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J. J. MOTT, Collector.

The revenue sale will take place to-day in front of Burroughs & Springs warchouse, on College street. The cold weather has put a quietus upon

the skeeter, and the "cheek of beauty and" brow of toil alike," are having a rest. Ice is rapidly disappearing from dinner. tables and par rooms. In a short time it. will be in the average barrel of whiskey

without being put there. A pile of brick has been lying in a gutter in College street, by the side of Chalk's store, for a week. They stop water and are a nuisance any how. Why are they not re-

A gentleman, the other day, was writing an advertiement of a lost pocket book, and before he had finished it, the pocket book was found and brought in. But even after tising does no good.

The Hornet Steam Fire Company, of this city, leave to-night for the Salisbury Fair, taking their engine with them. They will be under command of Third Lirector RE Miller. The Company will do (harlotte

While looking at the remains of the dead men Dulin, on the track of the Carolina Central Railroad near the city, on yesterday, Charlie Black, son of W J Black, fainted and fell over on his face. He was taken to a place near by and laid down on some cushions, when he recovered in a short time.

Guests of the State and City.

During the inauguration of the English nemorial of Jackson the widow and daughter of the illustrious hero will be the guests of the Commonwealth and of Richmond city; and they have accepted the hospitalities of the Governor at the Executive mansfon .- Richmond Enquirer, 16th.

Stifled by Gas.

Mr Luckenback, of the Centennial Gas ing and poured into his face in such a volune that he was stifled and fell over. He was carried into a store, where he revived in a short time, and soon recommenced

For Scarlet Fever.

An eminent physician of Chicago, says he eures ninety-nine out of every hundred caswith gum arabic dissolved in it. " A cloth wrung out in hot water and laid upon the stomach, should be removed as rapidly as it becomes cool.

The Charlotte OBSERVEE local man ex-Will the f ol-killer never come Why should that rash youth thus clamor for his own destruction ?- Ral-

Because he had just spent an hour trying to fish out an item of news from among the adjectives in the Raleigh Sentinel, and felt at the moment, that he ought to be killed for his folly. Satisfied, ain't you?

Commissioners' Meeting W M C R R The Commissioners of the Western North Carolina Railroad met at Salisbury on Tuesday. We are glad to learn that Capt Thos H Allen, of this city, was elected Chief Engineer.

The exclusive right was given Capt F M Wooten, of Wooten's Express, to un an express line over the road, and this line now has an unbroken connection from Wilmington to Asheville, having secured the right of the Atlantic, Tenvesse & Ohio Railroad.

We have not been able to learn what other business was transacted by the Commissioners.

The Centennial Gas Company.

Some complaints having come to our ears in regard to the quality and capacity of the gas furnished by the Centennial Gas Light Company, we have investigated the subject, and, upon consultation with one of the directors of the company, find that the trouble arises from the poor quality of oil now on hand, which was known to be inferior when received but it was thought that it would answer. This will be remedied shortly, and the quality of the gas will be equal to that of the best. This statement is made, instead of a communication which was received on this subject yester He refers to all who have emprable

The Festival Last Night.

It pleases us to record the entire success of the festival which was held last night in the saloon under Smith

dies had it in charge.

The Fall Races Postponed A card from the Secretary, published in another column, states that the races which have been advertised to take place next month, on! Carolina to it was and to rouse out Park, near this city, have been indefinitely postponed, or, in simpler terms, this, as stated to us by the Secretary, is that several parties who have sub-scribed to the races absolutely refuse to pay the amount of their subscrip-

will not be held at all. The cause of tions, and hence the purses which were offered on the faith of these promises to pay, are necessarily withdrawn. We regret this, as there was every indication that the meeting would be a highly successful one; numbers of noted turfmen had written, and would have come, and some of the finest stock in the country would

have been on our course. There is something about this that this some stupid fellow will say that advert is a little "fishy." The Association either advertised races prematurely, or some people have gone back on, their signatures. It is one or the other of the cases, and no mistake, unless money was subscribed conditionally. However this may be, extensive advertisement has been made both by newspapers and bills that the races would take place, and now to say to the people who have made arrangements to come, that the races have been "indefinitely postponed," is not very creditable to the city.

