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NOLEN TALKS OF SOUTH

te Intelligent Popple Lee Taking Much In-routh of the South-should be Done to with of the Clifes-Park and Tree

John Nolen, of Cambridge, the well-known landscape arta guest in the city, stopping at thern Manufacturers' Club. For month or more, Mr. Nolen seen in the North advising with lients and lecturing here and on the many special phases of work He left New York Tuesevening, and made his first stop nasville Wednesday. Mr. Nolen to supervise the laying off of the ids and walks in the grounds about e Thomasville Baptist Orphanage id he stopped there in order to make

cough topographical map of the ad-

Mr. Nolen is well known in Char-otte as architect for the park and tree n. He has visited the city ite often during the past year and ecome thoroughly interested in lines of civic improvement. He now ares that Charlotte is just what might be termed a transition age. The people are beginning to ouse themselves to the fact that arouse themselves to the fact that they must look to the future and prethemselves accordingly. He bethat Charlotte is to become a city, for the industrial condigreat city, for the industrial the be-tions are such as to guarantee the belief. Such being the case, it is the part of wisdom the anticipate such growth. No one will question the advisability of establishing parks in the city. In many of the great cities they are to be found in the very center of the business sections.

It is the task of the Charlotte Park nd Tree Commission to establish of resort in and about the city. Nolen has been secured to assist n this work. Several fine sites have ady been secured and others are templation. Recently additionland has been obtained north of Indence Park, near the old water

An Observer reporter had a very pleasant chat with Mr. Nolen in the club parlors yesterday afternoon. He is in the city for a few days only, leaving to-morrow night for Mt. Airy, Ga. He is to speak before the municipal league of Greenville, S. C., Tuesday evening. Wednesday he will go to evening. Wednesday he will go to Statesville, Thursday to Davidson College, returning to Charlotte Friday. no as to be present at the meeting of the park and tree commission that

night. For the past month I have been in the North," said Mr. Nolen. ever I have gone, questions have been asked me about the South and its wonderful development. All are being turned towards the uthland, and the interest is wellish universal. For instance, Tuesday ight, in New York city, I attended the annual meeting of American Solety of Landscape Architects and afdinner, as we sipped black coffee, I said a word about the stirring of interest along these and other lines in the South. The discussion was an interesting one and continued for some time. A few days before, some provania, asked me to give my impressions of the economic conditions here. Three weeks ago, I lunched with Prof. A. B. Hart, of Harvard, and we dis-

STRANDED IN WASHINGTON. Sikey Miller and Edward Ervin, of Churlotte, in Custody at the Capital City-Irate Father Will Not Send Ticket to Miller Boy. Chiet of Polke H. C. Irwin yester-day received the following telegram from Maj. Richard Sylvester, superin-tendent of the Washington police: "Sikey Miller, 415 North Pine street; Edward Ervin, 512 North Pine street; Edward Ervin, 512 North Pine street; tranded and in custody as fugilives from parents. Notify parents to send tickets for their roturn." Toung Miller, who is 46 or 17 years old, is the son of Mrs. H. Miller, the tallor. Ervin is the son of Mrs. J. R. Ervin. Chief Irwin polified the parents and transportation was sent to the Ervin boy.

Ervin boy. When the chief approached Mr. Mil-ler and told him of his son's straits the tailor replied, "I did not tell my son to leaf. I vill not sent the mon-ies for him to come back."

"They may send him to the roads," suggested the chief. "Vel he had no business for to leaf and I don't care," declared the irate

father. SALES OF AVERY BOOK GROWING

Many Orders Being Received From Out of Town Dealers-Many Fa-

vorable Reviews. Mr. George Stephens states that the sales of the Avery book are increasing, especially among the out-of-town The reviews have been most lealers. favorable and the interest is growing Quite a number of orders have received within the past several days. Those who have been engaged in mailing copies to subscribers in the city have had a great deal of difficul-ty in locating the parties to whom the books are to be sent. Many orders have been received, but on the or-ders no street addresses were given. Hence the delay with some of the deliveries. Those who have not yet re-ceived copies should communicate with one of those in charge and no further

A Negro Loses a Foot Under the Train.

trouble will be experienced.

Nat Johnson, a Davidson negro, who had been to Winston-for whiskey lost one of his feet at Mooresville, last night, by trying to board the westbound train as it pulled out of the pard for Statesville. He had gotten corks plant, and the plans are to be orde so as to include this plot in the core to Davidson, but seeing the Statesville train pull out he imag-ined that he was about to be left. He made a dash for it and fell under the wheels with the result as above stated. As the train pulled up at Davidson ast night, a negro asked if Nat Johnson was on board. Some fellow broke the news to him, informing him that Nat's traveling bag was at the station at Mooresville.

Mr. Rock Sells His Store.

