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LOCAL RIPPLES.

—Miss Claude Holt left this evening for Raleigh.

—Mr. S. Price Elias returned today from a 3 months visit to friends in the North.

—Mr. Sam Stokes, of Union, S. C., is visiting his brother, Mr. Robert M. Stokes.

—Twenty-six bales of cotton were received in the city by wagon today. The ruling price was 11 cents.

—Mr. F. M. Caldwell, a former business man of Charlotte, but who has been located at Lynchburg, lately, is in the city today.

—Rev. F. W. E. Peschan last night lectured by request to the students of the North Carolina College, at Mt. Pleasant.

—The McCollin opera company will play in Charlotte three nights during the 20th May celebration. This insures a fine operatic attraction.

—St. John's Lutheran church, in Cabarrus county, one of the largest churches of that denomination in the State, has called to its pastorate Rev. P. Miller, of Virginia.

—Rev. E. A. Osborne, of Charlotte, has been appointed by Governor Fowle, a delegate to the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, which is to meet in Baltimore on May 14—21.

—Mr. P. M. Harmon and Miss Mollie Pender were married yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, in Mallard Creek township, by Esquire John P. Hunter.

—The second of the Richmond & Danville fast vegetable trains passed through Charlotte last night for the North. The train was pulled out of Charlotte by engine 808, the fine new locomotive recently described in THE NEWS.

—The News and Observer today says: The case of Osborne vs. Wilkes from Mecklenburg, was argued in the Supreme court yesterday, by G. F. Bason, B. C. Potts and W. P. Bynum for the plaintiff, and Burwell & Walker, and Jones and Tillett for the defendant.

—There has been a remarkable change in the temperature within the past 24 hours. Yesterday and the day before, it was summer heat. Last night it clouded up with a northeast wind, and today it looks like the clouds are a mile thick, while the air is so raw as to make fires and overcoats comfortable. We will have warmer weather when Sam Jones gets here.

Supreme Court.

Opinions were filed in the Supreme Court yesterday as follows: State vs. Sigman and Campbell, from Caldwell; affirmed as to Campbell; error; new trial as to Sigman. McMillan vs. Gambell; no error. Thurber vs. LaRocque; judgment modified. Horne vs. Smith; no error.

No Charge.

Mr. C. P. Wheeler, secretary of the Sam Jones' committee, has prepared the following card for publication, and requests the papers of the State to copy it: "We understand that an erroneous impression has gotten out that an admission fee will be charged at the Sam Jones meetings here. Please state through your local columns that the report has no foundation (the gospel is free). The meetings will begin on the morning of the 24th of April, and will last 8 days—three services daily."

Rev. Mr. Shaw and the Graham Street Church.

Mr. R. B. Alexander left this morning for Fayetteville Presbytery to press the call recently made by the Graham Street Presbyterian church, of Charlotte, for the pastoral services of Rev. Mr. Shaw. Mr. Shaw accept the call, but, as has been stated in THE NEWS, his congregation, at a meeting held last week, refused to release him. Mr. Alexander will bring the matter to the attention of Presbytery and will endeavor to secure his release.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Mr. Sam Stokes, of the Union (S. C.) Times, gave THE NEWS a pleasant call today. Mr. Stokes was present at the South Carolina State Y. M. C. A. Convention, at Orangeburg, and says that it was a decidedly successful occasion. Mr. L. A. Coulter, the general secretary of this State, Mr. Thomas K. Cree, and Mr. R. E. Speer, of the International Committee, were present. There was an attendance of 101 delegates. Mr. C. C. Dantaler was president. The convention raised \$1,200 for State work. Mr. Coulter and others remained after the convention to assist in raising money to put up a Y. M. C. A. building for Orangeburg.

SAM JONES.

A COMPLETE LIST OF THE BIG CHOIR.

Union Services to Begin in the Tabernacle Sunday Night, and Continue Until Mr. Jones Arrives.

At the meeting of the Sam Jones choir last night, it was announced that the union meetings preparatory to the beginning of the revival, will commence next Sunday night in the tabernacle. Rev. R. C. Reed will conduct the Sunday night meeting. Meetings will be held in the tabernacle from that date nightly, until Mr. Jones arrives. The choir is expected to attend the meetings and do its duty.

Mr. C. P. Wheeler, who has the musical arrangements in hand, has furnished THE NEWS with a complete list of the choir, which is given below:

A.—Mrs. Wm. Archer, Joe Asbury; Misses Mary Arledge, Carrie Andrews, Sophia Alexander, Mary Andrews; Messrs. Joe Asbury, John Adams, E. M. Andrews, John Arrington. Miss Hallie Asbury.

B.—Mrs. Walter Brem, A. L. Butt, M. A. Brem, C. N. G. Butt, Geo. Bason, S. J. Beatty, Geo. Brockenbrough, John G. Bryce, Wm. Bunn. Misses W. M. Barnett, Minnie Barnes, Eloise Butt, Carrie Barringer, Lillie Benson. Messrs. A. L. Butt, R. A. Bowman, Ben Barnett, C. N. G. Butt, Ed Bryan, David Badham, Walter Brem, Miss Annie Babington.

