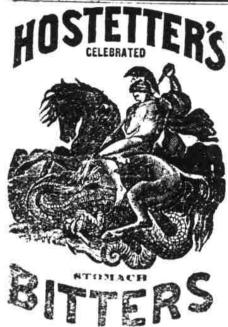
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C. N. Vance-For rent. S. M. Howell-Florida oranges. etc. Witthowsky & Baruch-Cloaks, etc. R. B. Alexander-Chickens. Two gold rings found.

South Atlantic - colder, partly cloudy weather, light local rains, northerl winds and higher barometer.

LOCAL RIPPLES.

- The craze quilt in McSmith's show window will be raffled at 8:30 this p. m. -Mr. Ferrel Henry, who lives about two miles from the city, went out bird netting last Thursday night and captured ninety seven partridges.

-The train from Richmond, due here yesterday at 1 o'clock, did not arrive unt 18 o'clock last night. The delay was caused by an accident to a freight train on the Virginia Midland causing a blockaded track. Nobody was hurt. -Up to 12 o'clock last night the raf fling and voting at the H. N. R fair were in full blat a d lots of fun was

being had. Mi-s Murray won the cake: Mr. Charles Adams the set of silver knives and forks, and Mr. Tom Franklin the china set. Other prizes will be published to-morrow. -The rates of travel during the holidays next week, have been reduced to 4 cents per mile round trip, on the Air

Line, and . n : first class fare to any point and return on the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta ro: d This is supplemental to the North Carolina and Richmond & Danville rates announced yesterday.

Miss Carrie Murray, of Raleigh, is vis-iting the city and is the guest of Miss Lil-Miss Mary Osborne daughter of Rev. E. A. Os orne is spending the holidays with friends in the city.

Presents by the School Children. Prof. T. J. Mitchell, superintendent of the Charlotte Graded Schools, received a very pleasant surprise yesterday morning at the hands of the pupils of the white graded school, who presented him with a beautiful clock, having a rotary pendulum and costing \$15. This is quite a handsome testimonial of the esteem in which Prof. Mitchell is held by the pupils, and attests his pop ularity and success as a superintendent. Mr. L. E Quin one of the teachers. was presented with a complete set of Shakespeare's works, handsomely bound and printed, by the scholars of

Another Enterprise in Prospect.

The Lincolnton Press received yesterday contains this item that will interest our Charlotte readers: "Prominent among the f-w enterprises to which the great timber resources of this State pronounced by all judges to be far superior to any made North, but he is making these casks from timber gotten here at home, and so popular have his casks become that he finds it impossible to keep up with his orders. In order to secure better shipping facilities. Mr. Kidder contemplates moving his manufactory o Charlotte. If he does it will open up a new market for such timber as he uses, and will result in much good to this section.'

A telegram was recived in the city yesterday from Ches Carley & Co. stating that they would have a man here to-day to take charge of their office Grayson's whereabouts are still nuknown to the officers The Georgia detective who was here working up the case, left yesterday for his home, remarking that there was no use in fooling with this case, any longer. How Grayson got his information of the contemplated arrest is still a mystery. It was evidently communicated to him by some friend who knew the police had the papers, but how anyone outside of police circles became possessed of such information is the question that bothers. It is certain that Grayson did not leave Charlotte or any of the railroads, and he must have

gone through the country and boarded

the cars at some neighboring station.

That he has gone there can be no doubt.

The Georgia authorities will have to set

their trap again and watch and wait for

Where is Gray-on?

the fe-tive forger.

A Turkey, a Colt and the Boy. Major Jim Harris bought a Christmas turkey yesternay. He had a colt and wanting to send both turkey and colt to his farm near the city, pressed his nephew, a lad of about 10 summers into service, with instructions to lead the colt and carry the turkey in his hands as he feared the turkey might flop its 356 Prizes, intributing.......\$13,050

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Plan of Lettery similar to that of the creek, he concluded that he would ride the balance of the way and leading the Remittances should be sent by Ex embankmen to the ground below, a dis tance of fully 15 feet. He was terribly stunned by the fall, being knocked insensible for a short time, but no bones were broken and he is now rallying from the effects. Why the boy chose the bridge, the very worst place he could have selected for tr ing his experiment. is one of these questions that are handed down from generation t generation unsolved. The hero of this adventure is a son of Mr M. L. Harris, who lately removed to Mecklenburg from Concord and one time not long ago while riding on a wagon load of corn, he fell off and the wheels ran over him, but he sur-

> Any one who picks up a stray turker about this neighborhood should consult with Major Harris. The colt has been

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

As a Nerve Food. Dr. J. W. Smith. Wellington. Ohiosays: "In impaired nervous supply ! dec22 | have used it to advantage.'

