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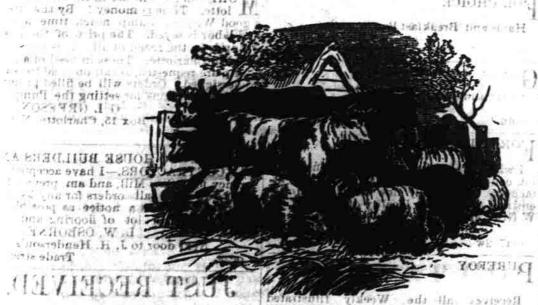
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Sir-cus day ! Hoop la !

Fish are right plentiful in market, and are very fine.

Just as good nights for sleeping purposes as are ever sent.

The steam man, the clown, the elephant and the striped mule!

And the skeeters, also, the vast majority of them have "gone to join the invisible

This is the season of the year to set out bulbous roots, and ladies will "make a note

The sale of the Lonergan property, next to the Central Hotel, will take place at the Court House door to-day at 12 o'clock.

To B N Smith we are indebted for a dozen of very fine large apples. He has a good many more of the same kind.

Grape hulls have almost disappeared from the pavements-

Believing we rejoice, To see the curse removed."

There is going to be a merry ringing of bells in Charlotte next week-if all reports be true, Atlanta will furnish the Bell .- Atlanta Herald

The 60 pound California squash, of which we spoke yesterday, ornaments one of the large show windows of Mr J T Butler's beautiful jewelry store.

The house fly is neither so numerous nor so sportive, but when he does settle squarely down on your nose, he sticketh closer than

The meeting at Tryon Street M E Church continues, and the interest is on the increase. The pastor, with what assistance he can get, is laboring with great faithfulness.

They look so happy and comfortable as they sit around the tables in the beer saloons these evenings and play pitch to decide who

shall set up lager. The ladies of the Baptist Sewing Society, will give an oyster supper and festival en fuesday evening. We charge the public to bear this in mind and give them a liberal

patronage. As the dramatic season is about to open we advise you in advance not to go out between acts. Take a "tickler" with you, or else "hoist in" enough before the play is be-

gun, to last you until it is firished. This will be one of the days when the average man wishes he was a little nigger,so he could take the middle of the street and follow the show around, walking close be-

hind the elephant. The sanitary condition of the city challenges comparison with the most favored localities of the country, and generally the people of Charlotte have reason to be proud of their thifty city, and grateful for the innumerable blessings vouchsafed them.

Tolerably Steep.

It is said that the hill this side of Spencer's Ford is so worn down in the middle that the driver of a buggy cannot see his horse without danger of falling over the splatter board. This is pretty steep for Gaston roads but we insist it is mere hyperbole, nothing

Engines at the Fair.

The Erie City Iron Works, through its Charlotte branch, under the charge of Mr W C Morgan, has on exhibition at the Fair Grounds, this week, four handsome engines of different kinds as well as other machinery. Mr Morgan never fails to be represented at our State Fair .- Raleigh News .

Very Probably True. We all know him well up here, and think this story highly probable, as he will insure anything, from a stove up. The Atlanta Herald, in its incidents of Howes' circus exhibition in Atlanta, says: "Clarence Knowles is following along, trying to get Barnum to insure his circus tent. Business is business, you know."

Postal Cards.

The new postal cards are coming through the mails, and are a great improvement on the first attempt. They have no border, and the card board is stiff and elastic. In the right hand corner is the stamp, with a single scroll over the initials U. S., on which is printed the words "Postal Card," and below it a line of direction for writing the address.

Odd Fellows' Excursion.

A number of the officers and members of Mecklenburg Declaration Lodge No 9, I O O F, of this city, left yesterday morning for Monroe. The object of their visit is to establish an Odd Fellows' Lodge in that flourishing town. The excursionists will return home this morning.

The Business of the Air-Line.

