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PUBLISHERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

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Every Day in the Year.

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PREPARING FOR TROUBLE IN CHINA.

A Washington dispatch says that reports continue to come to the State Department, the effect of which is not divulged, to the effect that conditions in China are still unsettled and unsatisfactory.

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Our government purports to see in the situation a threatened danger that would have to be met by force, and met promptly.

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AN UNJUST DECISION.

We get from The Mason Telegraph details of a remarkable libel suit brought against The New Orleans Picayune by a physician who won his case. The physician or surgeon employed the Lorenz method in straightening the limbs of a child.

The court below decided in favor of The Picayune, holding that no wrong had been done the plaintiff and that there was obviously no evil intent on the part of the defendant.

In welcoming the delegates to the convention of cotton-growers in New Orleans last week, Mr. J. M. Parker, ex-president of the New York cotton exchange, said: "Let us increase consumption of cotton and keep our acreage up to the limit to supply it."

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The Supreme Court of Georgia has done what the United States Supreme Court failed to do, to-wit: decided that the recorder's court of the city of Macon cannot without violating the State and Federal constitutions send a man to the chain-gang for violating a city ordinance.

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The trustees of the South Carolina College have placed football under the ban. Somehow or other those institutions that have the most ambitious teams do not seem inclined to interfere with the game.

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A LARGE DEPENDENT INTEREST.

Interesting conferences were held in Charlotte Friday and Saturday in the interest of the proposed Appalachian forest reserve, and as bearing upon the subject there was published in yesterday's Observer a valuable table showing the names, location, production, etc., of the cotton mills in Piedmont North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia which are operated by water power.

The New York World says that when James W. Osborne was making charges against Mr. Jerome in the last campaign the gravest accusation was that the district attorney would not prosecute the insurance criminals.

"THE NATIVITY" RENDERED. An Audience That Filled Tryon Street Methodist Church to Stand in Room Hears Second Rendition of the Cantata A Fine Concert.

IN A GRAVEYARD. John Hay. In the dew, depths of the graveyard. I lie in the tangled grass.

DAY NURSERY ANNIVERSARY. Dr. A. C. Barron's Memory to be Honored. An Interesting Programme Arranged.

A very interesting meeting is being planned by the Day Nursery Association to celebrate its fifth anniversary. It is to be held at the First Baptist church Wednesday afternoon.

Prospective Depot Improvements at Spartanburg, S. C. Two prominent officials of the C. & W. Railway, Chief Engineer Porter and Trainmaster Boerger, both of Augusta, are in Spartanburg this week.

STATUS OF MILL CASES. Original Suit in Lucas-Miliken Case to Come Up in Federal Court on Special to the Union Hill Suit.

SYMPATHY. The sunny weather is not so bright. If there is no one to share it; If the cloudy weather is twice as dark; If nobody helps us bear it.

So give us a hand and a merry word. And a smile to drive away sorrow. And we'll be glad to help you. And we'll not be afraid of tomorrow.

ADVISES OTHERS TO GO

Completely Cured by Keeley Treatment and Believes He Will Remain a Sober Man to the End. As Monday Evening Express Now as He Was for a Before.

POETRY TO BOOL. An Observer Subscriber Accompanies His Annual Remittance With Verses Which Are by No Means Bad.

The boys in the front office, the Big Duffer and his force, are overjoyed at the receipt of a check for \$8 and some verses that accompanied it.

Pray note the seeming courteous strain That mingles with its proud disdain As you the copy follow.

"Our draft for eight Of recent date Has been returned unpaid; We must infer From the return were, Hence payment is delayed.

Oh nauseous draught Thy dregs I've quaffed I'm passing in my cheek; Destructive storm Thou riled my form Behold a ruthless wreck!

IN A GRAVEYARD. John Hay. In the dew, depths of the graveyard. I lie in the tangled grass.

Without, the world is smiling. In the dew, depths of God. But the sunlight falls and falters When it falls on the churchyard sod.

NEW LIBRARY FOR WOFFORD. Sum for What Purpose Made Available in Will of Late Julia Smith.

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Worry is the mother of sick, nervous and troubled mentality, upsets the entire physical system. The body is a net-work of nerves. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea soothes and relaxes the nerves.

A Token of Appreciation.