Mr. W. D. Rock, who for several cears has conduted a private 10 cent store, at 209 South Church street, has old his stock of goods to the Spray Merchantile Company and will discontinue the business. He will devote all of his time to his farm, which is located three mile northwest of the ity.

The Spray Merchantile Company will take the goods to Spray, in Rocking-ham county, where they will be added to the stock of a 10 cent store.

A FEW REASONS WHY THE

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TO HELP THE SOLICITOR.

Several days ago, mention was made of the fact that a law and order leasue had been organized in the city. The officials are Col. R. E. Mason, presi-dent; Dr. H. M. Pressley, vice presi-dent, and Mr. J. H. Ross, secretary and treasurer. The object of the organization is to assist the Size solicitor in the press

The object of the organization is to assist the State solicitor in the prose-cution of the many liquor cases which are sent up from the lower couris. Owing to the multiplicity of his other duties, it is said that the prosecuting attorney has heretofore had little time to devote to the pushing of such cases, which are oftentimes long and tedious. In a word, if such cases were to be prosecuted as they should, help would have to be secured. This is the aim of the law and order league, to furnish this assistance. Mr. Cameron Morrison, one of the

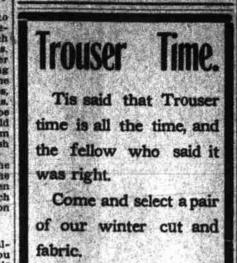
most energetic and capable of the young attorneys of the city, has been retained to assist the solicitor in such cases. He will begin his work as soon as necessary.

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On account of the absence of with enses in the only case on the docks here was no session of the city polic the youn arrested all Thurse ipe fron Capt. Ell Laird, a freight

on the Southern Railway, was arraign ed and his case continued until this



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ed nothing but the negro question And so it goes.

"The South is synonomous with opportunity. Wealth is moving South and the future is one of unarecedented growth. It is proper that proparations should be made for this increase in population. The task of making any city convenient, healthy. and beautiful, with substantial opportunity and means of happiness for all lasses of people, is no easy one. It requires persistent and well directed effort, firm faith in the outcome, and willingness to appropriate small sums, regularly and cheerfully. This I am sure the people of Charlotte will do."

CARP BY THE THOUSAND.

The Catawba Pond at the Big Dam Full of Large German Carp.

Ten years ago every farmer who had a suitable place made a fish pond and stocked it with German carp sent out by the, United States government. cklenburg was full of private fish ponds for a while, but alas, the floods came, broke the dams and carried the fish into the larger streams. After the big dam of the Catawba Power Company was completed carp began to appear there in great schools and today the place teems with them, weighing anywhere from nothing to four ds. One fisherman caught 28 large ones the other day. Places are builted with bread or dough and then hooks or haskets set. The carp is not very bread or dough and then hooks or same; he does not put up much of a tht when hung on a hook. His fiesh s tough and he is not very fine for

Mr. W. E. Younts Injured in a Wreck. Mr. W. E. Younts, who travels for the Little-Long Company, was pain-fully hurt Wednesday in an accident to the train running between Charotte and Taylorsville, two cars of which were detailed. The Mascot, of tatesville, described the accident to fr. Younts as follows:

Mr. Younts was in the passenger car nd was putting on his coat prepara-ry to leaving the train. When it opped so suddenly he was thrown ith much force against the seat, but not realize the extent of his inries. He got out and walked up to here the wrecked cars had stopped d there he fainted. It was seen he a hurt and a carriage was summon-and he was carried to the States-is Inn. He is much better this afm and hopes to return to Charotte in the morning.

Largest Enrollment Ever. emroliment of the city graded s is greater than ever before in story of the city," declared Su-endent Alexander Graham to a er last evening. "And," added ofessor, "the schools are in bet-

professor, "the schools are in bet-shape than ever before." "he total enrollment at the three cois is \$225. At the South graded col the enrollment is 1163; at the rih schol, 789; at the colored school 5. The total enrolment in the school 5 rear was 3.095.

MAY LIVE 100 YEARS. to chances for living a full con-are excellent in the case of Mra-ie Duncan, of Haynesville, Ma., 70 years old. She writes: "Elec-Bitters cured me of Chronic opsis of 28 years standing, and a me feel as well and strong as ung gbt!" Electric Bitters cure with and Liver diseases, Blood dern, General Debility and bodily met. Sold on a guarantee at Jordas & Co.'s drug store. and Fec.

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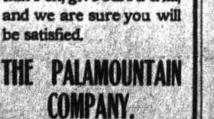
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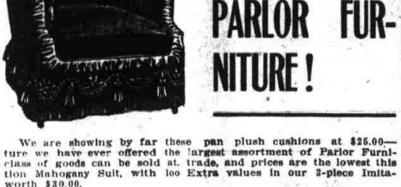
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