Representatives of the Alabama Gold Life Insurance Company.

On yesterday we received a call from hat genial gentleman and gallant soldier, Gen Stephen D Lee, of Columbus, Miss. The Confederacy well remembers Gen Lee, as one of the bravest and most conspicuous leaders in the West during the war. He was a young man, vet so great confidence did he Trade Street yesterday about 1 o'clock P. M. inspire as a military chieftain, that he repairing a pipe, when the gas began escap- was favorably spoken of as successor to Gen Joseph E Johnston as commander of the entire Western Army. The General is superintendent of several Life Insurance Companies, and among them "The Alabama Gold Life Insurance Company." He will remain in Charlotte for a period of about ten days, on business connected with the above es by giving the patient warm lemonade named company. Judge Pierpont, of Alabama, is with him, and will conduct the agency at Charlotte, and expects to spend the winter here. The Judge has the certificate of the Secretary of the State, as required by the statue, showing that he has examined

> The statement of the Company makes an exhibit of the assets at \$759,537.74, and the income during the present year at \$336,574.92. Surplus to the Policy Holders \$266,921.47. Judging from the name of the Superintendent and his standing in the Southern States, we can cordially recommend the said enterprise to our citizens. .

Marriage of Mr. Beall and Miss Da-

It seemed as if all Charlotte had assembled yesterday afternoon, at the First Presbyterian Church, to witness the marriage of Mr. A J Beall, of Atlanta, Ga., and Miss Amanda, daughter of A B Davidson, Esq., of this city. Train No 1 followed this, and discovered down, had occupants; the galleries were crowded, and hundreds of eyes peered from them into the body of the church, and toward the doors, anxiously awaiting the arrival of the bridal party. The pulpit was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens, artistically arranged, and the partially closed-out light of day, striving with the gaslight for the mastery, made a scene of beauty and interest. The crowd had assembled early, and t chattered and laughed and stretched its week for an hour before the tones of the organ fell upon it and caused the hush of expectancy to seal every ip. a About 6:80 the doors opened, and the bridal party, followed by the candidates for the matrimonial yoke, entered the church and swept up the aisles. They were as follows: it bets

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Dragged to and fro by Three Trains. Details of a Horrible Accident on the Carolina Central Rallroad

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One of the most sickening occurrences we ever recorded, took place night before last on the Carolina Central Railroad, just on the outskirts of this city. It was singularly horrible, not that the loss of life was great, for there was only one victim, but was render. ed so by the dreadful mangling of the unfortunate man. The victim was named Wm Dulin, and his home was about a mile from Poplar Tent Church, in Cabarrus county, On Monday he rode to this city, about 14 or, 15 miles, on horseback, to attend to some ousiness which he had here. Among other things, he called at the Court House, and received from Capt J R Erwin, Clerk of the Superior Court, \$733.45, being his portion of an estate of which he was an heir. He was noticed at this time to be intoxicated. Some time after this he got on his horse and started home. This was late in the evening and he was noticed to be in a very advanced state of drunkenness; so much so in fact, that a friend of his who lives here, urged him to remain in the city until the next morning. This he declined to do, and pro-

ceeded on his journey. Nothing more was heard of him until yeserday morning. Early in the morning it became reported on the streets that a man had been killed the night before on the Carolina Central Railroad, on the way to Phifer's mill. A description being given of the dead man, those who knew him and who had seen him the evening before, became satisfied that the man was Wm Dulin, and subsequent investigation proved this to road and the railroad near "Phifer's field," about midway between the track of the North Carolina Railroad and the trestle over Sugar Creek.

