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CHAS. R. JONES,
Editor and Proprietor.

THE CHURCHES TO-DAY.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev T H Whitfield, the pastor, will preach this morning at 11 o'clock, and this evening at 8 o'clock.

ST. PETER'S (E.) CHURCH.—Rt Rev Theodore B Lyman, will officiate at 11 a, m, and at 7½ p. m. The rite of confirmation will be administered at night.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH.—Services by the pastor, Rev. W. S. Haltom, at 11 A M and at 8 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.

TRYON STREET M. E. CHURCH.—Services to-day at 11 A. M., by the pastor, Rev P J Carraway, and at 8 P. M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services this morning at 11, and this evening at 8, by the pastor, Rev. A. W. Miller, D. D. Seats free.

A. R. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services in the Chapel, on the corner of College and 5th streets, by the pastor, Rev W M Hunter, at 11 o'clock A. M., and at 7½ P. M,

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Mass at 10½ o'clock, and sermon by Rev Father Gross, of Wilmington. The public are invited to attend.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services in the morning at 11, and evening at 8 by the pastor, Rev E H Harding, at the Court House.

City Bulletin.

The Board of Aldermen to-morrow night.

Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity, and the last Sunday in September.

All the churches except the Lutheran are open for services to-day.

There were four interments in Elmwood Cemetery last week, all children.

The box-sheet for the theatre to-morrow night, will be open to-morrow at the book store of R S Phifer.

It being neither too hot nor too cold, yesterday, people found cause for complaint in the stifling dust.

It was rather damp out-doors for the mokes, last night, and the p'anks in the street were, consequently, untenanted.

Last week's cotton sales amounted to 418 bales. Very good, indeed, for so early in the season.

The native billiardists are a good deal disgusted. A new citizen comes in and locates and offers to discount any of them.

The celebrated Kit Carson, with his dramatic combination, play "Gringo" at the Opera House to-morrow night.

The editor acknowledges the compliments of Messrs J W Adams & Co., butchers, and what is better, a few pounds of very good fresh pork sausage.

"The Hornets' Nest Rifle Team" practiced again yesterday afternoon with the gyro pigeons. As in base ball so in pigeon shooting Mr Brokenborough made the best score.

A white prisoner escaped from the Statesville jail on Friday night. We could not ascertain his name, the crime for which he was committed, or the manner of his escape.

John Templeton played in Richmond last week, and gentlemen just from there represent him and his troupe as perfectly splendid. Wish he would come to Charlotte.

Among the other improvements now being made in the city, we note the erection of a nice residence on Eighth street, between Church streets and Cemetery Avenue.

They are having lively times down about the depots now. The clerks as busy as bees, inside, and the carpenters and brick-layers working like Turks, outside.

The Commercial National Bank will occupy rooms in the new insurance building when it is completed. The vault was built in building the foundation of the house.

A New Yorker who was in the city yesterday, says that Charlotte is the most active and most flourishing town he has seen since he came South.

Heavy winter clothing is rather unpleasant about mid-day, but one has to wear it, else in the morning and at night he will perish to death of cold.

The theatrical and circus bills continue to attract attention, and the avidity with which people stop and gaze at the placards is evidence of the interest felt in the matter by the average Charlottean.

These big new depot platforms, so nice and large and smooth, are just the places for darkies to pat and dance, and they are not unmindful of the fact, but avail themselves of them frequently.

Frank Culbertson, the well known, was crying "fish," along the streets, yesterday. Passing some colored "ladies" cut an extra flourish with "Oh, yes, ladies and gentlemen; here's yer nice feesh, yight full o' juice and yist yeady fer use!"

Messrs Brem, Brown & Co., on yesterday filled an order from Sumter, S. C., down below Columbia, for about $300 worth of hardware. Charlotte is not only holding her old trade, but is gathering in new business with every season.

The finishing touches were put on the new jail yesterday afternoon. The Board of County Commissioners meet to-morrow, when they will visit and inspect the building, and receive the final report of the architect, Mr Geo Welch.

'Ob, sweet Jesus, Gen Jackson and the Constitushun!" was the exclamation of an enthusiast at the colored Methodist church in this city on Friday night, and at the end of the blasphemous ejaculation, he jumped about as high as a lamp post.

A new advertisement of the Charlotte Institute for Young Ladies, appears to-day. The corps of instructors is efficient and accomplished. It will be seen that Mrs Martin will have the entire social and domestic management of the institution.

New Stock.

Through an arrangement with the creditors, Mr J W McMurray, of the firm of McMurray & Davis, has just returned from the Northern markets, whither he has been to purchase certain goods to make the stock complete. These goods are now arriving, and we are requested to say they will be sold very low.