C.—Mrs. E. F. Cresswell, J. D. Church, J. L. Chambers, Ed Carson, W. R. Chapman, Heriot Clarkson, Simmons Clarkson. Misses—Annie Cresswell, Lola Carraway, Berta Caldwell. Messrs.—E. F. Cresswell, John Cresswell, J. K. McCreight, John Carson, C. M. Cresswell.

D.—Mrs. J. Riley Davidson, Chas. Davidson, N. Duls, Harvey Deal. Misses Pet and Nan Dowd, Nannie Davidson, Essie and Mollie Davis, Stella and Minnie Duls. Messrs. J. Davies, Charles Duls, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Durham, Mrs. Jerome Dowd.

E.—Mrs. Maggie Eagle, Hattie Elliott.

F.—Miss Carrie Freeman, M. L. Frazier. Misses Jennie Freeman, Ola Frazier, Carrie Folsom. Mr. Walter Folsom.

G.—Mrs. W. B. Gooding, George Graham, R. Gibbon. Misses Hattie Grimes, Annie Grier, Laura Grimes, Mamie Grimes. Messrs. John Gormley, Harry Gallant, John Gibbon, Dr. R. L. Gibbon.

H.—Mrs. J. R. Holland, S. M. Howell. Misses Jesse Hall, Bell Hall, Sallie Houston, Bessie Houston, Mary Hall, Bessie Hart, Alice Holland. Messrs. Hooper, S. M. Howell, Willie Hutchison, Henry Hoffman, Tom Holderby, George Howell.

I.—Mrs. R. W. Jones, S. B. Jones, H. C. Jones, Misses Carrie Jones, Addie Jamison, Jennie Johnston.

K.—Mrs. J. M. Kendrick. Messrs. W. B. Kidd, John Kirby, Ed. Keesler, Misses Janie and Nannie Keesler.

L.—Mrs. R. N. Littlejohn, S. E. Linton. Miss Lula Liddell, Mr. S. L. Leary.

M.—Mrs. W. N. Mullen, J. W. Miller, M. C. Mayer, Misses Susie and Ida McDonald, Maggie Mayer, Rend Mackey, Messrs. P. S. McLaughlin, McDuffy, Will Moore, E. L. Martin, C. A. Mosely, Mrs. C. A. Mosely.

N.—Miss Corinne Neisler.

O.—Mrs. D. W. Oates, F. I. Osborne, H. H. Orr, Misses Alla Osborne, Pegram Oates, Messrs. D. W. Oates, R. M. Oates, James Oates.

P.—Mrs. Amanda Pritchard, Messrs. Will and Ben Powell, Miles Pegram, Jr., W. M. Pegram, Willis Pegram, Geo. Phifer, Miss Bessie Pegram.

R.—Mrs. Robert Ross, E. C. Ray, Nellie Reeves, Misses Maggie Rankin, Jane Rudisill, Mr. John Russell.

S.—Mrs. Wm. Smith, S. P. Smith, Robert Stokes, A. I. Smith, C. Scott, L. W. Sanders, W. E. Shaw, Miss Julia Smith, Jennie Soudley, Messrs. Ed. Stitt, D. F. Summey, Miss Lizzie Scott, Mr. Semple.

T.—Mrs. M. C. Tate, Mrs. John Todd, Mrs. Ab Tate, Miss Annie Tate, Mr. Caswell Tate.

W.—Mrs. B. S. Withers, C. P. Wheeler, M. E. Wriston, W. M. Wriston. Misses—Bessie, Minnie and Luey Wriston, Laura Wadsworth, Sallie Whisnant, Bertie Wilson, Ella Wriston. Messrs. John Watson, C. P. Wheeler, Dave White, A. R. Willman, Mrs. Frank Williams.

X.—Mrs. Ernest Young. Misses—Bessie Yates, Addie Young. Mr. Ernest Young.

Y.—Mrs. G. Yaler, Miss Minnie Vogler.

THE NEWS telephone No. 30.
For Rochester or Milwaukee Beer go to Arndt's.

Mr. Lyons Falls, but Secures the Losses.

THE NEWS yesterday recorded the arrest of Mr. S. H. Phelan who formerly operated a bucket shop in Charlotte, but who has since been doing a similar business in Atlanta. As well as we can understand the case, he is charged with making fictitious quotations and realizing money thereon. He is charged with swindling parties in Griffin, Ga., out of \$20,000.

Mr. Lyon, who managed Mr. Phelan's Charlotte house, and who is well remembered here, was in charge of a bucket shop at Macon, and Phelan's failure sent him to the wall. Mr. Lyon, however, secured his customers and will pay every dollar of the losses.

The commission brokerage house of Tardy & Walker, of Charlotte, has been called a bucket shop by people who don't know anything about it, but it is not a bucket shop, not even possessing the element of a concern of that character. They were in no way affected by the failure of the shops, but continue to do a strictly legitimate commission and brokerage business, besides furnishing our people with accurate and reliable market reports.

