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CITY BULLETIN.

Business in matrimony is flat again.

Furbish's Fifth Avenue Company will be here before long.

Yesterday was the birthday of that ill-starred son of genius, Robert Burns.

Several gentlemen report having seen a large eagle fly over the city yesterday morning.

The next thing in the amusement line will be on Tuesday evening next, when we shall have Mr Augustin Daly's splendid Fifth Avenue Company.

The prisoners in jail here are "hefty on the sing," and since the Thornbergs have been confined there, the favorite song is "oft in the still-y night."

The unusually large number of beautiful ladies—home folks and strangers—on the streets at different times yesterday and at the theatre last night, was a subject of general remark.

There was something of a Fair-time appearance on the streets and about the hotels, yesterday. So many friends here from abroad, and all of 'em wanting to set up drinks.

We are now informed by a gentleman just from Goldsboro, that the change of gauge of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad, did not begin until Sunday afternoon. It is thought that the work can be finished by this evening.

To the *Concord Sun*: Don't ask sich direc. conundrums. If we could and *would* answer that question correctly, it might make you yourself feel badly, for all we know. "It's a wise child," &c.; you know the balance. Forbear.

The Central Hotel has been crowded during the past two nights. Nearly if not quite every one of its 120 rooms have been occupied, and the spacious dining room has been filled with tables, with a guest in every chair.

Arrested.

We are informed that a man by the name of Dulin was captured yesterday, at Smith Pharr's mill, in this county, charged with the murder of a negro in Mecklenburg county. We could not learn the particulars—*Concord Sun, of Tuesday.*

Lecture Before the National Grange.

We understand that Dr Columbus Mills, Master of the State Grange, has appointed our worthy townsman, A B Davidson, Esq., to deliver a leture upon grasses, before the National Grange, at its next session. Mr Davidson, we believe, has signified his willingness to fulfill the appointment.

Denies the Soft Impeachment.

Down in the lower part of the county, the darkies tell it that Sheriff Alexander washed one of the parties arrested recently in this city, for highway robbery, and he proved to be a white man. The Sheriff however repels the gentle insinuation, protesting that he *never* washed a nigger, under *any* circumstances.

Circulating Library.

Mr Fitzsimmons has succeeded in getting his circulating library in operation. He has established it in the store of Mr H L Koellsch, where subscribers can now go at any time and get newspapers and periodicals, with the understanding that these are to be returned within a given time.

Wooten's Express.

Capt F M Wooten has at last certainly sold out his express line. The trade with the Southern Express Company was closed on Friday night last. Mr Love, the Superintendent of the line, was in this city on yesterday, on his way up the Statesville and Western N C Railroads, to close up the business of the line preparatory to making the transfer.

Y. M. C. A.

Rev Geo A Hall and others, expecting to arrive here last night at 9.15, as announced, have telegraphed from Petersburg, Va., that, by missing the train, they will only be able to reach this place to-night. The Y. M. C. A. meetings announced for to-day, will be postponed one day, and will take place Thursday and Friday, instead of Wednesday and Thursday as heretofore announced.

Revenue Sale.

Yesterday, Deputy Collector W J Coite, sold in front of the Court House, 26 boxes of contraband tobacco from the factories of Reynolds and Brown Bros. Two boxes of very fine tobacco sold for 80 cents per pound; the balance, which was inferior, sold for from 30 to 36 cents. The total proceeds from the sale, reached in the neighborhood of $350.

A Man Who Don't Read.

Charlotte has an intelligent citizen—intelligent in one sense of the word and quite otherwise in another—a man who *can* read and who writes and speaks excellent English, rarely ever committing a grammatical error, who according to his own statement, has not read as much as a column in all newspapers combined for the past four years, and who has not, within that time, read as much as two pages in a book. This is not on account of fear that he will injure his eyesight, but because as he says, he don't want to bother his mind about anything except his business. Until lately, he has not been regarded as one of the busiest men in town, and the case, all in all, is a singular one. The man is interested in what is going on in the world, and likes to talk about it, but read of it, he will not.

Performing to Lunatics.

