformed into police headquarters.
Electric lights, telephone and water
fixtures are being installed and the
room will be admirably adapted as a
"home" for the men when not pro-
tecting their beasts. The two offices in
the court room will be to the right as
one enters the door, that of the Chief
of Police coming first and that of the
Superintendent of Health being in the
southwestern corner of the building.
These offices will be enclosed in glass,
airy and convenient.

ELKS' FAIR AND CARNIVAL.

Promoter and Instructor Will Arrive Mon-
day—Prospects Are Encouraging.

Hardly a day passes that does not
bring fresh encouragement for the
Elks who are striving to make a great
success of their fair and carnival in
Wilmington, October 14th-19th.

Handsome lithograph posters are
daily expected and then Dr. Tom Car-
roll and his advertising committee
will go to "spreading paste," to use a
figurative term.

Mr. G. O. Litt, a professional fair
promoter and instructor, will reach
here Monday and proceed to "set the
woods on fire" with enthusiasm. He
knows every detail of fair work and
will be a valuable acquisition to the
corps of local assistants in the work.
To the merchants the soliciting com-
mittee wishes to say: "Now is the
time to subscribe," or words to that
effect.

BASEBALL GAME TO-DAY.

High School Champions Will Contest
Against Wilmington Iron Works.

Hilton Park will be the Mecca to
which all the more enthusiastic base-
ball sports will flock this afternoon at
4:15 o'clock to witness the game be-
tween the High School Champions
and the Wilmington Iron Works
team. The game is to decide a tie of
one to one in eight innings played
last Saturday afternoon and the con-
test will be spirited if anything at all.
Zellers and Zellers will do the hon-
ors for the Iron Works and the in-
vincible twirler Sellers with Moore be-
hind the bat will constitute the bat-
tery for the High School Champions.
An admission fee of fifteen cents
will be charged for gentlemen and ten
cents for ladies.

LOCAL DOTS.

John Meyers, colored, was
committed to jail by Justice Fowler
yesterday for the Superior Court on a
charge of abandonment.

Mr. Andrew Smith, the real
estate agent, offers for rent the eligi-
bly located store on Market street
now occupied by Ludden & Bates.
Possession will be given October 1st.

Capt. A. L. DeRoset expects
to complete the computation of the
city tax books to-day. The work has
been delayed on account of the recent
reduction of the rate by the Aldermen
and the Board of Audit and Finance.

AN INCREASE OF SALARY.

That of Chairman of Board of County
Commissioners Made \$1,200
Instead of \$600.

It has just become known that at a
meeting of the Board of County Com-
missioners on last Monday, the salary
of its enterprising chairman, Mr. D.
McEachern, was increased from \$600
per year to \$1,200.

This action was taken in the follow-
ing resolution which was adopted,
Messrs. Holmes, Vollers and Mont-
gomery voting aye, and Mr. Alexan-
der voting nay:

"WHEREAS, Under Chapter 49, of
the Acts of the General Assembly of
1901, it is the duty of this Board to fix
the pay of its chairman from Decem-
ber 1st, and realizing that by reason of
balancing the books, the duties of the
chairman have been very much in-
creased, and requires so much more
time than ever before, and believing
it to be the best interests of the county
that such time should be given.

Resolved, That the pay of the chair-
man of this Board be fixed at \$100 per
month, and that he shall be required
to act as chairman of the Permanent
Roads Committee."

The act under which the increase
was made is as follows:
The General Assembly of North Caro-
lina do Enact:

SEC. 1.—That the Board of Commis-
sioners of New Hanover county shall
have the power to fix a stated salary
for the chairman of their Board, be-
ginning the first Monday in Decem-
ber in each year.

SEC. 2.—That the acts of the Com-
missioners aforesaid in fixing a salary
herebefore under a misapprehension
is hereby legalized, the duties of the
SEC. 3.—That this act shall be in
force from and after its ratification.
Ratified this 29th day of January A.
D., 1901.

CLIVETTE, "THE GREAT MAGICIAN."

Opening Performance at the Opera House
Next Tuesday Night.

The Great Clivette Company, head-
ed by Clivette, the "King of Magi-
cians," will be seen at the Opera
House on Tuesday, September 17th.
Clivette is said to be one of the most
accomplished performers that has
ever appeared here. This versatile
man gives a most interesting show,
so the managers claim, the perfor-
mance consisting of marvellous sleigh-
of-hand, Oriental magic, mental tele-
pathy, startling illusions, artistic
comedy manipulations, laughable fin-
ger equilibriums, imitations, music and
songs. Clivette and his company of
European entertainers are admitted
by the press, pulpit and public to give
the most gorgeous, unique and strik-
ingly amusing performance on earth.
The engagement in this city is for one
night only. Seats on sale at Gerken's
Monday morning.

