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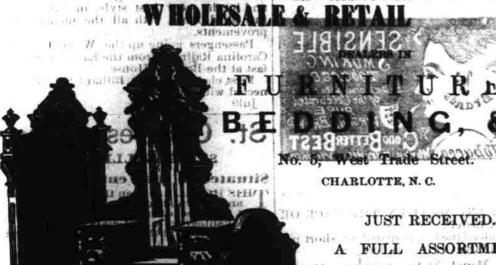
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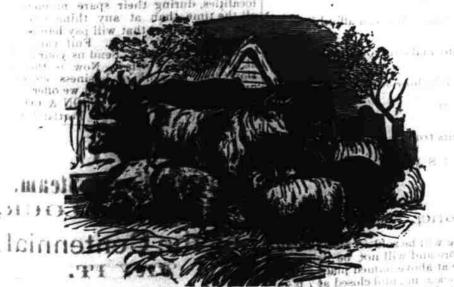
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City Bulletin.

Country watermelons are beginning to come in pretty freely. Now is the time when the average canine

indulges in serious personal encounters with the hisky flea, and comes out second best. City Marshal Alexander requests us to ask

the "\$600 Tax-Payer," in yesterday's Demo-

crat, to please come up and pay his taxes. We are requested to announce the regular meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association to-night at 8 o'clock. Ladies and

gentlemen are invited.

We implore our correspondents to write on one side of the sheet. When a printer gets hold of a piece of manuscript written on both sides, he can "even wish that he were

If the next of kin of John Parker, a United States soldier, who was killed by the Modoc Indians, in April, 1873, will apply at this office, they may hear of something to fort. their advantage.

Yesterday was the last day for making returns of property subject to city taxation. The City Clerk and Treasurer will proceed forthwith to make up the tax book and place it in the hands of the Marshal for col-

An odor which bears no similarity to ot tar of roses, emanates from the neighborhood of the old foundry building, crossing of the N C and C C Railroads and Trade street. We envy the policemen their noses. if they haven't smelt it.

The Rads around town don't like i pretty well because Col Myers won't run for Convention. They don't say but you can tell easy enough after chat- the pursuit and subsequent killing of a rabid ting 'em about it for a minute or two.

mometer, yesterday, at the drug store of W

The following was the range of the ther

The heat of yesterday was not without its effect upon outdoor workers. The force engaged in macadamizing the streets, went to cumbed to the fiery rays of the sun and were Service March Colors

Death of a Great Sewing Machine Inventor.

Mr Geo P Badger, Manager of the Char lotte office of the Singer Manufacturing Com-Richmond, late yesterday afternoon, an- state when it will begin: nouncing the death of Mr Singer, of the world-renowned firm of the Singer Sewing Sunday Accident. Machine Company. The office here will be closed to-day in consequence thereof.

Going to the Springs.

A party of ladies and gentlemen from South Carolina, arrived in the city last night on their way to the Catawba and Cleave- or were overtaken with some accident or land Springs. They are registered at the other. The spring of one buggy broke, caus-Central Hotel as follows: Mrs J A Brice. Mrs J M Todd, J C Brice, T S Brice, of Fairfield; and BR Nash and family, Miss SE young lady, to be thrown out. The young Norton, BC Martin and J A Hauser, of

Centennial Gas Light Company.

This company is rapidly getting in good working order. Their pipes now penetrate | Rev Dr Miller. every part of the city, and burners have been placed on the extreme end of every pipe except two. About half a mile of connecting tipes have been laid in this city; this, of course, does not include the main pipes unning through the streets.

Bishop Gibbons in Gaston.

Rt Rev James Gibbons, Bishop of the Catholic Church, preached on Sunday, near Tate's Factory, in Gaston county. An immense crowd was present to hear him, and large numbers were unable to gain admission to the church. The rite of confirmation was adminis.ered to seven persons, Bistiop Gibbons reached this city on Sunday evening, and yesterday morning left for his home in Bichmond. Park 1 111 W al

The matinee was not so well attended yesterday morning, as is usual on Monday mornings, only three cases having been disposed of.