ADIEU TO SANTA.

The Tour Completed and Our Escort Bids us Farewell for Another Year. "I have shown you around to all the fancy establishments in the city," was Santa's salutation as he walked into our office last night. "I have shown you everything pretty in the way of presents, and I believe your readers have profited thereby, for we have given them a daily handbook upon which they could rely, and in which was pointed out to them not only all the latest and most appropriate presents of every character. appropriate presents of every character with which my headquarters in Charlotte are supplied this year, but the places at which they were to be found. It has saved the shoppers a great deal of trouble, besides giving them a clear idea of what to buy. It has been a task, to be sure, but if we have succeeded in our aims we ought to be satisfied. Now we will take the path once more to night and our duty will be done." The reporter accompanied the tireless old sant and first halted at the establishment of

R. B. ALEXANDER whose stock of Christmas goods appears to be well-nigh inexhaustible. He has a full and general supply of plain and fancy groceries, candies canned goods &c., and can furnish the condiments

was next visited, and his splendid stock of groceries was carefully inspected. Nothing that one could expect to find in a really first class establishment was missing, and a good many things were seen that one would not expect to find Sims has everything that can be called for in his line, and at prices that suit the times.

store was found to contain the same order of goods. They have a very tempting array of candies, plain and heavy groceries and Christmas novelties for old and young. Christmas shoppers will find their house a most desirable establishment to visit and anything that can be called for in the fancy grocery line will be forthcoming.

"And now," said the patron saint, "there is one place we have overlooked, and one which the ladies of Charl-tte would never forgive us for neglecting. and that the establishment of Mrs. J. B. Harrington, on Trade street. Mrs H. does artistic stamping that will not rub or blur on any material, and she keepribbon, plush, ch-nille and Aracane embroidery—just the thing for the la-dies—and about which gentlemen are expected to know little or nothing This paragraph," said Santa, "is for

HEAVY GROCERIES. circuit is now completed. I'll not see you again but I'll be in Charlotte Monday night on my regular visits to the children Tell them to hang up the biggest stockings they can find, go to bed early and leave the rest to me.

tainly and probably may \*top, about the 20th of next month. She travels, eats and sleeps in her palace car, a cosy vehicle, with accomodations for Mrs. have given rise is the spirit cask manu-factory of Mr. G. P. Kidder at Moss Neck, Robeson county. Mr. Kidder is not only manufacturing a cask that is writing desk, library filled with books. and a piano. The kitchen occupies one end of a car. It has a range and all utensils for culinary purposes. Two doors in the hallway, which extends from the entrance to the kitchen, keeps the

> New York City: Miss J McNeill, Thomasville, N C; Jas E Ehrlich, Baltimore, Md; M H Snavely, Oregon county, Pa; J H Hanna and wife Boston. Mass: Miss ary M Johnson. New York: F H Mor-row, Richmond. Va; W M Francis. Atlanta. Ga. JF Smith, County; P Harkins, Henry's, Va: W T Charles, Memphis, Tenn; S H Clark, Baltimore, Md; J W Robinson Richmond, Va. W Purdue, City: J Keyer, J W Young, New York; R O Palmer, Salisbury, N C; M L Davis, Pineville, N C; L B Davis. Concord, N C Pride Jones, Hillsboro. N C; George S Cassin, Atlanta, Ga; W L Lyons, Clio, S ; Miss Louise Morgan, Asheville, N C; J D Gardner, Wilmington N C; H F Hart, Baltimore. Md: iss Carrie Page, Mooresville, N C; W W Rankin. N C; J D Helme, Monroe. N C; L P Hills, Geo P Jennings, Atlanta, Ga; Jno Hirst, N ; H R Quinn. Baltimore, Md.

CENTRAL HOTEL .- Mrs Dr Estes, Miss

DAILY CHARLOTTE OBSERVER: SATURDAY DECEMBER 22, 1883. A GANG OF KIDNAPPERS

Intimations of a very exciting attempt at kidnapping in the town of King's Mountain, night before last,

for the biggest kind of a Christmas din-

BARNETT & ALEXANDER'S

"People do not all buy in small lots, emarked Santa, "and at this time of the year, the wise man will be found laying in his supply of substantials and good things while prices are cheap. For the benefit of all such, we will make a small memoranda which will be found advantageous, and without which we cannot close our labors. It is to recom mend them to the following firms, who can supply them with the necessaries as well as the luxuries of life in any quantity-large or small: Mayer & Ross. Springs & Burwell, W. J Black & Son. J. M Miller 'and." added Santa with a knowing wink, "Fred C Munsler. The

