Representative Dowd, by virtue

to take a leading part in the

ommittee on the regulation of th

liquor traffic, will doubtless be called

discussion of that body, the question

of State prohibition being one of the

MAMMOTH POULTRY SHOW erel, S: pens, 1 and 4. J. E. Meredith, Thomasville-Hep EXHIBITION OF FINE POULTRY

Poultry Exhibits Under Managem of Local Association Comm

of Local Association Compare Payorably With the Largest Shows of the North and Surpass Any-thing of the Kind Ever Given in This Part of the Country—Award-ing Will Be Concluded To-Day and Public Will Be Admitted.

A total of 1.500 entries was made yesterday at the poultry show which will be formally opened to the public at noon to-day, by which time the awards will in all probability be decided upon. There can be no can be no doubt that this is the largest show of its kind ever given in Charlotte; it is also claimed to be the largest ever given in the South, and a representative of a leading poultry jour-nal, Mr. Theodore Perrin, who has visited all the grand exhibitions in the country, stated yesterday that this was comparable with the large shows of the North.

The exhibitions make up every variety of birds and have come from all parts of the South. The birds are a superior kind and fanciers will find here specimens of the best and highest-priced fowls in the country. Conspicuous among the exhibitions are the pens which came direct from Jamestown Exposition and from the Madison Square Garden shows. consisting of Silver Wyandottes and Single Comb Brown Leghorns.

The number of exhibits from local poultry yards is unusually large nd the specimens are prize-winners. Messrs. B. S. Davis, George E. Price, K. A. Alexander, J. E. Thomas, P. Scholtz, W. B. Alexander, L. Hovis, Z. A. Hovis, John P. Green. C. Garibaldi, George L. Krueger, George L. Dooley and many others from this city and immediate territory had placed their pens yes-terday afternoon. Gastonia fanciers

also have fine specimens of different varieties Mr. H. P. Schwab, of Rochester, N. Y., arrived in the city Thursday night and has begun his duties of judging the exhibits. He had his fairly well under way last mittee night at a late hour and believes that he will conclude by noon to-day, when the doors will be opened to the general public. Mr. Schwab exgeneral public. resned himself as surprised to find such a large show here, and spoke in very flattering terms of the superior grade of the exhibits.

The show is being held in prman Building. The room the Norman Building. room is commodious enough to admit large crowds when the doors are opened for general admission to-day. The previous exhibitions held in Charlotte attracted many visitors, and this being so much larger than any heretofore given, the management has a right to expect even greater crowds

Local managers of the event declared yesterday that they had never show as anticipated such a large they find themselves presiding over. annual exhibits of the poultry association within recent years have M. gradually assumed greater signifiance, but there has been nothing to indicate that the event of 1908 would so far eclipse all other records made in the number of entries and the donations. grade of exhibits. Pens have come from the North and from the South, and the birds which are lodged these days in the rooms of the Norman Faid by city for city patients. Building represent the highest productions at the hands of the best-known fanciers and breeders of the

country Cpen accounts \$2,834.53 Cpen accs, January 1906 1,409.34 Increased indebtcdness The admission for gentlemen to-ay will be 25 cents, and 15 cents for ladies and children. ASSETS BOUGHT IN YEAR OF 1907.

BARRED ROCKS.

cockerel, 5; pullet, 1 8. C. BRWON LEGHORNS.

D. S. Thornburg, Cherryville-Cockerels, 2, 4 and 5; putet. 3. ockerels, 2, 4 and 5; punet, 3. S. W. Brown, Charlotte-Pens, John P. Green, Charlotte - Cocks, 1, 2, 3 and 4; hens, 1, 2, 3 and 4; cockerels, 1, 3 and 6; pullets, 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6; pens, 1, 3, 4 and 5. HUCKEYE REDS.

E. R. Oash-Cock, 2; pullets, 3. S. C. BUFF ORPINGTONS. Hardin L. Coe, RichlanJ-Cocks, and 3; hens, 1, 4 and 5; cockerels, Miss Julia P. Jones, Tobaccoville-

Cock, 2; hens, 3 and 6; cockerel, 3; A. Dixon, Charlotte-Hen,

R. C. BUFF ORPINGTONS. Blue Blood Poultry Farm-Cock,

hen,

HOSPITAL NEEDS FUNDS. An Unfortunate Situation Confronting

the Trustees of the Presbyterian Hospital-More Money Needed-What Shall It Be? bert Kuhn vs. Southern Railway Com-The financial condition of the Pres-

Friday, January 24-G. W. Moore vs. Baxter Ross et al.; P. B. Scism vs. byterian Hospital is giving the board The deof trustees much concern. ficit during the year just closed was the Elizabeth Mills; Henry Starnes vs. increased more than a thousand dol- Albion Manufacturing Company. lars or more than \$300 after all the INSPECTING PLANT.

deducted. The report assets are deducted. The report further shows that \$3,493 was expendfor charity work last year, whereas only \$281 was received in the form donations