John Osment was up for an affray and was fined \$5 and cost, , material Dan Smith, colored, was up for a disturb-

ance and was fined \$5 and cost. Katie Walliams, for an assault upon Lelia Lester, was fined \$1 and cost.

Charlotte Cornet Club.

high degree of proficiency.

The Cornet Club of this city, has en gaged the services of Prof W H Neave. as their instructor, since their re-organization. He arrived in the city yesterday morning, and gave his first lesson to the club last night. Prof Neave is well known in this State as a musician of remarkable genius. Previous to and during a part of the war, he lived in Salisliving in different places, and about a St Louis, which was his last place of residence. He has few equals in this country, and under his instruction we

Another Diegenes! need the grange

We have in our midst one who is like unto Diogenes of old. He came up street last night, bearing a huge torch, and looking intently upon the ground. Some one called to him from the pavement, asking what he was looking for, when he replied that "he had lost his cow!" A round of vociferous applause greeted him from those who heard him announce the object of his search, when he flung his torch away and gave up the cow in disgust, belinger mount

went to a store, selected each olastron Having adopted the cash system, we are cutting off delinquent subscribers where the accounts are presented, and remain unpaid, and it is some consolation to know that new subscribers are constantly being added to our already large circulation. As we shall probably never attempt to collect these subscribtion debts, and as we don't propose that they shall much longer encumber our books, we will in all probability advertise and sell them at the Court House door to the highest bidder.

Summer Absentees.

Miss Ella Dowd left last evening, for Beaufort.

Mrs Gov Vance and Master David Vance, are visiting relatives in Ohio. Mrs Fred Nash is still in Oxford Granville county.

Mr R E Miller, accompanied by Mr Hyder Ratterree, of Reck Hill, S. C., left last night for"a sojourn at Beau-

The Heat.

Yesterday was fearfully hot. Perhaps during no previous day this season has humanity suffered more. Until late in the evening there was hardly a breath of air, and what breezes did visit us came laden with a burning heat, as i off some sunny plain. It was a hard day, indeed, on both man and beast scorching thoughts from the brain and vigor from the body. We earnestly hope for an early break in the spell.

Mad Dog Excitement. Parts of Tryon and Church Streets, had quite an excitement, yesterday evening, in dog. Policeman Stevens was attracted by the demonstrations which the animal made and attacked him first near McNinch's marble vard. He ran then into the yard of Dr Jo Graham, and by this time his pursuers became quite numerous. From Dr Graham's he ran into the yard of Mr A L -Walsh, corner Church and Sixth streets, in the habit of using, and should where he was finally shot and killed. By the time the dog had been put an end to, a

force about fifty strong had "enlisted for

Sounds Warlike.

Gen. Longstreet, Gen. W. R. Cox work in the morning 24 strong, and by 2 and Gen. Collett Leventhorpe, were at o'clock in the afternoon 11 of them had suc- the Central Hotel last Friday. Gen. Thos. F. Drayton, Gen. W. L. T. forced to suspend work. None of the cases Prince, Gen. R. Barringer, Gen. J. A. Young and Gen. D. H. Hill, and other "mighty men of valor," were also in the city that day. It is believed (we trust this item will not alarm our Radical friends) that another war is pany, received a telegraphic dispatch from imminent, but we are not prepared to

Quite a number of people went over from this city to Gaston county on Sunday, to hear Bishop Gibbons preach. There were not less than eighteen buggies and carriages, and the mishaps on the journey were right remarkable. Five buggies either broke down ing the horse to run away, and the occupants of the buggy, a young gentleman and man held to the lines and was dragged about 50 yards, causing him to be a good deal bruised. Three or four other persons were thrown from their buggies, but none were seriously hurt.