The Jersey Lily Coming. Nat Gray, the city dramatic agent and professional bill poster is negotiating with Mrs Langtry with the view of having her stop over here on a Southern trip, and thinks he will succeed. Mrs Langtry will pass through Charlotte cer-Langtry's two maids, a male cook, a por-ter and a waiter. Mrs. Langtry's parlor is richly and tastefully fitted up. The floor is covered with handsome Axminister carpet. Scattered about are costly furs and robes. On the walls are gems of paintings and Indian curiosities. From the top of the salon are suspended two birds in cages and several Japanese smell of cooking from the salon. Although compact with no room to pare, the house on wheels is very cozy and

Hotel Arrivals.

BUFORD HOUSE-M Foate. Jno Martin,

Alice Wilson, Miss Esther Wilson, Cascade, Va: B P Landers. Pulaski, Va. J H Wyse, Lexington, S C: A M Stack, Trinity College, N C: Miss Mary Griffin, Miss Alice Shute, Monroe, N.C. J.T Mat-thews. N.C. A.C. Izard, S.C.; J. H. Merritt, W J Capps. Fort Milis, S C: Miss C L Mathewson, Augusta Ga; R H Crawford, Chicago, Ill: R J Patterson, W A Barber, R D Crow, Kings Mountain, N C. H W Davis, J H Finch, Atlanta, Ga; T L Cornwell. Kings Mountain, N C; J T James, Richmond, Va; R W Tregerant, Columbia, S C; Millard Wood, Danville. Va; J O Houston and wife. Salisbury, N C. Reid Russell. Miss Jessie Grey, Rockingham; Rev J S Black, Wilmington, N C, N E Baker wife and 2 children. Rockingham; J H Bisaner. Lincolnton, N C; E Pascal Bradley, Kings Mountain, N C; T R Jackson, Cincinnati; J W Robertson started to mount, when the turkey gave a vigorous flop of its wings. The colt bolted off the turkey flew away and the little fellow was precipitated of the constipated should use of the constipated should use them. little fellow was precipitated down the embankmen to the ground below a dis-County, N C; Miss Hattie Morganton, W J McDemott, Memphis; W B Wilson, Jr, Rock Hill; Pringle T Youmars, Columbia, S C: W B Davis, New York; R H Biggers, Rock Hill: J L Hicks, Spartanburg, S C; Wm Roller, Kidgsport, Tenn; Alex Smith, Church

Hill, Tenn; Jno Miller, Pineville, N C;

A M Smyre, Gastonia A R Banks, Shellie

Haile. Fort Mills, J H Porter. South

Throw King's Mountain Into a Great State of Excitement-Nine Marked Men Attempt to Kidnap Mr. Geo. Cooledge's Children, but Fail .- Four Captured and Committed to Jail.

reached the city yesterday, and last night's mail brought us the following particulars in regard to the affair: 'Our usually quiet town was thrown into a fever of excitement last night by an attempt on the part of a gang of villainous looking men to kidnap the children of Capt Geo. E. Cooledge, superintendent of the King's Mountain gold mine. It will be remembered that Capt. Cooledge has a suit pending in the courts against Emma D. Cooledge, his wife, for di vorce, and some time ago in a suit for the custody of the children, tried before Judge Gilmer at Chambers in the city of Charlotte, the Judge gave the children to Capt. Cooledge, and it is presumed that our town is indebted to Mrs. C. for the trouble of every effort in her power for some time past to get possession of the children. But be that as it may, last night as the north bound express was from some cause or other became detached from the engine about two hundred yards below the depot, and a party of eight or nine men in rubber overcoats, left the train and proceeded in a body up town and in the direction of the house of Mrs. Coolidge. The alarm was instantly given and quite a number of our citizens were detailed by the marshal as special police. The house of Mrs. Cooledge was soon afterward surrounded and four of the gang captured. The others, we suppose, gave 'leg bail.

A preliminary trial was had to day before A. V. Falls Esq., and one of the party gave evidence for the State. His name is C. A. Kimbrell and hails from Spartanburg. The other 3 were bound over to appear at the next term of the Superior court, in a heavy bond each, and having neither the security nor the funds necessary. they were escorted to jail at Shelby by sheriff Suttle and Mr. D. S. Mc-Guinnis.

The names of the men sent up are Frank Burns, J. L. McCall and W. J Parks. They are a murderous looking set and we would advise the peoole of this country who have recently been burglarized to go to Shelby and take a peep at this rogues gallery. If there are any others let them come, we are ready.

Haverly's Minstsels.