Plant in North Charlotte-A Model. A fact that stares the trustees of A party of General Fire Extinguish the Presbyterian Hospital in the face: er Company officials, consisting of One out of the three aospitals must President F. H. Maynard, Vice Presiclose its doors, or cut down its charity | dent Russell Grinnell, Mechanical Suwork, or the churches must give it fi-nancial support. Which shall it be? The hospital started in debt, and last Providence plant, and Mr. Henry A. year instead of decreasing, it increas- Carpenter, all of Providence, R. I., is

spending several days in the city in "Speak, Charity, speak now, or forspecting the new plant in North ever hold your peace," is the admoni-tion placed immediately beneath the Charlotte. The party is registered at the Selwyn. above financial statement by the com-The new North Charlotte plant of

the General Fire Extinguisher Comrian Hospital for the year 1907 is givone of the best arranged and most completely equipped of its kind in the en below, and shows that this institution during the past year was instrucountry. It was finished several months mental in accomplishing a great ago at great cost. Recently the stock amount of charitable and good work, of the company, especially the heavy that will long be remembered by those articles and such other stuff as could who were benefited by the same. most conveniently be handled there

Total number days treatment, 10, 410, of which 5.911 were for private was moved to the new plant and cases, 3,134 semi-charity cases, as The main office of the company for 1.365 were for charlty cases; total cost the Southern territory is located in of semi-charity cases, \$4,606.98; paid Charlotte, Mr. J. W. Conway being semi-charity patients, \$3,120; paid Southern agent hospital on semi charity cases, \$1.-

456.98; paid by hospital on charity cases, \$2,006.55; total cost of charity Drug Store Proprietor Bound Over. proprietor of the J. L. Eagles, work of institution, \$3,493.53. Eagle Drug Company, on South Col-Contributions from the various Presyterian churches for the year amount-

lege street, was tried before Recorder Smith yesterday morning on four ed to \$381.30, of which the First of liquor selling, and bound charges church gave \$143, the Second church, over to the Superior Court under \$105, Tenth Avenue, \$82, Westminster, bonds aggregating \$400, which \$41.43, Robinson church, \$420 and Y. signed by Thad Tate and Dr. J. T. Wil liams. Simon Perry, who was also indicted for the same offense, was A deficit of \$3,113.23 is noted in the cost of charity work as compared with the leading witness against Eagle. RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR.

Mr. F. M. Shannonhouse represent-ed Perry, Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick represented Eagle, and City Attorney 251.3/ John A. McRae assisted the court in the prosecution. The triangular bat-1,265,20 tle was heated at times and hard fought, each attorney finding himself 14.4:0.9 frequently in the midst of complica Total collections for year ..., 16,144.43 tions and enigmas not easily escapable, . . .

> A Side Light on the Negro Problem. 1,453,19 One of the most delightful of the many enjoyable stories appearing in 746.04

CALENDAR FOR SECOND WEEK. LEGISLATURE NEXT WEEK.

upon

Revised Calendar of Cases For Second Mecklenburg to Be Ably Represented --No Expense Money should Be Accepted From the Radways. Week of Present Term of Court Ar-

The revised calendar for the second State Senator H. N. Pharr, and Representatives W. C. Dowd, E. R. week of the January term of Superior Court has been arranged. It follows: Preston and W. A. Grier, will leave Monday for Raleigh, to attend the special session of the Legislature. Monday, January 20-Hall M. Erwin et al. vs. Charlotte Cotton Mills; Rufus Foreman vs. Scaboard Air Line which has been called to convene Tuesday, the 21st. Railway Company and Southern Rall-way Company; W. M. Smith, adminis-trator, vs. A. T. & O. Railway Com-It is needless to add that Meck-lenburg county will be ably representof his office as chairman of the House

pany Tuesday, January 21-W. D. Harris vs. Southern Railway Company; W. D. Rock vs. J. E. Lemmond and wife; Margaret Wilson, administratrix, VS. Southern Rallway Company; Ernest Couser vs. Isam Stover. Wednesday, January 22-James E.

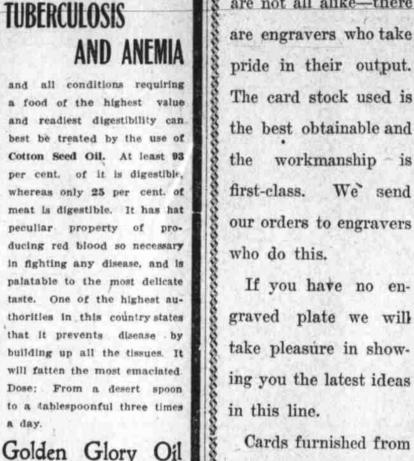
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Coggins vs. A. & C. A. L. Railway Company; J. E. Henderson vs. Newell Patterson and Alexander Gabriel; Charlotte Hardware Company vs. W.

