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THE CITY. CHARLOTTE, N. C., December 20th, 1875. On and after this date, mails will open and close in this office as follows: Northern, delivered 8:30 a. m., close 9:00 p. m.

One week from to-night, then Booth. Old John Robinson's Circus is heading this way. Messrs T J Patrick & Son will put their cotton compress in operation this morning.

Exchange of Circuits. The Raleigh Sentinel says that Judge Schenck and Buxton will make a partial exchange of circuits during the next Spring term.

Application for Consularship. The friends of Dr Wm Sloan, of this city, are endeavoring to secure for him the United States Consularship to Rio Janeiro.

What Carlyle Did for Him. Deputy Sheriff Farrow has had a copy for two weeks past for James Stone, for an affidavit, but has never been able to find him.

Committed to Jail. A negro named Jim Harris was before Justice Davidson, yesterday afternoon, for the recent assault upon Mr Jesse Saunders, near this city.

Tagged and Turned Loose. A little chap arrived in this city Sunday morning, bound for the Western part of the State. He had no company, but a shipping tag fastened on his coat indicated where he was from and where he was going.

No Speculation to be Allowed. We are glad to be informed by the manager of the Opera House, that he has taken steps to prevent any speculation in seats for Booth's performance in this city on Tuesday night of next week.

A Church Incident. A gentleman who was at church the other Sunday, and who sat with the "peanut crowd," in the gallery, mentions an incident which, though small of itself, was so suggestive as to have deprived him of hearing the sermon.

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Astronomical Features of 1876. The astronomical features of 1876, while not possessing any particular marked features, are yet of sufficient interest to justify mention.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen. The Board met in regular session, at Market Hall, yesterday afternoon; present, His Honor the Mayor, and Aldermen Myers, Miller, B. W. Healer, Alexander, Oates, Gordon, Walker, Sims and Dowd.

The Cotton Crop. The crop for this season, it is predicted, will reach 4,500,000 bales. This prediction was made early in the fall when the season seemed unusually favorable for a large and prolific yield.

A Capital Company Coming. The Fifth Avenue Company, which is traveling under the management of Mr Augustus Daly, was on Saturday booked for the Opera House of this city on the evening of the 23d of Feb'y.

Being unable to transcribe the City Subscription Lists, no paper has been stopped yet. Patrons in the city will please take notice that our terms are CASH.

effort to induce the U. S. Congress to re-establish the Branch Mint at this place; and the Mayor also spoke on the same subject presenting a letter received in the city recently by Col Cowles, from our Representative, Mr Ashe, in reference to it.

Highway Robbers—Two More Arrested—Seven Now in Custody. Two more of the scoundrels who have recently been engaged in the business of robbery in and near this city were arrested and held for trial.

Several other witnesses were examined and the proof being regarded as conclusive all those indicted were committed to jail in default of bail in \$1,000 in each case.

On motion of Alderman Myers, the Mayor was authorized to receive applications and bonds, and grant licenses to those who may apply before the next meeting of the Board.

Rooms to Let. Two small rooms, above our Drug Store, on the public square. Apply at once to T. SMITH & CO.

Agents Power. The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases.

MR. EDWIN BOOTH. The popular tragedian, Mr. F. H. ANDREWS, of Booth's Theatre, New York.

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