About 6:30 o'clock on Monday evening, train No 5 on the Carolina Central, reached the depot here, two hours behind time. may be remembered that about the hour mentioned a heavy wind and rain storm was prevailing, and that the blackness of darkness was upon the face of the earth. It was about the time this train reached the crossing spoken of, that Dulin got there, and this was the first train which ran over him; though no discovery of the fact was made at

The reporter, as well as many others, visited the scene on yesterday. It can be plainthe company and has faith in its soundly seen that the horse took fight at the approaching train. About fifteen yards from the crossing, there is a cattle guard in the railroad track. The tracks of the horse tell. that he left the dirt road, just before it reaches the railroad, and ran at headlong speed up the side of the latter, no doubt with the train close behind him. Arriving at this guard, he plunged into it, throwing his rider just in front of him on the track and breaking the girth of the saddle, which was left on the edge of the cattle guard. There is little or no doubt that the head of the unfortunate rider struck the railroad iron, and it may be that this killed him. The mangling however, was done by the trains, as related sub-

Mr Love was the engineer of this train No: 5, and Capt J H McRee the conductor. As stated, they knew nothing of having done any damage, and came on to the city. All the eligible seats, up stairs and nothing on the track. Train No 2 left this city yesterday morning, and it was then that the first discovery was made that a man had been killed the night before. The engineer had just gotten to running rapidly, and did not see the body until too late to stop. was lying in the middle of the track, and this train ran over it and dragged it four or five yards. The train was then backed, rnd the depot agent, Mr T T Smith. was sent for. He arrived, and the body was lifted off the track, to be out of the way of trains. News of the casualty was then sent to the Sheriff and as early as possible Deputy Sheriff S. H. Farrow went to the spot where the remains were lying. He examined the clothing, and in one of the pockets of the pants found all money which had been paid Dulin on the evening before, except one dollar, It was by this money and papers in his pockets, that be was identified.

It having been ascertained that Corone Alexander was out of the county, the Clerk of the Court about noon, appointed Deputy Sheriff Farrow to hold an inquest. He sum-monest the following, jurors: A & Trotter, K.C.Timmons, Wm Boyd, J B Ross, Jas C Long, J B Davidson, R B Wallace, G W Chalk, Jos McLaughlin, J. W. Miller, W. F. Cathbertson and Low Perdue, and with where the body was lying. "The writer of last night in the saloon under Smith

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An examination of this train was made, found spattered all over the lower machinery of the locomotive, and a portion of the dead man's shirt was found on the foremost trucks of the third card. About the place where the accident occurred, the fragments of what had been a human being, were scattered all around, and formed a sight which was sickening in the extreme.

What could be picked up of what was once Wm Dulin, was gathered together, yesterday afternoon, by a relative, who had been sent for, and sweepped in a sheet which was placed in a coffin and carried to the family burying ground.

several children of a dead brother or sister. and these lived with him. He was a wellto-do farmer, and bore an excellent character. His was a frightful death, and the circumstances under which it occurred, render it peculiarly sad. The story carries a little sermon with it, but we will let better men elaborate it.

An Illustration of the Power of the Press There is a youth in this city who has a properso appreciation or of a the / influence of the press, and who has a cheek the only component part of which is a metallic substance known as brass. Be it understood that Howes' Circus issued complimentary tickets, printed 'Editorial Depart- KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ment," to other than fournalists, All around the margin of these tickets, are printed dates -signifying the days on which they are to be used—and when a ticket is given for a certain day, the agent who gives it punches the day when it is to be used.

Somebody over in South Carolina had gotten possession of one of these tickets, punched to be used at Spartanburg on the held on to it, we do not know, nor is it to our present purpose to know; but we do know that the person to whom it was originally issued, gave it to a gental young clerk in this city, and that on Saturday night he tried it on the doorkeeper of the circus. As he handed it over and started to pass in, the man at the door called to him and told him be must pay; that that tioket would have been good for Friday but was not good for Saturday.