Wildman and his well known dramatic company gave two entertainments Thursday at the Western Lunatic Asylum, which are said to have been well received by the lunatics, who showed themselves highly appreciative of the talents of the combination. —*Petersburg (Va.) Index & Appeal.*

We hardly know whether to think this a compliment or not. The paragraph is certainly susceptible of a double construction.

Carolina Military Institute.

The semi-annual exhibition of the classes of the C M I began on Monday. It will continue until Friday. The written mode of examination is adopted. On Thursday night the two Literary Societies—Calliopean and Polytechnic—will have their celebration. Rev Mr Harding to lecture, and representatives of the societies to declaim. On Friday, the semi-annual exhibition of the two advanced classes will come off, in which there will be original oratory and original essays by a number of the cadets.

The Courts.

Mayor's Court.—Jo. Davidson, colored, was up for an affray, and was fined $1 and cost.

Henry Davis, colored, was up for an affray, and was fined $2 and cost.

Before Justice Davidson.—Mary Jane Crump, colored, for assault upon Joanna Lowery; fined 25 cents and cost.

Before Justice McNinch.—J. R. Kirkpatrick, in the case continued from Monday, for illegally obtaining a bale of cotton. The case was dismissed at the cost of the prosecutor, and it is due the defendant to say that he did not introduce a witness.

Country Life.

There's nothing like it. That's what all the health writers say, and that's what is said by those who write lengthy and learned disquisitions upon the mental and moral condition of men. Everybody ought to live in the country; the air is fresh and health-giving out there, and there is freedom from temptation and the blandishments of a world that lieth in wickedness. All these inducements to move into the woods were recalled yesterday evening, when the reporter saw three country chaps, aged from 17 to 19, all mounted on mules, each with a jug of liquor in his hand, and all galloping down Trade street, uproariously drunk, and yelling like mad. Let's move to the country, by all means, where we can be pious and healthy.

Last Day of the Charleston Races.

We give below the results of the races on Washington Park, near Charleston, on Saturday, the last day of the sport. The first race was of three mile heats, only two entries, Damon and Mary; race won by Damon in two heats, 6m. 5½s., 6m. 13; the race was for all ages, $400 to first horse, $100 to second. Second race, hurdle race, two miles over eight hurdles, three feet six inches; purse $250 to first horse, $50 to second: entries: Vandal, Jr., Charlie Cheatham, Busy Bee, Oxmore, and Babcock's chestnut mare; race won by Vandal, Jr., time, 4m. 03s. Third race, for all ages, best three in five, purse $400, $100 to second horse; entries: Egypt, Prussian, Lottie Moon, Ascot and Bay Line; Egypt wins in three heats, Prussian an easy second. Fourth race, consolation race, one and a half miles, purse $250, entries: Marmion, John Payne, and Larry Hart; Marmion won the race, time 2.44½. This was the last race of the day and season.

Going for a Magistrate.

On Monday, when Constable King, of this city, went to Pineville, to summon Mr. J. R. Kirkpatrick to this city, for the trial of a case which had just been dismissed by Justice Wallis, at that place, Mr. Wallis, according to the constable's allegation, was very wroth, and pronounced against him in terms quite the opposite of complimentary. Among other things, he threatened to institute action against both the Constable and the Magistrate (McNinch) who had issued the process, and Mr. King states that he feared to open his mouth lest he should be ordered under arrest, notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Wallis' court was not in session.

In consequence of the treatment which he received on that occasion, the officer has sued out a warrant against the Pineville Magistrate, charging him with interfering with him in the discharge of his official duties, and proposes to have him before one of the Justices of the Peace in this city on Saturday next, for trial. The case is an unusual one, and will excite interest.

Mr. John T. Ford.

It is to this gentleman that the people of Charlotte are indebted for the opportunity of witnessing the finest actor known to the American stage, and for another who, in his specialty stands without a rival; we mean Mr Edwin Booth and Mr John T Raymond; and yet is hardly admissible to speak of the two in the same connection—the gifted, quiet Booth, and the hair-brained, erratic, speculative Col Mulberry Sellers, in whom Raymond has sunk his identity. Both of these actors are traveling this season, under the management of Mr. Ford, and he it was who sent them both here. We are glad to know from Mr F. personally, that his impressions of Charlotte are highly favorable, both as a "slow town" and otherwise, and to say that we have the assurance from him, that next season he will bring us other great actors, among them Mr Joseph Jefferson.