THE PRESENT COTTON SEASON.

Receipts Are Very Short On Account of
Lateness of the Fall.

Cotton receipts continue very short
and to such a degree as to excite gen-
eral comment. It is estimated that
the season is at least three weeks late
than last year. The receipts yester-
day were only 309 bales against 2,488
bales on the same day in 1900. The
receipts for the week ended yesterday
were only 1,180 bales, whereas for the
corresponding week last year 14,891
bales were received. The receipts
against September 1st have been 1,955
against 22,474 bales during the same
period last year.

The quotations now are only 8 1/2
cents against 10 1/2 cents on the same
day last year.

Remodelling Drug Store.

The store formerly occupied by
Dingelhoff Bros., No. 128 Market
street, is being handsomely remodel-
led for occupancy on October 1st
by Mr. Jos. C. Shepard, Jr., the drug-
gist. A solid glass front will be put
in and up-to-date fixtures installed.
The plans were drawn and the work
is being supervised by Mr. H. E.
Bonitz, the architect.

No Services at Grace.

Owing to the absence of the pastor,
Rev. J. N. Cole, who is taking his vaca-
tion, and illness of the presiding
elder, Rev. B. E. John, there will be
no services at Grace M. E. Church
Sunday morning or evening. Sunday
school will, however, be held at 4:30
o'clock P. M.

First Presbyterian Church.

On account of the absence of the
pastor, the Rev. J. M. Wells, there
will be no service in the First Pres-
byterian Church Sunday. Rev. Mr.
Wells is still in Virginia on his vaca-
tion but will likely be home in time
to conduct services Sunday week.

In Charge of Art Department.

Miss Bessie Fillyaw, the accom-
plished daughter of Mr. Oscar M.
Fillyaw, of this city, has been elected
to take charge of the art department
of the Mary Hood Institute, Lincoln-
ton, N. C. Miss Fillyaw has already
entered upon her duties, and is giving
eminent satisfaction.

Talk of Another Yacht Race.

Parties interested in yacht racing
are talking of another regatta under
the auspices of the Carolina Yacht
Club in the near future. There is
perhaps now more interest in yacht
racing than before this season.

A Little Further.

The Carolina & Northern Railroad
has been extended further South,
reaching the following stations: Nar-
ratts, Elmoreville and Paga. The
weight will be received by the Sea-
board Air Line for those points. Ship-
ments must be prepaid.

PRESIDENT'S DEATH.

News Received Locally With Deep
Sorrow by Those Who
Awaited Tidings.

MEETING IN COURT HOUSE.

Citizens Called to Assemble En Masse to
Pass Suitable Resolutions Upon the
Sad Demise—All Invited to be
Present and Participate.

Several prominent citizens have re-
quested the STAR to give notice that
there will be a meeting at the Court
House this morning at 10 o'clock to
take action in reference to the death
of President William McKinley.

The news of the death of President
McKinley was received locally last
night only with feelings of the pro-
foundest sorrow. Men irrespective of
party and political faith were alike
saddened by the news that cast a
gloom over the Nation this morning
and intensely indignant that so useful
a career should have been shortened
by the red-handed and self-confessed
assassin.

Bulletins from the sick room were
eagerly sought at the newspaper offices
during the day and at night the offices
were besieged by hundreds of inquir-
ers for the latest advice. People at
their homes and at a distance made
liberal use of the telephone and the
bell in this office was kept constantly
ringing.

The grief of the community at the
President's untimely demise is out-
spoken and very general. The meeting
at the Court House to-day will
likely be largely attended and the
resolutions adopted will speak in no
uncertain way the sentiment of the
community. Everybody is cordially
invited to be present. The call is by
business men of the city, who are an-
xious that any action may be by as
large an assemblage of representative
citizens as possible.

Y. M. C. A. JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

Canvass for Members Decided Upon at
Meeting Last Night.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A.
Juniors last night was brim full of
enthusiasm and a plan of campaign
was agreed upon for new members.

The canvass will last for thirty days
and will end with a banquet given to
the successful membership team by
the vanquished. The canvass is upon
the same plan as inaugurated by the
"yellows" and "reds" in the senior
department last year and the results
will no doubt be equally as encourag-
ing.

At the meeting last night ringing
speeches were made by Mr. J. P. Rus-
sell, chairman of the Junior Depart-
ment, Secretary Turner and Physical
Director Weisal, all of whom are
fully alive to the necessities of the
work.

AN EX-CONVICT CAPTURED.

He is Wanted at Marion, S. C., and Was
Pointed Out by an Excursionist.