The clerk looked him straight in the face I must pay, must I? Do you mean that? Very well." And he drew out a note book or an old envelope, and hastily scribbled something on it. "Boy," calling to a negro standing by, "do you know where the Os-SERVER office is?" Receiving an affirmative eply, the "blood" continued: "Well, run up there quickly, and tell the foreman I say to distribute the article I wrote this evening about the circus; I intend to write another one in its place."

The darkey started and the young man began to get out his money. "Never mind." blandly remarked the doorkeeper, I beg your pardon; walk in, sir." And he walked in and looked at the animals and saw the circus; and on Sunday night at church he held his hymn book up high and sang bass, and when the benediction came he bowed his head same as a willow.

Ordination of Rev. W. M. Hunter, as Pastor of the A. R. Presbyterian

On yesterday, Rev. W. M. Hunter, who has supplied the pulpit of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Charlotte for a year past, was regularly ordained as pastor of the Church, by a committee of the Presbytery appointed for the purpose. The services began shortly after 10 o'clock, and were introduced by Rev. A. Ranson, who called the body to order and invoked the divine blessing upon the exercises. After prayer and singing, Rev. J. E. Pressly moved that the Rev. J. E. Pressty moved that sale state of North CAROLINA, Superior trial sermon of the candidate be heard, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Superior Court. and Mr. Hunter, after reading a part of the 1st chapter of Paul's First Epis tle to the Corinthians, selected his text from the 30th and 31st verses of the chapter: "But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption: That, according as it is written, He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord." The sermon showed that great thought had been bestowed upon it, and gave evidence of the cultivated mind of the young minister. The idea sought to be conveyed, was the insufficiency of man's efforts to save souls without the saving grace of God; that Paul might plant, and Appollos water, but

in trusting that the splendor of the up, the trunk was nude, and was a perfect manner, and when this part of the ex-

ercises was finished, the pastor was regularly inducted into office.

Rev. J. R. Pressly then addressed the new pastor, charging him conceraing his duties to his Hock, and counselling him of the obligation resa verdict until to morrow at 11 o'clock, at ting upon him to faithfully minister which time the engineer and fireman, of the to the spiritual wants of the charge first train will be examined. over whom he had been called to be shepherd. This concluded the exeryesterday morning. Blood and brains were cises of the day, and the congregation was dismissed with the benediction. There was another sermon at the

church last night, by Rev. J. E. Pressly.

COMMUNICATED. The Fall Meeting on Carolina Park

Indefinitely Postponed.

EDITORS CHARLOTTE OBSERVER! Owing to circumstances over which the Executive Committee have no con-

trol, the races which were to have come off at the Carolina Park, at this place, Deceased was a man about 35 years of age. on the 17th, 18th and 19th of Novem-He was unmarried, but was the guardian of ber, have been indefinitely postponed. Persons wishing further information, can obtain the same by enquiry at the office notississum D. O. Maxwell.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Be sure and call for Dr Bull's Cough Syrup, if you are troubled with a bad Cough or Cold It will give you relief. For sale by every respectable Druggist One bottle 25 cents; five bottles for \$1 00.

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All members who propose to visit Salis-bury are hereby ordered to observe the following instructions: You will assemble at your Hall at 4:30 p. m., to-day for the purpose of loading their engine. At same place at 8:30 in full dress uniform prepared to leave for Salisbury on the 9:20 train. W. R. MYERS, Jr.,

ROBT. R. RAY, oct20-1t.

L. J. Walker,

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Give him a call.

PS—Having commenced a new business my friends will please understand that I keep no books. Friends will not ask credit, strangers will not expect it.

W J Hayes, vs. C T Allison and W D Rankin, Administrators of C F Alexander,

The plaintiff in behalf of himself and all said proceeding, returnable before me on the 5th day of Oct. 1875. Now therefore it is ordered that the said case be continued until Thursday the 18th day of November next, and notice is hereby given to all credtors of the estate of the said OT Alexander, dec'd, to file their claims before me at my office in Charlotte on or before the said 18th day of November next.

Mr Koppel, business agent for Mrs C N

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