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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

Spanish Commissioners agree absolutely to relinquish all claim to sovereignty over Cuba, without term or conditions. — The British cabinet has decided to proclaim a British protectorate over Egypt. — President McKinley reviewed the military parade at the Philadelphia peace jubilee; 25,000 men marched in the procession.

Gov. Russell's letter in reply to a communication from citizens of Wil-

mington in regard to the political sit-

uation in New Hanover county, is published under a Washington date.

Traffic managers of the associated railroads of Virginia and the Carolinas are in session at Baltimore.

Gen. Kitchener, on his arrival in London was greeted with an ovation from the populace. — A desperate fight occurred between whites and five Indians in Oregon; the latter were killed and one white man was fatally wounded.

Upwards of 6,000 government officers will shortly be removed, including deputy collectors of internal revenue and over 4,000 ex-

aminers of the pension bureau. — N. Y. markets. Money on

call steady at 11½ per cent.; the last loan being at 11 per cent.; cotton

easy—milling uplands 5½¢; flour

was barely steady and quiet; wheat-

spot easy; No. 2 red wheats, corn-

spot steady; No. 2 shorts, rose firm;

sugar surprise unsettled at 44½¢.

### WEATHER REPORT.

G. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE  
WEATHER BUREAU.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 27.

Temperature, S.A.M., 44 deg.; S.P.M.,

48 deg.; maximum, 58 deg.; minimum,

40 deg.; mean, 45 deg.

Rainfall since the day, 0; rainfall

since 1st of the month up to date, 6.88

inches.

COTTON BUREAU BULLETIN.

For the twenty-four hours ended at

S.A. M. yesterday:

Light showers occurred yesterday

in the Atlantic coast districts. Clear

weather prevails this morning in all

sections, excepting over northern

Texas, where it is partly cloudy.

The temperature has fallen, decidedly

from the Mississippi Valley to the

Atlantic coast, with heavy rain falling

generally reported. The tem-

perature is rising west of the Mis-

sissippi valley.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The weather is generally clear to-

night in all reporting districts, except

over southern Florida, where light

showers have occurred during the day

and the weather continues cloudy.

The sun area which has covered

the Middle and North Atlantic coast

States less, extends westward

rapidly northward and is now far

off the North Atlantic coast. It has

been followed by a high-pressure area

central in West Virginia, accompanied

by much lower temperature in the

Middle and North Atlantic States.

The barometer has fallen sharply

throughout the Gulf Coast, Mississip-

pia and the extreme Northwest, with

higher temperatures. A storm

area is center, 10-night in Northern

Minnesota. Generally fair weather

will prevail Friday in this vicinity,

with high temperature and winds

becoming easterly.

Stage of water in the river at Fay-

etteville as S.A. M. 4.7 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina—Fair; rising

temperature; light variable winds.

Port Almarac—Oct. 28.

Sun Rises ..... 5:15 A. M.

Sun Sets ..... 5:09 P. M.

Day's Length ..... 10 H. 41 M.

High Water at Southport 6:40 A. M.

High Water, Wilmington 9:10 A. M.

A French missionary has been re-

cently killed in China. Now China

may get ready to surrender some

more real estate.

Australia is now shipping oranges

to Europe and competing with ship-

pers from Florida and Southern

Europe. The Australian orange is

said to be very fine.

The Yellow River in China has

again been on the rampage, destroy-

ing hundreds of villages, making

over a hundred thousand people

homeless, and drowning, over two

thousand. That river has a habit

of getting back up and doing

that kind of a thing.

We are having a pretty warm po-

litical campaign down this way, but

we are not kept awake nights by elec-

tion wagons equipped with head-

splitting gongs, explosive bombs and

crackers with fog-horn voices, like

they are now having highly in the

Greater New York.

England is very much in need of

writing masters. Last year the po-

tal fellows handled 750,000 letters

which were so illegibly dated and

addressed that they could neither be

delivered nor returned to the writers.

They ought to have that young lady

in the postoffice at Washington who

never fails to decipher her address.

Capt. Andrews who left Atlantic

City, August 24, to cross the At-

lantic alone in a 13-foot boat was

met 1,600 miles east of a German

ship. He was running short of pro-

visions and got his larder stocked.

He reported that he was having a

nice quiet time the only unpleasant-

ness that he had to consider being

the too sociable disposition shown

by sharks and other large fish which

sometimes crowded uncomfortably

close around his boat.

Onions proved stronger than the

bond of union between Mr. and Mrs.

Friedenberg of New York. She was

infatuated with onions, he couldn't

stand the odor, and rather than

stand it fled. He applied for a di-

vorce, and the court probably held

that the woman had no right to

inflict cruel or unusual punishment

on her suffering husband granted it,

and as she stubbornly persisted

in sticking to her onions, the court

refused to allow her alimony. Mr.

Friedenberg doesn't care how many

onions she eats now.

Only 87,000 of the 250,000 troops

mustered in for the war with Spain

were called into active service. But

it is estimated that 90,000 will be

needed to hold and garrison the

islands wracked from Spain. Ex-

pansion means expansion of army

and navy, too.

It is said that Admiral Dewey is a

Republican. But there are very few

men who have not some flaws in

them. In all other respects Dewey

is above reproach. But his Repub-

licanism is of a very mild type.

The negroes in North Carolina

belong to the Republican party be-

cause the Republican party in North

Carolina belongs to the negroes.

Dr. W. M. Burwell, of Bonsack,

Va., has been appointed Assistant

Medical Superintendent of the City

Hospital.

Dr. Wertebaker Has Appointed Dr. Bur-

well Assistant Medical Superinten-

dent at the City Hospital.

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The Ever Popular Wilbur-Kirwin Opera

Company to Open Their Engage-

ment Monday Night.

Theatre-goers of this city are anticipat-

ing a week of unusual pleasure,

commencing next Monday night,

when the Wilbur-Kirwin Opera Com-

pany, headed by Dr. George Russell,

will open their engagement at the

Wilbur-Kirwin Opera House.

Committee of Citizens Sent from Wil-

mington to Confer with Gov. Rus-

sell—Nothing Divulged.

Mr. James Sprunt, Mr. J. H. Chad-

burn, Sr., E. K. Bryan, Esq., and Rev.

Rev. Peyton H. Hoge returned yester-

day from Raleigh, where they went to

confer with Governor Russell in re-

gard to the political situation here, and

urge that the Republicans put out no

ticket, either county or Legislative,

and that in view of the present bitter

feeling between the races the ap-

pointment of Senator Pritchett and O.

O. H. Dockery to speak here is cal-

led in.

While all four gentlemen declined to

make any statement in regard to the

result of their conference with the

Governor, the STAR reporter was given

to understand that they were very

well pleased.

The fact of their conference with the

Governor Wednesday afternoon and

until late Wednesday night were pub-

lished in the STAR's Raleigh

correspondence yesterday.

Mr. T. H. Tate, of Rocky Point,

Pender county, has a position as adver-

tiser with Messrs. J. A. Wechsler & Co.

Mr. P. A. Crutch, of Benson,

N.C., and Mr. A. C. Briggs of Phila-

delphia, were registered at the Bonitz

yesterday.

— Mrs. John A. Marshall is vis-

iting friends and relatives in Raleigh