The Sunday school of Tryon Street Methodist church yesterday afternoon presented Mr. W. B. Swindell, who will leave to-morrow for his new home at Greensboro, with a beautiful watch for an appreciation of his work in the school.

The Observer Shop. Catawba County News. It was our privilege and pleasure to spend a few moments in the office of the Charlotte Observer Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Abernethy, of Hopewell, spent yesterday in Dixie.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if CAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN

The Observer will send A. D. T. Messenger, without charge, to your place of business, or residence, for advertisement for this column.

WANTED.

WANTED-Boys and girls to sell tickets for Poultry show. Apply upstairs No. 19 West Fifth street.

WANTED-50 salesladies; 25 salesmen and 25 check boys to work at mill-end sale. Apply at office Wednesday at 10 o'clock The Little-Long Co.

WANTED-Competent, accurate young man stenographer and assistant to bookkeeper; chance for ambitious young man to rise in first-class business. Address in own handwriting. "Kim," care Observer.

WANTED-Registered druggist, must be in good condition. Address, "B.," care Observer.

WANTED-For U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men between ages of 18 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Office, 11 West Trade St., Charlotte, N. C.

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FOR SALE. Two large wall cases, oak, handsomely finished; length 8 feet, each, extreme depth base 29", height 67"; extreme height to glass doors, 68"; rollers, practically new, English & McLarty, No. 8 North Tryon street, Charlotte, N. C.

FOR SALE-Cottrell drum cylinder press, prints 6-col. quarto; in good condition; requires 2 H. P.; will erect if desired; price \$25 and wages of erector. Journal, Spartanburg, S. C.

FOR SALE-Established business, \$40,000 annually; new stock consisting of general merchandise; fine glass doors; on long lease on new brick building with 1,500 square feet floor space; well located on car line on principal street in Spenser; stock offered at 20 per cent. on inventory if taken at once; terms to suit; owner unable to give time to this line of account of other business. B. V. Hedrick, Spencer, N. C.

FOR SALE-Two good 25" Atherton pickers; replaced by 40" machines. Fidelity Mfg. Co., Charlotte, N. C.

FOR RENT-The entire three-story brick building, \$2,125, with cement basement at 210 South College street, now occupied by International Harvester Company of America. Apply at building or to W. E. Burrell.

FOR RENT-8-room house; modern improvements, oil car lines, House, care Observer.

LOST. LOST near Matthews; purse containing three ten dollar bills. Reward if returned to postoffice at Matthews, N. C.

LOST-A scarf pin; star, with pearls. Return to Observer and receive reward.

MISCELLANEOUS. BANDS, wanting an instructor. Write Alfred Williams, Spartanburg, S. C. Young bands organized and taught.

DOCTOR wanted in town of 500 people; also drug stock for sale. Apply Box 24, Pineville, N. C.

ASSAYING. CHEMICAL ANALYSES. ORES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

C. R. MORGAN & ENGINEERING CO. 24-26 W. 5th Street, Charlotte, N. C.

The Little-Long Co. WHOLESALE HATS FOR Spring and Summer 1906 TIME AND MONEY SAVED

It makes no difference what jobber, either in New York, Baltimore, Richmond or elsewhere, sells you Hats and Caps, he will not and can not sell cheaper or give better terms than we.

This season we are showing the largest line of Men's Furs, Men's and Boy's Straws and Panamas and Ladies' and Children's Sailors and Trimmed Hats.

- Men's Fur Hats, - - \$6.50 to \$24.00
Men's Straw Hats, - - 2.00 to 22.50
Boys' Straw Hats, - - 1.50 to 6.00
Ladies' Straw Hats, - 2.00 to 21.00
Misses' Straw Hats, - 2.00 to 12.00

Malagas None better than ours, as we never bought a second for this year, and we know we under-sold last year, and this year we have still lower prices on Malagas.

Our Traveling Men will call on you soon. Wait for them. We guarantee prices, regular terms or a big discount for cash, and promise to show you a big line of all kinds.

Hats for At-Once Shipment We have in stock, some jobs of \$9.00 to \$12.00, at \$6.50 and \$8.00 per dozen, assorted styles and colors.

Also a lot of Staples in Black and Colors, together with several of the New Spring Styles at \$9.00, \$12.00 and \$18.00 per dozen. Also the New "Dilworth" \$2.50 Hats.

The Little-Long Co. Wholesale and Retail.