Something of Mr Booth's contract with Mr Ford, obtained from the latter, will interest our readers: Mr Booth is paid $600 per night. His contract is for 50 nights, and for this period he receives $30,000. When Mr Ford went to him to make the contract, he proposed to give him what he (Booth) thought he could make in New York. Mr Booth told him that he could make $600 per night there; Mr Ford offered him that much, and a bargain was made. Every night's performance costs the manager of this company $1,000. One of the terms of the contract is, that Mr Booth is never to do any night travel, and never to leave a stopping place before 11 o'clock in the day, unless he chooses to do so. Notwithstanding his heavy expense, Mr Ford calculates upon making $3,000 or $4,000 clear money during his Southern tour. Mr Booth never plays in Washington City, because it was there that his brother killed President Lincoln, and never on Friday night, because it was on that night that the fatal deed was committed.

Cigar Store Reading Room.

Capt J S Shafer, who has for some time past been conducting a cigar store next door to the sewing machine rooms of Col D G Maxwell, on Tryon street, has fallen upon a good idea. He will shortly change the whole interior of his store, re-stock it with cigars, tobacco, pipes, &c., and in addition to this, establish a reading room in the store. Here he will keep files of Raleigh, Wilmington, Charleston, Atlanta, New York, Charlotte, and other papers. The papers will be free, and strangers and others who desire to see some particular paper, and cannot find it in the hands of the newsboys or at the book stores, can go to this reading room and examine it. The idea is a good one and the place will be one of great convenience.

Personal.

That noble old Roman, Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, arrived in this city yesterday morning, and spent the greater part of the day, leaving in the afternoon for Statesville. He will return in a few days.

Judges Schenck, Furches and Cloud, were all in the city last night. Judge Schenck holds Chambers Court here to-day.

The following prominent gentlemen were registered at the Central Hotel yesterday and last evening: Lieut. Gov. Armfield, of Statesville; A. M. Speights, Esq., editor of the Greenville (S. C.) *Daily News*, Col J. M. McCorkle, of Salisbury, Col. S. McD. Tate, Superintendent of the Western North Carolina Railroad, and Col. W. S. Pearson, Master of Transportation of the same.

Engine Passed Through.

A narrow gauge engine passed through this city, on yesterday, *via* the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta and Air-Line Railroads, from Chester to Gastonia, to be used in the construction of that part of the Chester & Lenoir Narrow Gauge Railroad, now being built in Gaston county, across the river from that part already completed. The engine was looked at very curiously by those who had never seen one like it before. It *is* an odd-looking little thing. Its driver is not much larger than the wheel of a baby carriage, and altogether its appearance is so much that of a toy, that one is constained to laugh at first sight of it. The seats of the cars, as may not be generally known, are arranged just as the seats in an omnibus, and passengers are always careful that the car is well-balanced; all the fat people are not permitted to sit on one side, and all the lean ones on the other; but the fat kine and the kind lean are mixed together, and half fat and half lean are made to sit on one side, and the other half in the same way, on the other. These trains, however, notwithstanding their size—or, rather, lack of size—make good time, say 12 or 15 miles an hour.

But here we've gone, when we only started out to tell of an engine passing through, and have written a great rigamarole; and, we fear seriously, have lied a good deal to boot, particularly in that part where the mixing up of the fat and poor folks is talked about.

Mr Booth at the Charlotte Opera House.

When we come to consider the light in which Mr Edwin Booth is regarded by the people all over this vast country; that he stands pre-eminently at the head of the Shakespearian drama; that his mighty genius has carried whole cities by storm, and that his praises have been sounded by press and people for years, it is no wonder that, when a visit from him was vouchsafed the people here, the Opera House was packed and that standing room was barely obtainable. Such was the case last night; and it is worthy to be remarked that the audience was never equalled here on a similar occasion, for brilliancy and intelligence, and never, in the State, in point of numbers.