This gentleman left, on Saturday morning last, for the Western part of the State, accompanied by his son, Mr Augustine Miller, who has been critically ill for some time. He became able to travel last week, however, and his friends are now more hopeful of his recovery, believing that the mountain effect upon him. The postoffice of Dr Miller will be Marion, McDowell county, for the next two or three weeks. During his absence from the city his pulpit will be supplied every Sabbath, as follows, according to the Southern Home: Rev W.E McIlwaine of Hopewell; Rev E E Erwin of Rutherford : Rev J Wm Flinn of Henderson ! Rev J Y Allison of Concord; Rev J S White of York ; Rev R E Cooper.

Sunday in Charlotte.

"Ain't it hot, though !" was an exclama tion which could be heard on every side, on Sunday. The heat darted its rays straight down upon the devoted heads of those who ventured out-doors, causing the blood to boil and the perspirat down the human form divine, while indoors the mercury crept up among the nineties early in the day nestled there till late. Heat overcame sense of duty in more than one of the wreck. Just at the time of the acciinstance, and more than the usual number of christians fought shy of the streets and churches, and worshipped, if they worshipped at all, "under their own vines and fig-trees."

All the sanctuaries is, the city were open, of seats were vacant in the churches. Scores

and at least two of the ministers are represented as having preached better and more bury, but since the surrender has been earnest sermons than usual. Every pulpit was occupied by its own pastor, except the month ago returned to Salisbury from First Presbyterian. Dr Miller is absent in the mountains, and Rev. W. H. Davis, of Sharon, preached in his stead both morning and night. All the ministers, with one or expect to see our band soon attain a the weather, and very sensibly had short

Salisbury Herald.

Mr I H Foust has handed us a conv the Salisbury Herald, dated December HAVE received and are daily receiving large add 1855, and published by JF Bell, Jr., and plete stock of BOOTS and SHOES which W James. In it we see a notice of stepsprices. ing taken to have a jullification in Gre boro, in January '56, over the completic the North Carolina Central Railroad. following we clip from the Herald, matter of interest to our readers: matter of interest to our readers: at \$120; womens Splt. Boots at \$1.00; mens I.
"We inadvertently omitted, last weestock Brogans at \$120 to \$150, &c., &c.

notice the change in the Charlotte Dem It has not only changed hands; but has dergone an entire renovation in its dres appearance. It is now conducted by Pritchard, and is one of the neatest cov newspapers anywhere to be found."

Charlotte Institute for Young La

It is with peculiar pleasure tha announce that the trustees of the (lotte Institute for Young Ladies, effected arrangements with Rev S lor Martin, whereby he leases the lege buildings and grounds for a of three years. Mr Martin will school during the Fall -Septem! October-with a full and comi corps of teachers. He is adn adapted to the work before hint. will soon make the Charlotte In for Young Ladies, one of the il flourishing institutions of learning the land, if his hands are properly up by the people of the city. We upon them to sustain him, and if the do this, there need be no fears that will not bring the enterprise to succ

Sample Dyspepsia Remedy. Dyspepsia arises from a variety ed by different remedies according nature of the disease, and conding the stomach. We know of a lainhas derived great benefit from do a tumbler of sweet milk-the ricl fresher the better-whenever a lys. sensation is experienced in the stnk An elderly gentleman of our acc ance, who was afflicted for manywith great distress after eating, has ed a cure by mixing a teaspsoon wheat bran in a tumbler of watersk drinking it half hour after his ine It is necessary to stir quickly ange immediately, or the bran will adh the glass and become pasty. Coff tobacco are probably the worst stald ces persons troubled with dyspep.

avoided. Regular eating of nourishing plain food and the use of some simple remedies like the above, will effect, in most cases, quicker cures than medicine.

