Greater Charlotte Club, to the secretary of the company, Mr. John S. C. boys. If this could be brought about, it was one not acquainted with the writers comparing here to that of the famous Clara also Kallagg. The singer has been united in the past the choir of one of the leading at Side churches in the metropolis a has appeared as a soloist in my limportant recitals there. It asid that Miss Penneld's oratorio a dramute aria singing is especified to this class of music than light songs. The fexibility of here ce and her ability to render to fection compositions that requires an and well developed colaretura as also been much written about a favorably spoken of. In the real favorably spoken of. In the real favorably spoken of Hidden's duct, irds of Passage," for soprano and a second the second to the second the second to the court of the court was incompositions that requires a leo been much written about the rendition of Hidden's duct, irds of Passage," for soprano and a second to the second to

the programme is a very varied and interesting one. The recital is given with the view of aiding the bano fund of the Y. W. C. A. and here is no doubt that this worthy nuse will help to make the affair mancially and socially a great success. The programme follows:

aymaking"
"Years at the Spring"
"Ah, Love Put a Day."
ymphs and Fawns"
"Irds of Passage" (duet).....

LAWYERS CHANGING ABODE.

After this week the Piedmont their new building adjacent to the ing. The new structure is ready for oc cupancy and when two or three places have been given a touch of Int. It will stand complete from basement to roof. All the lawyers, except possibly as many as three, have taken rooms in their new building, and will hereafter be found in the rooms they have chosen there to oc-

is a model of its kind. It is three stories high and is equipped with modern conveniences. It was completed at a cost approximating \$50,cost about \$6,000. Messrs. Hunter & Vaughn, to whom was given the conquick and satisfactory tob. The would have to be vacated by January 1st. To finish the construction by this time, the constructors bent every energy, working a large force of hands at night for the past few weeks, putting on the finishing touches to

The lawyers are happy over their new home. They have anticipated their removal with distinct pleasure, because of the fact that it meant a residence of their own ex-

POLICEMAN SHOOTS BOY.

fired two shots at John Rhyne Tuesnight, merely because he had exploded a firecracker, injuring the boy to such an extent that his resovery has since that time been a matter of grave fear. Moore was visited families in nearby towns. The acting as deputy policeman, according to reports, and when the Rhyne hoy exploded the firecracker, he pulled his pistol and sent a bullet within an inch of his heart, straight through the body, the second shot making only a flesh wound.

The injured boy is a son of Mr. J. Q. Rhyne, a well-known citizen of Gaston county. The reputized police-man had been working for several months as blacksmith in connection with the control of the bridge over the Catawba at Belmont. Faeling is said to be high in the community against him for his rash deed. was arrested at once and sent to jail in Dallas. While the wounds of the Rhyne boy are rather serious, the physicians thought yesterday that he tood fair chances for recovery.

SHRINERS ANNUAL MEETING:

Oasis Temple, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Will Meet in Annual Session Here This Afternoon and To-Night.

The annual session of the Oasis Temple, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, will be held this afternoon and to-night in this city, the meeting to be called at 2:30 o'clock. At the first-named hour a business session will be held and the regular session will be held and the regular initiation exercises will be held at sight. The mist important business to come up is the election of officers the coming year and the naming of four representatives to next im-perial council meeting at St. Paul.

P. C. Linn, Illustrious potentate; W. rest and prophet; A. J. Crampton, istrious high intertainment will consist in part of moving pictures and illustrated songs in a strious oriental guide; Geo. A. especially brought to Charlotte for the occasion.

The Election at Raleigh. er; J. L. Lindsay, illustrious seclal master; R. W. Smith,

Many Visitors.

s was in the hands of her t night. The appearance at my of Music of "Madam

Aside from the inevitable feeling of "the morning after," whether pro-Ill Occupy New Building Adjacent duced by indiscretion in imbibition or to Court House Hereafter, Some by indiscretion in dieting on turkey Moving in To-Day. and its tribe of Christmas delicacies, the world seemed happy—if for no Suilding will assume the appearance other reason than that the memory of of "The Deserted Village," most of a happy day remained to it, written the lawyers having prepared to go in in the imperishable records of its be-

FIGHT AT HUNTERSVILLE.

Lively Fisticus Yesterday in Which Dr. Davidson, and Messrs, W. J. Ranson and M. W. Van Pelt Parwas there informed that he had won

An altercation in which Messrs. Ranson, M. W. Van Pelt and Dr. J. E. S. Davidson participated, oc-The building contains 66 rooms, and station in Huntersville. The trouble which lay behind the licks originated some weeks ago at a criminal term of court, when Mr. Ranson appeared ed at a cost approximating \$50,- as a leading witness for the State exclusive of the lot which in a case against Mayor W. S. Caldwell, of Huntersville. At that time, and while on the witness stand, he tract for its construction, have done made a statement implicating Mr. Van Pelt in a similar, but altogether work has been rushed on account of distinct case from that or Mr. Caldfact that the Pledmont Building well, and it is supposed that this was resented when the two men met yesterday. Dr. J. E. S. Davidson, who happened to be on the scene, sided with one of the combatants and enwas done, the timely intervention of friends breaking up the scrap.

PASSENGERS STILL TRAVEL

Deputized Officer at Belmont Shot the breaking up of the family re-John Rhyne Twice Because He Ex-unions, the breaking away of those crowds of his kind had gathered ploded a Firecracker-Policeman who had returned to renew for a mo- around the store, mixing with a num-Arrested and Sent, to Jail-Boy ment old friendships and to form again ber of curious whites, and Michael May Recover. the old associations. Several of the trains were late and this caused the man overstepped the bounds of his crowds to congregate. Full of varights is reported from Beimont, when riety, cosmopolitan, ever changing, the tush Moore, a village blacksmith, scene was one of distinct interest to one who had no other task than to watch and observe."