The Gainesville (Ga.) Southron, says Freight on the Air-Line is daily increasing. A new freight schedule was put on a few days since, and all the rolling stock, including the four new engines, is engaged in moving it. The management is giving entire satisfaction to the people, and restoring confidence in this " great and popular thoroughfare."

An Old Violin. of the yiolin can be seen some Italian words, makes the present age of the instrument 357 years. Don't you know that many a tene has been sawed out of that old fiddle?

A Bad Practice. 11 8mp garred This is from an exchange: It has been ascertained that the habit of looking out of ascertained that the habit of looking out of railroad cars while the windows are open is exceedingly injurious to the eyes, as the spid of after the air, caused by the rapid motion of trains, produces inflamation and affects the optic nerves even fatally. Case of total blindness have constructed as to the physicians are strongly advising the traveling public to refrain from this dangerous and constructed in an anticons of case of total blindness have constructed in a provided in all apartments, ing public to refrain from this dangerous and constructed an improved feeling in financial homeforth be found at high.

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Feast of Tabernacles,

To-day, the 14th, is the Hebrew Feast of four days after the Day of Atonement. This feast is not observed as rigidly as is Rosh Hashanah, the New Year, or Yom Kupper, the Day of Atonement, on both of which days Israelites everywhere suspend business, To-day their stores and other places of business will be kept open and business will be transacted as usual vah adding

Type-Writing in the Mails.

The Postmaster-General decides that out shead, winning the heat and the matter printed or written with a typewriter" is matter to which no specific rate of postage is assigned, and as such is subject to letter-rates of postage. It is also decided that subscribers to newspapers should remove their names from the margins of such papers before mailing to other parties, otherwise they become subject to letter-postage.

The Courts.

Mayon's Count,-Hugh Shovelin was before His Honer, yesterday morning, in two cases, for affray, and was fined \$2 and cost

Anna Albright and Josie Owens, both colored, were up for an affray, and were each fined \$1 and cost. There was no business of a criminal na-

ture before any of the Magistrates.

An Animated Scene.

The streets were enlivened last evening with ladies and children. The latter seemed particularly delighted by the bracing weather, and the vigorous glow of health that sat upon their cheeks gave evidence of a salubrious season. The shops could not complain of duliness, and altogether people seemed happy, with the exception, probably, of collectors, whose faces looked as "tight"

Heavy Frost.

The ground was covered, early yesterday morning, with a heavy frost, much the heaviest of the season. There was a frost one morning the latter part of last month, but it was a light one and did no damage. This one of yesterday morning killed potato vines, cotton leaves, no doubt, and other young and tender growths.

Soliciting Agents.

"Where the carcass is there do the eagles gather," it hath been said: and this is suggested by the fact that the town was full of railroad soliciting agents yesterday. To see the applicability of the quotation in the present instance, one must realize that Charlotte ships just any amount of freight, and that accounts for the presence here of so many of these railroad "eagles."

Cotton Burned.

On yesterday 150 bales of cotton were burned on the Air-Line Railroad, bethrough cotton, from Atlanta to New York, and was loaded on flat cars. The fire originated from a spark from the engine, and the destruction of the 150 bales was almost complete. The flooring of the flats was burned, but the running works were not materially damaged.

A Match Game of Billiards.

French carrom, 100 points, was played between Dr CF Brem and Messrs D J Butts and C E Moss, at the Turf Exchange, last evening. A large crowd was present and much interest was manifested. Mr Butts came out shead. Dr Brem second, and Mr Moss third. The playing of each fell 50 to 100 per cent. below his usual game.

We had a pleasant call last evening, from Mr Alexander Helmes, (who is traveling in the interest of the New York Daily Bulletin, a paper than which none stands higher in the esteem of commercial men, and which has a large circulation in all the principal cities of the United States. Mr. Holmes will call upon our business men to-day, with the view of inducing them to subscribe for the Bulletin.