Base Ball Game.

The Nameless Club of the city, and the Cadet Club, of the C M I, played a match game of base ball on the Institute Grounds, yesterday afternoon. The Nameless came out victorious, having made 25 runs, to 21 made by the Cadets. The Nameless caught 13 flys and made 4 muffs; the Cadets caught 5 flys and muffed one ball.

Oh Lord, How Long!

We are no advocate of mob law, but would like to know how much longer the man who drinks whiskey, eats onions, sucks a short stem pipe and then comes to tell you a secret, shall be permitted to run at large, before a patient and long suffering community shall rise in its injured majesty and sweep him from the face of the earth.

The Piedmont Press.

The last issue of this paper, published at Hickory, announces the retirement from its editorship of J F Murrill, Esq., and the accession of the local editor, J S Tomlinson, Esq., to the entire control of the paper. We part with friend Murrill with regret; as a journalist he is a success, and is a good fellow to "have in the family." Mr Tomlinson is a young man of energy and tact, and we hope that he will succeed well in going it alone.

Quiet About It.

Somehow or other fire-water didn't flow so freely last night as it usually does on Saturday night. When they got full up to the throat they carried it along home with as graceful steps as they could command, and without advertising all over town that they were loaded. Many were in that state of mellowness where they found it necessary to "sand the track" while going up a grade, but comparatively few hung up on the road during the night.

Personal.

Maj Montgomery, Solicitor of this district, arrived in the city last night, on his way to Rutherford Court, which will convene to-morrow. T H Brem, Jr., is the only Charlotte lawyer who will attend this Court. He departed yesterday morning.

Rt Rev T B Lyman, Assistant Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, and will preach in St Peter's (E) Church this morning and evening. He is the guest of Capt John Wilkes.

It is Rather Popular.

The Asheville *Expositor* calls upon us to know if we ever hear in Charlotte a song called "Silver Threads Among the Gold," and if it is very popular? Well, yes; it has attained some little popularity here. That is to say, everybody who whistles or sings at all, whistles or sings this, and don't whistle or sing anything else. If this constitutes popularity, then the song is popular here. It has gotten away with everything else, and the children on the streets now smile contemptuously upon the organ-grinder, when he comes around with his "Mollie Darling." And the end is not yet.

The Courts.

These institutions, which will almost always do to fall back on in lack of better material, were very dull yesterday. There was no session of the Mayor's Court, and though the Magistrates had a good deal of business, it was generally of the prosiest kind, being civil action, where but little was involved. The only criminal case in the city was adjudicated before Justice McNinch. It was an action against a little negro boy named Ceburn Rankin, 14 years of age and small for his age, for entering a house in the country, about 10 miles from the city, on Friday, and stealing therefrom a pair of pants and numerous other articles. He was found with the articles in his possession, and hauled up. The Magistrate gave him 30 days in the county jail, and with this single exception there was not a case in any of the courts deserving mention in these columns.

Beat a Goat at Its Own Business.

This yarn is told to us for a fact: There is a man in this city whose head is notoriously hard—so hard, indeed, that the material of which it is composed is exceedingly doubtful. Whatever it may be, it is certain that his is no ordinary head. Well, not long ago, being at a certain brick yard near the city, where there is a billy goat which is possessed in a remarkable degree of all the characteristics which distinguish this animal from all others, he "hunkered down" on all fours and invited an attack. The goat was not "backward in coming forward," and taking a fair running start, he popped the man square in the head. At it they went in earnest, and the battle continued till the man butted the goat clean off the ground! He switched his tail after the last sally, cantered off, and hasn't been back since.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Hugh Troy, only child of H B and E B Peters, will take place from their residence, corner of 7th street and Cemetery Avenue, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The friends and acquaintances of Mr and Mrs H B Peters, and Mr and Mrs A P Newhart, are invited to attend.

Deadly Affray in Polk County.

From Capt J C Mills, who has just returned from Polk, we learn the particulars of a general fight which occurred in that county some days ago, between two sets of negro laborers employed on the Spartanburg & Asheville Railroad, the hands in the employ of contractors Clayton and Fagg. There had been a feud existing between them for some time past, and on the day in question, meeting at a certain point, a row ensued. Pistols, sticks and rocks were used freely. About fifteen shots were fired. One of the Fagg negroes was shot and killed, another was stabbed through the wrist, and several of each of the contending parties, were more or less injured. A number of the combatants were arrested and lodged in jail at Columbus.

The Sunday School Review.

The following is the programme to be observed at the Union Quarterly Review of seven of the Sunday Schools of the city, to be held at 3:30 this afternoon at Tryon Street M E Church:

I—Bible Lesson, Psalm xxiii, Superintendent D H Hill.