As a rule, those who were traveling vesterday and those who will travel today are business men and those who students of the various colleges and schools will not return in any percephe tible numbers for a week yet,

Last Week of Odeon and Mystic. "The Last Week of the Odeon" is the legend on the window of the popnight. The Odeon was the first moving picture show that Charlotte ever had, at least during the recent regime. It was the forerunner of all the oth- tered. ers which have been so popular after the people were educated up to the point where it became a habit to "take in the moving picture shows." Col. W. A. Peters, the manager, is in New

being obviously to the production of "Madam Butterfly." The house last night disproved the statement clearly and proved that Charlotte and the

This afternoon at 5:30 the Christ-The present divan of the temple is school of St. Peter's Episcopal church T. C. Linn, illustrious potentate; W. children are asked to assemble at the Randolph, iflustrious chief rabban; church at 5:15. They will march in B. Andrews, Jr., illustrious assistant a body to the Edisonia. The entertainment will consist in part of

Keen interest was manifested yesterday in Charlotte in the election on illustrious marshal; T. S. Sease, illustrious captain of the guard; R. H. Brailiey, illustrious outer guard; A. E. McCausland, sichemist; L. A. Dodsworth, electrician, and Prof. R. L. Keesler, organist.

L. Keesler, organist.

L. Meccaler, organist. nessed town after town swept into the prohibition column.

GOOD COUGH MEDICINE FOR cademy of Music of "Madam eff," brought acores from outry owns to witness if. At one of otcis, it is said, every unoccupied was engaged in advance. Of the crowds in the streets were offceably increased from this for the city still had on its a time of the sound of decay and weak, attire.

The seasen for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarled fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk Chamberian's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says, "I have never used anything other than Chamberiality, seed health is hard to remain it has always given good sattle-faction." This remedy contains no

A QUIET DAY.

Relief From Explosions Yesterday—Suspension of Fireworks Ordinance Did Not Expire Until Last Night.

Although the suspension of the city ordinance forbidding the explosion of fireworks did not expire until last night at midnight, scarcely a concussion was heard all of yesterday and last night. It may be that the popping populace did not understand what nobody was especially anxious that it should understand, that another day and night was open to it, or else the ammunition Gray, got into it. Alf became involved was open to it, or else the ammunition Gray, got into it. All became involvers of the sticks became tired of their own sport. Certain it is that yesterday was restful and quiet to tired nerves and aching ears. suit him.

NEGRO GETS AUTO.

lichael McRoey Won the Automob Which Was Given Away on the Coupon System by the Foreman-Miller Company Yesterday—A Notable Day For Him,

Jollier than William Gorrell, more melodious than Oscar Jackson, more loquacious than Sid Coles, was Michael McRoey, colored, yesterday the automobile which that firm gave away on the coupon system. It be-Michael than the emancipation, and the voice awarding the prize was oracular.

Michael is just a plain negro. He had risen to no prominence among the colored people of the city, but yes-He talked cleaner English, walked coming dignity.

The automobile was won by num-ber 1692, which Michael held, this being one of four coupons he received a few days ago when he purchased a suit of clothes. It was not long after the hour of the drawing until the negro put in his appearance. Some friend had already informed him of the good luck of which he suddenly found himself possessed, and he strode fast to the firm's store the corner of College and East Spont at Home Crowd Passenger breath when he got there, and in the Stations.

The post-Christmas crowd it was was too overcome to talk coherently. which thronged the yards of the pas- He began at once to prepare for the received wide-spread congratulations, He is the first negro in town to own an auto., and this fact is more significant to him than the winning of the prize.

Poultry Show January 17th to the

The eleventh annual premium list of the Charlotte Poultry Association contains a list of prizes which ought to stimulate the efforts of every fancier. All prizes offered are open to the world. The entries will close Dednesday, January 15th. The Auditorium will be open for the recep-tion of specimens Thursday. January 16th, and those not received by Thurs day night at midnight will be deular moving picture show on South barred, unless unavoidably delayed. Tryon, which is to close Saturday The executive committee will decide such cases. An entrance fee of 50 cents for each single bird is required and \$2.50 for each exhibition pen entered. The exhibition lasts from January 17th till the 23d. The prospects are for a good show.

Patents to North Carolinians.

in the moving picture shows." Col. W. A. Peters, the manager, is in New York, where he will remain several months. The Mystic will also close Saturday night.

Washington, D. C., reports the issue of the following patents on the 24th instant to residents of North Carolina: 874,468, shutter stay and adjuster, T. A. Weston, Arden; 874,614, spindle-driving mechanism, W. T. Noah, Elon College; 874,746, lubricating axle, W. E. Dalby, Hester: 874,790, printing device, A. L. Patterson, Albemarle; 874,873, Toy, Van Sumerlin, Pinetops.

Department's Good Work

The fates have been most kind in dealing out weather to North Carolina surrounding towns appreciate the for the Christmas season. The day heet that there is in things theatrical.

Entertainment at the Edisonia This Afternoon.

dealing out weather to North Carolina for the Christmas season. The day of days, the 25th. was of almost unexampled and perfect beauty and that which followed it yesterday was likewise hard to beat. The weather department is earning its salary how.

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