Ordination of a Pastor. The Rev W M Hunter, who has for some time past been ministering to the congregation of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of this city, will be ordained as pastor of the church on Tuesday next, the 19th inst., services commencing at 10 o'clock A M. There will be a sermon by the candi date. Rev. W. B Pressly will preach the ordination sermon; Rev A Ranson will propound the constitutional questions, and Rev JE Presely will address the minister.

Evidences of the Revival of Business The streets, yearerday morning, presente such an appearance as was calculated to fill with joy the hearts of the residents of Charlotte. From early in the merning until considerably after noon-day. Trade strest from the corner of Tryon to the old foundry building, was blocked with wagons, and the Mr. A Hanguest, a Gute agent on the distance between the street and the cotton Air-Line Railroad, has left at the office of platform was equally as much occur.led. So Col D G Maxwell, an old, old violin, which great was the jam that the drays and other belongs to an old gentleman in South Caro- city vehicles could not pass along the streets, line, and which is for sale. On the inside and the services of the police were called into requisition to range the cotton wagons evidently the name of the manufacturer, to-gether with the date, which is "1518." This might get to the platform and have its load weighed in its proper order.

There was a rejection of last Winter's activity among the cotion buyers. These were

rushing to and fro through the streets, and dispatches from New York and Liverpool were segurly seized upon to guide them in their operations. Prices ruled higher than

A Chalotte Horse Beat at the State Fair. We see from the Raleigh Sentinel Succes, or Fesst of Tabernacies. It follows that in a race at the State Fair on Tuesday, Jonanny, of this city came out third best. The Sentinel says of the race: "In the second race, mile dash, purse \$50; \$35 to 1st horse, \$10 to 2d, and \$5 to 3d. Same judges. Four entries: Joe Nannie, rider's weight 113 3-4 pounds; Mary Long, 113 1-4 pounds; Flors, 111 pounds; Charlie Moore, 111 pounds. Mary Long came

race. Time 1:55 1-4, Flora, 2d; Joe

Too Much Punishment.

Nannie, 3d.

We fear that some of our peace officers are sealous over-much. Several instances have occurred recently where parties charged with minor offences have been tried in two courts, first by the Mayor and then by a Magistrate, This is all wrong, A man ought not be punished more than once for the same offence, and when this is done is amounts to absolute persecution. It looks too much like kicking a man when he is down to nab him as soon as he es capes one court and lug him into another to pay more fines and costs. We are in favor of the punishment of criminals, but are still more in favor of fair play. We make these remarks because we believe in justice to all men. "A word to the wise,"

Duprez & Benedict's Minstrels.

We are highly gratified to know that this excellent company will occupy the Charlotte Opera House on the evenings of the 21st and 22d inst. Duprez & Benedict's Minstrels are famous. No company of its kind in the United States has a finer reputation, and those who want the pure, unadulterated fun, can have it on Thursday ond Friday nights of next week. As a burnt cork crew, this company is a success, as can be sworn to by many of our citizens. was organized in 1852, and the fact that it has been traveling ever since, is the best evidence of its merit. Mr J H
Laine, the gentlemanly agent of the troube, was in our office vesterday. Retroupe, was in our office yesterday. Reserved seat tickets will be on sale at purposes, and being the finest property of Phifer's book store.

Great New York and New Orleans Cir-

This the day for Cole's noted circus to exhibit in this city. The show was at Shelby vesterday, and will arrive here this morning about daylight. The exhibition has been thoroughly advertised throughout all this country, by means of the newspapers, flamng posters and more modest hand bills, and every creature within a radius of 20 miles. who can raise 75 cents, or throttle religious scruples, will be here to-day to see it. We are safe in saying to the circus-going population, that they will see a magnificent show. It is described by the papers wherever it has been, as one of the very best that tween Charlotte and Greenville. It was has ever visited the South, and those who are fond of the sports of the saw dust arena will to-day and to-night have opportunities of feasting their eyes and ears to the com-

plete satisfaction of both these faculties.