Haverly's Minstrels will play in our opera house the evening after Christ mus and everybody should save enough money to buy tickets. The show is endorsed thus by the Elmira Gaz tte:
"When Haverly says a thing he means it, and hence Haverly's Minstrels are the best, the most enjoyable and the fresh est and most vigorous of modern minstrel troups. So much of real original novelty has not been seen here in many a long day as was heartily enjoyed last night by an audience that was simply tremendous, the very walls seemed imbued with a spirit of laughter, and echoed back in high glee the oft expressed jocund applause of the happy hundreds.

The Old Mullein Plant,

GRANDMA'S REMEDY FOR CROCP, WHOOP-ING COUGH AND COLDS. "Having been confined to my bed for which all the remedies my family phy sician prescribed would not alleviate. he, as a last resort, prescribed your Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and ullein,' the first dose of which gave me instant relief, and prevented what the doctor considered imminent danger of pneumonia. In three days I was perfectly well Five years ago my oldest daughter had measles. leaving her with a cough which followed her up to the first of this year. Nothing would give her any relief until I tried your wonder ful medicine. She is now entirely well My youngest child had a severe case of membranous croup and was relieved at once with two doses of the Remedy, and as long as I have a bottle on hand I never feel alarmed about croup.

MRS. S. J. KNOWLES, Atlanta, Ga. Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein is for sale by all leading druggists at 25c. and 31 per bottle. Manufactured by Walter A. Taylor. Atlanta. Ga., proprietor Taylor's Premium Cologne.

The Poor Ye Have Always. H. C. Flanders, superintendent of the alms house, Weare, N. H., certifies: "A helpless, afflicted woman, bedridden for banisher, St Jacobs Oil, now gets from her bed and knits stockings.

Farmers who know that tobacco stalks are a very valuable manure. be-cause their ashes contain a great portion of potash, perhaps do not know that Dr. Bull's cough syrup is the best cure for coughs and colds.

Memory is the treasury of reason, the the registry of conscience, and the council chamber of thought, but what is memory without reason, and judgment? It is these last that convince us that we can't get safely through the winter without Dr. Bull's cough syrup.

WINSTON. Forsyth Co., N. C. Gents-I desire to express to you my thanks for your wonderful Hop Bitters. I was troubled with dyspepsia for five years previous to commencing the use of your Hop Bitters some six months ago. My cure has been wonderful. I am pastor of the First Methodist church of this place, and my whole corgregation can testify to the great virtues of Respectfully. REV. H. FEREBEE.

No other medicine has won for itself such universal approbation in its own city. State and country, and among all people, as Ayers' Sarsrparilla. It is the best combination of vegetable blood purifiers, with the iodide of potassium and iron, ever offered to the public.

A clear head is indicative of good health and regular habits When the body feels heavy and languid, and the mind works sluggishly, Ayer's Cathart-

AKONI, ARK., Oct. 26, 1883.-For the Bennett, Wadesboro; Miss Mary Lafferty, sake of the balance of mankind who W A Nisbet. R N Shelton. Davidson | may be suffering, I wish to give you my College J H Reid, Iredell; L D Hargrave, W C Maxwell, City; Wilson G Lamb. Williamston. N C: Jas R Crenscription of the control of the contro shaw, J W Cobb, Richmond, Va; A L have had sores on me as large as a man's Stough Shelby; Dr T F Costner. Mt hand for that length of time, and last Holly. NC; T L Lowe. Newton, N C; summer was so bad off that I could not F G Irwin. Cabarrus: W E Yount, Pine- | wear any clothing. Every body, includville, N C; E B McGilvay, Davidson Colling myself, had given me up to die, and lege; Jno C Tipton. Lincolnton: O D | said I would be a dead man in three Price, Rutherford; Miss Laura Yates, City; E B Watts, Philadelphia; Jno C Mills. Burke County Chas B King.
New York; Geo E Reab, Charleston, S had ruined my system with mercury C; F.M Wilkes, S C; Mrs E M Hayes, and potash, when a friend told me of the wonderful cures of Swift's Specific, I got it and began its use, and soon found it was just what I wanted. In a short time it cared me sound and well. Thousands of dellars could not buy from me what Swift's Specific has done for me. The county officials, and in fact everybody in the county will bear witness te what I have written, for I S. Carolina, J McKinnon, Raleigh, N C; E was a well known case.
W Barrett, Augusta, Ga.

Was a well known case.
Yours respectfully, R. L. High.

A Louisiana Convention .-- A Negro Lynched by Negroes for Killing a ... White Man.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 21 .- At the Democratic convention at Baton Rouge yesterday, Warren Eaton, of New Orleans, was nominated for Superintendent of Public Education. All the nominees except Cunningham for Attorney General, belong to the McEnery faction.

