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White Split Zephyr,

AT THE----

P. 74 Grand Central Hotel Store.

how or other there don't seem to be as many fights to the barrel in whiskey no was there reading, and we lend our mite in aid of the used to be, and there hasn't been a case of disorderly conduct in a good while

Beit KnoWn to all men that On next

One Patriot Only. The banks were all doing business, yesterday, just as usual, and only one person in all the city made any attempt at celebrating the birth day of the father of his country. He rushed through Tryon street early in the morning, exclaiming: 'Rah fer Wash'ton's birf-day, forf July ! Zat's whaz I say ! 'Ray fer Jorg !" Raley

Personal.

E. B. Drake, Esq , of the Statesville American, was in the city on yesterday, in attendance upon the railroad meeting. and efficient Special Agent of the Post Of-

service, was in the city on yesterday. J. M. Gudger, Esq., of Burnsville, Yancey county, the Solicitor of his district, arrived at the Central Hotel last night.

Transferred to Statesville Jail. Andy Thornberg, the son of Jo, both crooked whiskey men, has been taken from jail here, where he has been in confinement for about a month, to the jail in Statesville, there to serve out a six months' term. He escaped from Statesville jail several months ago, four days after he had been put in, and now says that he intends to serve out the remaining five months even if an opportunity is given him to escape, as he is tired of being hunted and bedeviled.

Five Points Improveing. The Five Points are being broken up. One

of the principal houses of the locality-s arge one where much of the gambling was done, and much of the villainy was concocted-is being moved out, and "For Rent" is posted up on several doors. We do not know, yery well, whether the community is to be much better or not for this breaking up, after all; for the Pointers wili only change their bases, and are sure to corrupt the morals of whatever other spot they settle in.

The Insurance Building.

boys to rally to defeat it. It makes fine ings, are the real lords of the land. This is

cause by reproducing it just as it is written : war, and its influence for evil upon the risng generation is incalculable. thursday the 17 day Of feb 1876 the Electon Come off on the fence and All perSOns on able to Get out on tHat day Send me WOrde and i Will

state of society which had just been portrayhall them thir for i Want to defeat that ed, were timely and well put. The reverend fence Operation tack Notice and dou not leT no One fule you A bout the day but com out like men A nd let us Raley lik gentleman urged upon the young men to always maintain their self-respect, and to premen around the Poll againSt the fence fer to live and die in obscurity rather than laW men yOu muSt All come Out and VOte With us for yOurSelvs giv me notice Be four that day Jo cathey Baley Boys win wealth and power by dishonorable means

+0+ ing proceeded to point out some of the char-

Almost a Fire. The residence of Mr J R Gillespie, near Davidson College, narrowly escaped destruc-Col. Thos. B. Long, the accommodating tion by fire early yesterday morning. The family had risen about 3 o'clock, for the fice Department for this division of the purpose of being ready to take the train for tact with his fellow men, saying that the Charlotte when it came by, and soon after they all rose, a son of Mr Gillespie went up stairs with a candle to look for something. After he had come down, an explosion was

heard above, and in a moment the stairway and indeed the whole house was filled with smoke. All hands ran up stairs, and found that in the room where the youth had been, the bed and almost everything else was on fire. The candle had probably been sitting on the table and the flames had been communicated to a pile of papers lying there. On the table there was also a bag of powder; this was what had caused the explosion, and it had also cast the fire all over the room. Persistent and well directed efforts

saved the house, but a good deal of damage

From the Knife to the Altar.

About two weeks ago we published how Caldwell Henry carved John Nail, near Shepherd's X Roads, in the Southern part of Iredell county. John was stabbed dangerously in the pit of the stomach, and for awhile it was thought he would die. But he lina novelist. But above all things, the was engaged to be married and dying was young men were charged to read the Word not in his mind at all. The day for the marriage had been set, and the stabbing occurred about ten days before it arrived.

Though the wound was a deep and a bad one, and the doctor advised quiet and per-

organized and ready for business. The President then read his report which

one of the most painful results of the late was adopted. The Secretary then read the contract entered into by Mason Young, Esq. Executor, and W R Myers, President. Af-This part of the lecture was particularly ter which, Col A B Springs offered the folfine, and the deductions drawn from the lowing resolution ;

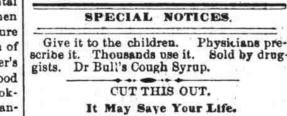
Resolved, That the contract entered into between the Atlantic Tennessee & Ohio Railroad Company and Mason Young, Executor of Henry Young, deceased, on the 15th day of Feby, 1876, be, and the same is hereby ratified ; and that the President be required to attach to the same, the seal of the com-

From this branch of his lecture, Mr Hard-Unanimously adopted. Mr C A Carlton then offered the following resolution : acteristics of the gentleman, and touched Resolved. That the thanks of this comfirst upon his manners. Omitting those of pany are due and are hereby tendered the judgment creditors for their forbearance, the drawing room, he spoke of those on the and kind indulgence in withholding the streets, on railroads and steamboats, and in execution of their judgment. all other places where he is thrown in con-Unanimously adopted. No other busi-

ness being presented, on motion of Col gentleman under all these circumstances is Johnston, the meeting adjourne !. A. W. JAMISON,

J. J. GORMLEY, Chairman.

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LL parties who have not paid their Tax-es, are hereby notified that no further indulgence can be given. I will be compell-ed to settle in full with the County Treasurer, in a few days, and, in the meantime, if steps are not taken to cancel the taxes now remaining appaid for theyears 1874-'75. the claims will certainly be put in the hands of a Deputy for collection. It will be a very disagreeable duty on my part to be forced to sell the property of any man, but as I am legally liable for the taxes still due, the collection of the same will be enforced without fear or favor. This is positively my last call to delinquents to come forward and settle without delay. I can always be found at my office in the Court House. M E ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

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Important Sale.

THE Real Estate of Robt F Davidson, in-cluding some valuable City Lots and two Tracts of Land, will be sold on February 28th, at 12 m, For particulars see hand bills. MEALEXANDER, bills. feb22 1w Sheriff

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dressing, calculated to excite attention and comment. The style of conversation was

quiet and unobstrusive, never forcing himself forward and always maintaining a dignified modesty and freedom from those things, such as loud talking and flashy also dwelt on, and the abbreviations and the

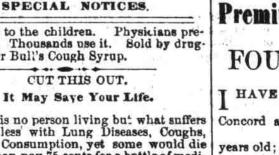
slang now so prevalent were animadverted upon in severe terms. The advice given in regard to mental culture was very excellent. The young men were advised to discard the trashy literature of the present day. Novels were spoken of and some recommended. Scott's, Cooper's and Dickens' works were spoken of as good training for the mind ; Macaulay was spok-

was done the room where the fire occurred. en of as the grest master of the English language, and reading of his history was recommended ; those addressed more particularly were advised to read English reviews and Daniel Webster's speeches. While speaking upon this branch of the subject, the lecturer paid a very handsome and deserved compli-

ment to "Christian Reid," our North Caroof God not only for the good to be derived from it, but also for its wonderful majesty and lofty eloquence.

We have left unsaid a great deal that we ought to have said, in presenting an outline The failure of the Southern Life Insurance | fect rest, the young man rallied from his bed | of the lecture ; but we must be content with Company, did not stop the progress of the of suffering, and when the wedding day ar- this and with saying that it did great credit

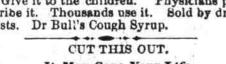
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