Last night about 7 o'clock as the ex-
cursion train from Marion, S. C.,
was leaving the Front street sta-
tion of the Atlantic Coast Line, two or
three of the party pointed out a negro
named Major Henderson who they
said is wanted at Marion for escaping
the county chain gang.

Policemen S. J. Bryan and I. F.
Huggins immediately took the "Ma-
jor" in custody and locked him up at
the station house. The sheriff of Mar-
ion county is expected to arrive or-
son for the prisoner to-day.

NEW INSTRUMENTS RECEIVED.

The Second Regiment Band is Now Fully
Equipped in Great Shape.

The remainder of the new instru-
ments for the Second Regiment Band
reached the yesterday and were un-
packed and found to be in first class
condition.

The Band is now fully equipped
with the newest and latest improved
instruments, and will be second to
none in the State Guard. The instru-
ments received yesterday consist of an
alto saxophone, a piccolo, four B flat
cornets and a double B flat bass in-
strument.

Onslow Land and Investment Co.

The annual meeting of the Onslow
Land and Investment Company will
be held at the office of the secretary,
George H. Howell, Esq., Room No. 7,
Masonic Temple, on Thursday at
7 o'clock, September 24th. A full atten-
dance is urged.

An Excursion To-day.

An excursion from Conway, S. C.,
under the care of Mr. J. W. Harri-
son, will reach this city at 10 o'clock
this morning. Another from Mullis,
S. C., is expected on Tuesday,
Sept. 17th.

Excursion Yesterday.

An excursion of about 300 negroes
reached the city yesterday from
Marion, S. C. They spent the day in
the city sight-seeing and returned last
night about 8 o'clock.

Mr. Julian Southerland is in

Washington to attend the wedding to-
day of his brother, Mr. Lonnie South-
erland. Another brother, Mr. H. De-
Leon Southerland, is also in Wash-
ington to attend the marriage.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. James Owen Rielly is quite
sick at his home.
—Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cox re-
turned from Jacksonville, N. C.

—Mrs. Jno. Shaw is visiting Mr.
Robert Lewis, No. 113 Ann street.
—Col. D. C. McCall, of Ben-
nettville, S. C., was in the city yester-
day.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Canaday
and children left yesterday for a visit
to friends in Onslow county.
—Mr. E. V. Smith, formerly of
Wilmington but now of Macon, Ga.,
is in the city greeting his friends.

—Capt. H. C. Twining, the
clever A. C. L. conductor, will leave
to-day for Seven Springs to spend
his vacation.

—Miss Lillian Stoombs, of Fayette-
ville, is in the city on a visit to
Misses Catherine and Carrie Harris,
on Fifth street.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McClammy,
Mrs. A. P. McClammy and Mrs.
J. R. Kennedy got home yesterday
from a delightful trip to the Pan-
American Exposition.

HAS 65,000 NEW MEMBERS.

That Number Was Added to Order of Odd
Fellows During the Past Year.
Sovereign Lodge.

[Raleigh News and Observer, 13.]
Hon. Chas. M. Busbee left last night
for Indianapolis to attend the 77th
session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge,
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

The condition of the Order through-
out the world is more prosperous than
ever before in its history. Mr. Busbee
showed us the advance sheets of the
reports of the Grand State and Grand
Secretary. The reports show the
great strength of the Order. The mem-
bership on December 31st, 1900, was
1,129,094, being an increase during
1900 of 65,392. The income of the Or-
der for 1900 was \$10,891,026 and the
amount disbursed for relief during
that year was \$3,726,692.60. The ses-
sion at Indianapolis promises to be a
memorable one. There will be a full
attendance of representatives and an
immense throng of members of the or-
der. In the public parade on Tuesday
there are expected to be 40,000 in line
of march. Mr. Busbee expects to re-
turn on the 22nd inst. He was the
head of the order in 1891-'92 and has
never lost his interest in Odd Fellow-
ship. He is one of the most eloquent
speakers of the order, and is its most
illustrious leader.

The delegates from North Carolina
are: Mr. M. W. Jacob, of Wilmington;
Mr. E. C. Gorham, of Fayetteville;
Mr. W. H. Taylor, of Raleigh; and
Mr. Woodell goes in place of Dr. J.
A. Stevens, of Clinton, who, on ac-
count of serious illness, has been
forced to resign as a delegate. His
place is greatly regretted by his colleagues,
for Dr. Stevens is one of the most
popular as well as one of the best
speakers of the order in the State.
Messrs. Chas. P. Landrum and Joseph
J. Bernard, leading Odd Fellows of
Raleigh, also expect to go.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE OPENING