An Officer, a Dog, and a Muskrat Have a Fight.

A lively battle occurred in the very heart of Charlotte last night between a policeman, a dog, and a muskrat. The battleground was no less a historic spot than Independence Square. A dog struck the acquaintance of the muskrat in the gutter in front of the Central Hotel, and the rat and the dog at once got into a fight. They bit and pulled at each other savagely, fighting across the street until they got under the electric light in the square, when policeman Hoover went to the relief of the dog. The rat bit at him savagely, and he fought it off with his club. It was finally killed by the combined efforts of the officer and the dog, and its carcass was exhibited on the square this morning. The rat was a monster, almost as large as an ordinary sized house cat, and its teeth were half an inch long and as sharp as needles. These ugly customers frequently come up town at this season of the year, making their way up from the creeks through the sewers.

A Talk With Mr. Peschau.

Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, of Wilmington, arrived the city today from Mt. Pleasant, and spent the afternoon with his friends here. Mr. Peschau has been trying to get a correct understanding of the Lutheran Seminary matter, as a report has to be made at the coming synod, which meets at St. Luke's church, in Davidson county, on Friday, May 2nd. It will depend upon the character of the report made at this synod, whether or not Charlotte is to get the Seminary. Mr. Peschau is an ardent advocate for Charlotte's claims in the matter and says he would be glad to see the seminary located here. He says that the Lutherans are deeply appreciative of the aid so far extended by Charlotte and the interest our people have manifested in the matter.

There is still, we believe, \$3,000 to be raised to make up the amount required of Charlotte.

The Fruit Tree Scheme.

THE NEWS a few days ago referred to the fact of a number of our citizens receiving duplicates of orders for fruit trees from the Alabama Nursery Company which they had never made. Mr. W. W. Ward was one of the number, and he at once opened correspondence to get things straightened. He yesterday received a letter from the company saying that the whole trouble had been traced to its agent, Mr. Samuel W. Crowell, formerly of Hickory, in this State. Mr. Charles F. Chase, secretary of the company, says that he has proof that Crowell committed shameful forgeries in Charlotte and in Columbia.

The Governor's Guard Coming.

The Hornets' Nest Riflemen need to get in their best licks at practicing for the 20th May if they expect to win the prize, for the Governor's Guard, of Raleigh, is coming. Today's State Chronicle says: "The Governor's Guard decided yesterday afternoon to attend the Independence celebration at Charlotte on May 20, and to compete for the drill prizes. The Guard will at once begin preparations for their visit and will go in good style. In the Guard and the fire companies that will go from here on that occasion, Raleigh will have a large representation."

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The first blush of spring brought lots of customers for our new and beautiful Clothing. We never did better for you than now. Yesterday our establishment was crowded the entire day, especially our Juvenile Department. We did triple the business yesterday than the same day any previous year. It's a source of gratification to us to have the public respond to our well-earned reputation.

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For the best Blacking in the world use Miller's Improved French. Will soften and preserve the leather. Makes a lasting shine and the most economical. Costs no more than common blacking.

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We Have Got Them.

And are now prepared to make good our promise. For the last week we have been receiving and opening up SHOES till we scarcely have room in our large store room to place the goods. A grander outlay of FINE SHOES were never shown in this market.

Quite a number of young men have already bought and pronounce our stock of French Calf Skin Shoes and Cordivans and Patent Leather in Congress and Bals to be the finest they have ever seen.

We have got the ladies talking all over this town, and it is not an unusual thing to hear them complimenting how beautifully Thomas Bolton's Shoes fit, and the comfort and ease they get in wearing these celebrated Shoes.

We are making a specialty in CHILDREN'S SHOES this season, and it will pay all in need of little Shoes to see our stock.

Boudoir Slippers!

Every young lady should have a pair of these Slippers. They are the prettiest things you ever saw. Price only \$1.25. We have them in all sizes, in red, blue and black. They have taken the country by storm, and in Washington City alone there has been thirty thousand pairs of them sold this season. Our stock is complete in every department, and we will make it to the interest of all in need of Shoes of any kind to see our stock before buying. Mail orders solicited.

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Now the heavy winds are about over and your mind turns to a Carriage for the baby. And there is nothing improves a child so much as this healthful exercise. And when you buy one you want the best made for the money. And when you get one of my Carriages you get the best manufactured, and here are some of the prices: One Carriage, wood and wire wheels, best rattan body, neatly upholstered, at \$7.00. You know this is cheaper than you can buy a Rattan Carriage elsewhere. One rattan body very high back, nicely upholstered and cheap at \$7.50. One Carriage, rattan, upholstered in genuine Silk Plush, with the Satin parasol and lace fringe at \$12.50. I have this Carriage in several colors of Plush. \$15.00 buys a beauty, handsomely upholstered in very best goods. Satin parasol with deep lace border. Certainly I have Carriages at almost any price from \$7.50 to \$15.00.

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