A Picayune Vicksburg special says the negro named Howard, who killed Pat Flynn near Skipworth on the 18th inst., while being conveyed to jail yesterday, was taken from the sheriff by negroes and is believed to be lynched. It is the first case on record where a negro was lynched by negroes for killing a white man. Fire in an Insane Asylum.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.-A dispatch was received at police headquarters this morning from Ward's Island announcing one of the wings of the lunatic asylum in flames. Another dispatch received a few minutes later from office of commissioner's charities and corrections stated that the fire was a very large one. The police last night, as she has been making boat and police reserves were ordered to the scene, and also two fire boats and fire engines from the city.

The following dispatch was receiv ed at police headquarters at noon. nearing King's Mountain, the cars | The firemen are working vigorously upon the fire and have succeeded in getting the flames under control. No lives lost.

Business Failures. NEW YORK, Dec. 21.-The business failures of last week as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., mercantile agency, number for the United States 281, and for Canada and the provinces 42; total, 323, compared with 325 for the previous week. The bulk of the failures or sixty per cent. of the whole occurred in the Western and South ern States, the Eastern and Middle States not showing any great increase over average.

Dry Goods House Burned. GALVESTON, TEXAS. - A special to the News from Barn's Texas, says P. M. Harrison's dry goods store was destroyed by fire yesterday morning loss, \$19,000; insurance \$7,500. The building was owned by Hale & Scott, lawyers, whose loss, including their

library, is \$15,000; no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. A Railroad Accident. ACRON, ALA., Dec. 21.-The north bound New Orleans express train on the Alabama and Great Southern railroad struck a broken rail near here last night and was derailed. The Pullman sleeper rolled down the embankment. Mr. Jas. Lynch, of Cincinbati was badly injured.

Sontav Reported Captured. London, Dec. 21.-A Hong Kong dispatch dated to-day to Reuter's telegram company states that it is reported there that the French forces nder Admiral Courbet have captured

New Orleans, Dec. 21 -P E. Zazzarin's factory was burned yesterday; loss, \$20,000.

Flashes From the Wires. Admiral Courbet has been gazetted as a grand officer of legion of honor. The Czar of Russia is suffering from an injury to his shoulder caused by being thrown from a sledge. Ten men were put on trial in Glas-gow, Scotland, for dynamite conspiracy. Five were convicted of all of the charges and five of the first charge

only. The sant five were yesterday sentenced to penal sentinde for life and the others to seven years. The French losses at Sontay are re-ported to be 3 officers and 67 men killed and 10 officers and 170 men The fighting was very stubborn. The east wing of the insane asylum

on Ward's Island was completely destroyed. There were 1,320 male patients in the building, and although a panic occurred, they were taken out without injury. The origin of the fire is unknown. The refusal of a market man in the City of Mexico yesterday led to a quarrel which resulted in a riot.

were called out and fired on the rioters with blank cartridges. Silas Lowe, colored, sentenced to thirty days.

which was not quelled until troops

Almost Insane and Cured. "Most of the eminent doctors in the East as well as several of the medical faculty in New York city," writes Rev. P. P Shirley, of Chicago, "failed to help our daughter's epilepsy, which befive years, by the use of the great pain- gau to says signs of turning into insanity. By the good providence of God we tried Samaritan Nervine, and it cured

her." Your druggist keeps it. \$1.50 Josiah Davis's Trouble.

Josiah Davis, No. Middletown, Ky. writes: "I am now using a box of your Henry's Carbolic Salve upon an ulcer, which for the past ten days, has given me great pain. This salve is the only remedy I have found that has given me any ease. My ulcer was caused by varicose veins, and was pronounced incurable by my medical doctors. I find, however, that Henry's Carbolic Salve is affecting a cure.

ASHBURNHAM, MASS., Jan. 14, 1880. I have been very sick over two years They all gave me up as past cure. I tried the most skillful physicians, but they did not reach the worst part. The lungs and heart would fill up every night and distress me, and my throat was very bad. I told my children I never should die in peace until I had tried Hop Bitters. I have taken two bottles. They have helped me verv much indeed. I am now well. There was a lot of sick folks here wlo have seen how they helped me, and they used them and are cured and feel as thankful as I do that there is so valuable a medicine made MRS. JULIA G. CUSHING.

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OPERA HOUSE.

be hanged at Rolling Fork. Miss., yesterday, has been reprieved for KIT. CLARKE, - - - Proprietor. Manager. THE BLACKBIRDS OF A NATION

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