It had been predicted by some that many would go away disappointed; we are proud to say that this was not the case; the people who *would* have been disappointed, stayed away; and it is better on all accounts that they did. As great as is Mr Booth's reputation, and as much as was expected of him, very few who attended the theatre last night had any idea that they would witness such a piece of acting as was presented. It was not thought that the play afforded that scope which was necessary to bring the great actor fully out, yet who will say now that Hamlet has not its strong points? Who did not, at times, forget time and place, and live and move in the presence of the very Dane himself? In contemplation of the part, one naturally exclaims: "How perfect! How real! How entirely grand and artistic!" Truly, in looking upon Mr Booth, one can join with spirit in Hamlet's soliloqup: "What a glorious piece of work is man. * * * * In form and moving how express and admirable!" He *looks* a very prince; his carriage, expression, his every gesture, is that of the melancholy Prince of Denmark. So entirely perfect and complete was the work in every detail, that it is impossible to point out any particular scene which was acted more artistically than any other. True, in this, as in every other drama, some of the situations are more striking than others; but in none was the rendition in anywise short of absolute perfection. In part and in whole, there was that charming completeness, which inspired the auditor with the belief that nothing whatever was lacking. How entire was the absorption and delight of the assemblage, was demonstrated by the death-like stillness which pervaded the crowded house; only once or twice was the actor interrupted by applause, so fearful was the audience that one single word would be lost.

The play was admirably cast. The Laertes of Mr Warde deserves a more extended notice than can be given it here. It was hardly less powerful than Mr Booth's Hamlet. The others acted well up to their parts, and when this is said, it obviates the necessity for further individualizing.

Mr Booth's appearance here last night, was a grand dramatic success. The audience which assembled to greet him, was a becoming tribute to his genius, and in the welcome which was extended Mr Booth, the people of Charlotte and neighboring towns did themselves as much honor as they did him. Twice was he called before the curtain—at the conclusion of the second act and at the end—and on the first occasion, several floral offerings were thrown at his feet.

The company leaves this morning at 10 o'clock for Columbia. It is a matter of regret to our people that it stays here no longer than one night; a house quite equal to the one of last night, would have witnessed it upon a second appearance.

A Credit Mark in Heaven.

Persons who came up on the Central Hotel side of Tryon street from the Opera House last night, saw a well-dressed white man lying drunk on the steps of a barber shop, with the full glare of the gas light upon his face. This was concealed, however, for some good person, seeing the man's condition, had spread a handkerchief over his face, and no one could recognize him without raising this. We have no idea who did this, but it is very certain that for the little deed, the Recording Angel scored one on the credit side of his account. How much better and happier would the world be, were we all to follow the example of this man, and cast a mantle over the foibles of our brethren!

Capture of the Leader of the Highway Robbers.

Some days ago, Justice McNinch received a letter from a gentleman living at Cool Springs, Iredell county, informing him that Neal Knox, the ring-leader of the band of robbers who have recently been conducting a system of organized robbery on the highways near this city, was then at his (Knox's) father's house near Cool Springs, and advising that an officer be sent after him. In accordance with this information, the Justice issued a warrant and placed it in the hands of Mr H D Leak, whom he deputized to serve it, and the officer started at once upon his mission. Arriving at Statesville, he secured the services of Deputy Sheriff Alexander, who went with him on Monday, to Cool Springs, about 12 miles below Statesville. At midnight; they approached the house where they had learned the negro was staying, and knocked at the door. It would seem that Knox had some intimation that the officers were upon his path, for as soon as the knock was given, he emerged from the house and endeavored to make his escape. Mr L presented a pistol and told him to halt, which he did. He was then bound and taken to Statesville, put on the train, and brought to this city, arriving here yesday morning at 10 o'clock. He will be brought out before Justice McNinch, to-day, for preliminary examination.

We are glad that this arrest has been effected. All the officers of the clan are now in limbo, and the back of the organization is broken. The community is to be congratulated upon this consummation, which has been so devoutly wished for.

Postal Matters.