II—Prayer, Superintendent W F Cook.

III—Song, "All hail the power of Jesus' name!" Chorister S M Asbury.

IV—July Lessons, Superintendent A S Caldwell.

V—Song, "There is a fountain filled with blood," Chorister S M Asbury.

VI—August Lessons, Superintendent, F Scarr.

VII—Song, "Saviour like a Shepherd lead us," Chorister S M Asbury.

VIII—September Lessons, Superintendent T C Smith.

IX—Song, "Nearer my God to thee," Chorister S M Asbury.

X—Benediction—Rev P J Carraway.

Publications.

Scribner's Monthly for October with its beautiful illustrations and splendid literature, is again on our table. Its contents are rich and varied, and it is quite up to its usual standard of excellence in every particular. Address Scribner & Co., 743 and 755 Broadway, New York.

St Nicholas for October closes the second volume of this charming magazine, and brings to its readers some thirty interesting articles, the majority of them beautifully illustrated. The frontispiece is a very fine wood-cut by Granville Perkins, representing a battle at sea between the American frigate, "Essex," and an English ship, 'Phœbe,' during the war of 1812, which contest is also described in the opening article. The latter is devoted to a very clear and interesting review of the cruise of Captain David Porter's vessel, on board of which our late Rear-Admiral Farragut first distinguished himself for his bravery when a boy of twelve.

There are numerous short sketches, and descriptive articles, also, are not lacking, and if the young reader prefer solid information to fiction, he will find something to his taste.

The close of the two serials will no doubt be somewhat unwelcome to the readers of the magazine, to whom "The Young Surveyor" and the "Eight Cousins" must have come to seem like real personages. But the satisfactory and pleasant ending of each story will do much to lessen the sense of parting company with these old friends. "Jack" is particularly bright this month, and we beg good people who want to laugh to read his "Crooked Story."

Sabbath Reflections.

We are permitted to see the light of a Sabbath day; a day of rest, a day for thought and reflection; a day when one should endeavor to throw aside the cankering cares that eat down into the soul and fill the mind with its thousand and one anxieties, cares and troubles, and fret the brain as to plans and schemes for the future. We should take a bright and joyous outlook upon the world with its thousand of beauties and attractions, and feel that, after all, there is a link, a tie that binds man to man, and in the eye of Jehovah, our great Father, we are but a big family of brothers and sisters, and that which administers to the happiness of one, can be made to administer to the happiness of all.

Even as we shall all stand one day upon a footing of perfect equality before the Judge of all the world, so should we remember this day, which is set apart to prepare us for that, that He who "hath made us to differ," wil cast down the proud while he will exalt the lowly, and these thoughts should keep us from being high-minded and feeling that we are superior to those by whom we are surrounded. In the tomb there is no distinction. The mummied kings of Egypt who now sleep in the Pyramids, once clothed with despotic power, and reigned in regal splendor, and upon whose lips hung the decrees of life and death, are no more to-day than the poorest sleeper in the same great tomb. The voice of Napoleon is as silent and as powerless as the humblest soldier that filled his ranks, when his ambitious heart aimed at the universal empire. So shall it be with all of us when we return to mother earth, and none should say to his neighbor "I am holier than thou," but all remember the injunction of Him who came to rescue all: "Strive to enter in at the straight gate, for many I say unto you shall seek to enter in and shall not be able."

IN MEMORIAM.

Died, in Steel Creek on Tuesday, Sept 14, 1875, Emma Leona, daughter of J W and Maggie C Brown, aged four years and ten months. Also, at the same place, James Erastus, infant son of the same parties, aged two years and six months. Both children died of scarlet fever. The death of these lovely children leaves a void in the family circle which can never be filled on earth; but the pangs of grief of the parents are softened by the reflection that they have gone where the "wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest."

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Of McMurray & Davis.

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The Fall Term of this School will open September 28th.

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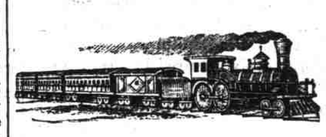

FOR the accommodation of the Kit Carson Combination Troupe, Train No, 4, on the Carolina Central Railway, will leave Charlotte at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning, September 28th, in order to enable them to reach Wilmington in time to play that night.

There will be ample accommodation for passengers on this train.

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Engineer and Superintendent.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

IS hereby given that I have placed my accounts in the hands of Mr. E. E. P. Osborne for collection, and request that all persons indebted to me will be prepared to make payments, as they will be promptly called upon by him. Respectfully,

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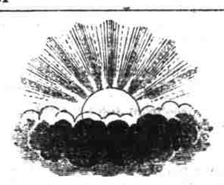

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