A New Sort of Cotton to Us. We are not, strictly speaking, the agricultural scribe. We vacated that chair, at the request of the boss, sometime during last November. He was constrained to request us to step down and out, because we had clipped out and published, while he wasn't noticing, an able and elaborate article on the preparation of ground for cotton planting, while at that same time the farmers were busy picking cotton. Our agricultural knowledge has increased very greatly, however, since then, and we again assay something about cotton. It was on Sunday when we got this last item, and we acknowledge our worldly-mindedness and our sins are ever before, but the item went floating by and we took it in out of the wet, Sunday though it was. A citizen of this county, a mild-eyed man who had the appearance of one who spoke the truth, tells of a kind of cotton which he has, which when planted one year, does not mature until the next, The cotton comes up just as any other cotton, but does not bloom with it. It lives through the winter, and the next season the bolls open, and a fine yield is obtained 'Tis strange if true, and we have no good reason to doubt it.

Accident on the Air Line Railroad.

Quite a serious accident occurred on the Air Line Railroad, a short time before daylight on Sunday morning, a mile and hall north of Central, to the southward bound train. This train had left Charlotte on Saturday night, about two hours behind time, having waited for the North Carolina train, which had been delayed by the ditching of a freight train, and was still an hour behind time when the accident occurred. While runair and water will soon have a beneficial | ning at a pretty rapid rate through a small cut, the engine struck a piece of wood lying across the track, one end of it fastened under one rail, while the other end was lying across the opposite rail. The engine, the "RY McAden, No. 8," was ditched and very badly wrecked. The tender was thrown off and placed in right angles with the track; the express car ran up over the tender and one end of it was thrown up the side of the

Mr Dick Chatham, the engineer, was very considerably hurt, having had several gash es cut in his face and head. Some of these were as deep as the flesh and reached the bone. He was taken care of and will soon be over the hurt The fireman was slightly bruised, but beyond these two no one else on the train was injured. The escape of the express messenger from serious injury, seems almost miraculous.

In going from the scene of the accident to Central, for assistance, two other obstructions were found on the track, within a mile dent, some of the passengers saw two men running through the woods, and they were

Yesterday evening, Mr F I Osborne and Miss Mary Dewey were out buggy driving, and just after they had crossed the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, near the Fair Grounds, a bolt of the buggy broke and the tongue turning to one side and the buggy to the other, frightened the horses and they immediately began to run. Before proceeding far, they made a sudden

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WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS Thierence.

SHELBY, N. C., July 23, 1875. MESSES EDITORS :-GENTLEMEN :- The Shelby District Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church South,

convened in this town on the 22d, inst., Rev Dr Burkhead presiding. Most of the ministers and a large proportion of the delegates were present at the opening. The Conference proceeded with its business quite pleasantly. The Presiding Elder seemed to be perfectly at home in the chair, and to know how to look after and to take care of the interests of the church. Thus far the spiritual and financial interests of the district have been looked into : and according to the reports of the pastors, the spiritual state is good, while the financial condition is rather better than at this time last year. Sunday Schools, Education and Missions are yet to be reported on, considered and disposed of. The Conference expects to adjourn Saturday

Rev Dr Reynolds, of the Baptist Church, and Rev Mr Todd, of the Associate Reformed Church, were introduced to the Conference. Also, Col Andrews and Capt Leggett, of Wilmington, and Mr Winchester, of Monroe, were introduced and invited to participate in the business of the Conference.

Divine service has been held each day at 11 o'clock a.m., and at 8 p. m. The preaching has been practical, pointed and effective; the result is that a number of penitents are any desired color, at the altar of prayer, and there is now a A good Slate Roof. good prospect of a gracious revival in this congregation of which the Rev Mr Hudson is the popular pastor.

Shelby is a growing town, a live place. The citizens are refined, intelligent, hospitable. The Conference is being entertained on a most liberal, magnificent scale. Shelby will always be able to get a District Conference when she wants it. So thinks a

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE VOTERS OF CHARLOTTE TOWNSHIP.

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