The Railroad Race Purse. In the programme for the races on Carolina Park, next month, is put down a Rail road Purse of \$500. It was not expected that the railroads would subscribe this much and it was proposed that the association would make up the deficit between the amount subscribed and that named. The Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad took the lead, and with commendable liberality subscribed \$50, offering to double it if called upon: Col W R Myers, for the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, subscribed \$25, and will pay it out of his own pocket, with a generosity characteristic of the man, but will let it go in the name of this road, of which he is the President. The Carolina Central refuses to give anything at all, but offers to bring persons in parties of ten or more to the races for half fare. The Air Line and Richmond & Canville Roads have not been heard from. The members of the association will make up the \$500 themselves, and it will be given as if the railroads had actually subscribed it.

The Blocked End of the Carolina Cen-

tral Wagon Way. The inconvenience resulting from the Richmond & Danville Railroad Company

having blocked one end of the Carolina Contral wagon way, by building its platform immediately in front of it, thereby entirely preventing access to the way by that end, was seriously felt yesterday, when there was a large amount of cotton in the city which had to get to the cotton weighers by this way. The process of delivery was greatly delayed through wagons being compelled, after delivering their loads, to turn around and go out by the same way that they entered, instead of by the other end. The situation of affairs was a source of great annoyance, and the authorities of the Richmond & Danville Road were spoken of by business men in any other than landatory terms. Of course every one knew before what the effeet would be, but yesterday afforded about the first practical demonstration. This taking advantage of position is not very creditable, and will injure the Richmond & Danville Railroad with the business men of

Charlotte. OR 194811 Jan We believe it is proposed to give one of the setton weighers an office under the ter use—for cashi. Apply at this office with the setton weighers an office under the sepid-tier use—for cashi. Apply at this office. This office, and cotton weighers are of the new platers and office under the sepid-tier this office. form, by way of propitiation, so that cotton wagons can reach a weigher from either side either by going through Trade street

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.



A regular meeting of Charlotte Lodge, No. 17, Knights of Pythias will be held in their Castle Hall, in the Temple Association Building, to-night, Prompt attendance of members desired Visiting brethren

order of the C. C., ordially invited. By W. L. BOYD, K. R. & S. oct14 1t

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Last Notice.

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This in my last appeal to you.

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FIRST DAY-Wednesday, Nov. 17. FIRST RACE-Trial purse \$150; second horse, \$50. A dash of 2 of a mile. For all ages, without

SECOND RACE-Abd-el-Koree stake-for two year olds \$100, \$25 entrance, P. P. Half mile heats, second horse \$50 out of the stake. Three to fill.

THIRD RACE-Club purse \$150; \$50 to second horse. One and half mile dash. Weight for age.

SECOND DAY-Thursday, Nov. 18. FIRST RACE-Club purse \$125; \$25 to second horse. Mile dash.

SECOND RACE-Central Hotel stake—mile heats—\$25 entrance. P. P. \$300 added by the Central Hotel, Three to fill.

THIRD RACE-

SECOND RACE-

Railroad stakes—two mile heats—\$50 en-trance—half forfeit. \$500 added by the Railroads entering Charlotte. Three to

THIRD DAY-Friday, Nov. 19. IRST RACE-Cochrane purse—1; mile dash. \$125 added by W R Cochrane. \$25 to second horse.

Charlotte Hotel stakes-half mile heats, \$10 entrance, P. P. \$150 added by Charlotte Hotel. \$50 to second horse, THIRD RACE-

Consolation purse, \$150—\$50 to the second horse—one mile dash. For horses that have run and not won first money. Those beaten once, allowed 7 pounds; twice, 12, and three times, 18 pounds.

In all Club Purses entrance free. A walk over or distancing the field entitles a horse to first money only. Entries in Club Purses close at the Judge's Stand, at 4 o'clock P. M., the day previous

to the race. If the races are not closed at that hour thirty minutes will be allowed af-ter they are finished. All stakes close at the Secretary's Office at o'clock P. M., Nov. 13th, 1875.

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