A very large amount of matter that passes through the mails from this place finds its way back to the senders thereof, by reason of unpaid or insufficient postage, or other irregularity in it. The principal portion of this is in the shape of pamphlets, newspapers, etc.; the letters being sent direct to the dead letter office at Washington. Some persons have the impression that they may add a word or two on the wrapper of a newspaper and still send it as second class mail matter. These persons add the name of the sender to the address, thus: "John Smith; compliments of Tom Brown;" and this addition makes the newspaper or other article come under the head of first-class matter, upon which the postage is six cents per ounce, This sort of matter is all returned to the senders, with the stamps uncancelled or in any way mutilated, thus subjecting the sender to no loss in the way of postage. By erasing the objectionable writing they can send this matter without additional postage, losing only time. For the future guidance of all, we publish a condensation of the postal laws: Mail matter is divided into three classes. In the first class are included all letters—except drop letters—and anything carrying information. For this class the postage is three cents for each half ounce or fraction thereof. In the second class are embraced all newspapers and periodical publications, issued weekly or oftener, from known offices to *bona fide* subscribers and news agents, and all such publications issued less frequently than once a week. On the former of these the postage is two cents per pound. In the third class are included all occasional publications, transient newspapers, posters, sheet music, maps, flowers, seeds, roots, etc., samples of ores, unprinted cards, books, etc. On this class the postage is one cent per ounce, or fraction thereof. Free matter is such is the Congressional Record, or speeches and reports therein contained; also, such speeches, etc., printed otherwise than in the Record; agricultural reports from the Department of Agriculture, etc., etc. All packages of the third class must be so wrapped or enveloped with open sides or ends, that their contents may be thoroughly examined by postmasters without destroying the wrapper, etc.

MARRIED.

In Asheville, on Thursday evening last, by Rev. W. A. Corbett, Mr. J. Hamilton McDowell, and Miss Mollie Blair.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Valuable City Property For Sale.

PURSUANT to two separate Mortgages made to us, as Trustees, by R F Davidson and wife, one registered Book 8, page 147, and the other Book 9, page 403, we will sell at public auction, at the Court House in Charlotte, on Friday the 25th of February, 1876, the very valuable premises, whereon said Davidson and wife now live, consisting of an entire square (8 lots), with an excellent dwelling, good out houses, fine orchard, a beautiful yard, delightful water and everything to make a residence attractive.

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Also fifteen (15) vacant lots on the Carolina Central Railroad, adjoining J P Irwin, Mrs Fanny Ricks and others.

The property will be sold in suitable lots or parcels, of which plots will be exhibited. Terms cash. GEO E WILSON, R BARRINGER, } Trust's.

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Carolina Military Institute.

THE Semi-Annual Exhibition, in original oratory and composition, by the 1st and 2d Classes of this Institute, will take place on Friday next at 7:30 p. m.

The parents and friends of Cadets, and the public interested are respectfully invited to attend. JOHN P THOMAS, Superintendent.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Nervous Debility.

VITAL WEAKNESS OR DEPRESSION: A weak exhausted feeling, no energy or courage; the result of mental over work, indescretions or excesses, or some drain upon the system, is always cured by Humphreys' Homeopathic Specific No. 28. It tones up and invigorates the system, dispels the gloom and despondency, imparts strength and energy—stops the drain and rejuvenates the entire man. Been used twenty years with perfect success by thousands. Sold by dealers. Price $1 per single vial, or $5 per package of five vials and $2 vial of powder. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Address HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE COMPANY, 562 Broadway, New York.

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Male Academy.

I WILL open a School for boys in the brick building, in Mechanicsville, next Monday at 9 o'clock, A. M. Persons wishing to send pupils, will please apply early, as it is desirable that all be present, when the classes are arranged.

Terms per Quarter, ten weeks, payable one half in advance:

1st Grade—Primary Studies, ... $7.50
2d Grade—Intermediate Studies, ... 10.00
3d Grade—Advanced English and Classical, ... 12.50
Contingent Fund, ... 50

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LITERARY CELEBRATION.

On Thursday evening next, at 7½ o'clock, in the Chapel of the Carolina Military Institute, the Rev E H Harding will deliver a Lecture under the auspices of the Calliopean and Polytechnic Societies of the Institute. The ladies and gentlemen of Charlotte, and the public interested are respectfully invited to attend.

E L AHRENS, President C. S.
W H CAMPBELL, President P. S.

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Ten Cent Column.

Advertisements will be inserted in this column at the rate of ten (10) cents per line, for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than twenty-five cents. Eight words make a line.

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