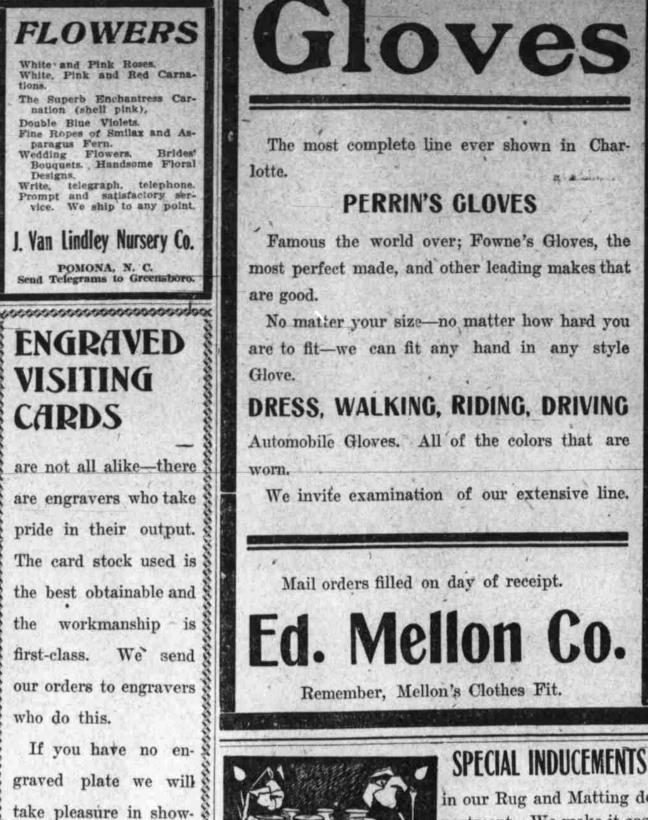
A. House Thursday, January 23-Mary Helms vs. Charlotte Electric Railway, Shop Company; J. T. Beason vs. Western Union Telegraph Company; Lam-

roads with any part of the expense of this special session. He declared it contrary to all proper modes of pro-Light & Power Company; Weld, Col-burn & Wilkens vs. La Marguerite cedure and something which should not be permitted for a moment, Anniversary Service. The ! anniversary service of the Charlotte Young Women's Christian Association will be held in the parlors of the Second Presbyterian

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PERRIN'S GLOVES

vital topics slated for consideration. The session promises to be a most interesting and vital one. Representative Preston, in talking with an Observer minn yesterday, stated his absolute to any opposition move looking towards taxing the rail-

Tuesday nighe. The speaker of the evening will be Rev. Meiton Clark, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of Greensboro. A delightful

pullet, 4. pullets, 2 and 5. Blue Brood Poultry Farm-Cocker-

W. Squires, Charlotte-Pen 1.

Blue Blood Poultry Farm, lotte-Hens, 1, 5 and 6, cockerels, Euilding and Loan 2 and 3; pullets, 2 and 3; ; ens, 2 and Total ...

B. S. Davis, Charlotte-Cocks, 1 and hens. 3 and 4: cockerels, 1 and 6; pullets, 1, 4 and 5; pens, 1, 4 and

J. K. A. Alexander, 'Charlotte-Cocks, 5 and 6; hens, 2; pens, 6. W. L. Ormand, Bessemer City-

Cocks. B. Frank Kelley, Bishopville, S. C.

Robins & Jeffrey, Ral-igh-Cock-

Mrs. T. B. Smith, Durham-Pul-

Set, 6. BUFF ROCKS.

Rodbins & Jeffrey-Cock. 1: hens, and 4; cockerels, 2 and 6; pullets, in the city.

and 6; pens, J.
W. B. Alexander, Charlotte—Cock,
pens, 1 and 2; cockerels, 1 and
pullets, 2 and 5.

E. P. Scholtz, Charlotte-Cock. 3; cockerels, 3 and 4; pullets, 3 and 4;

pens, 2 and 3. T. H. Strout, Burlington-Hens, 5

PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTES.

E. M. McGhee, Charlotte-Cock.

W. H. Brice, Rock Hill-Cock, mens, 2 and 4; cockerels, 4 and 5; pullets, 5 and 6.

Sandy Run Poultry Yar.Js. Ellen-boro-Cock. 3; hens, 1 and 3; cock-crels, 1 and 2; pullets, 2 and 3. Z. A. Hevis, Charlotte-Cocks, 1 and

2; hen, 5 and 6; cockerels, 3 and 6; pullets, 1 and 4.

SILVER WYANDOFFES.

Blue Blood Poultry Farm-Cocks, 1 and 2; hens, 1 and 2; cockerels, 1, 2, 3 and 4; pullets, 1, 2, 3 and 4, E. C. Simpson, Waynesville-Pul-

dets, 5 and 6.

WHITE WYANDOTTES. Robins & Jeffrey-Cock, 1; hen, 2;

cockereis, I and 5: pullets, 2. E. M. McGhee-Cock, 4 R. W. Umphreys, Clifton, S. Cock, 3; hen, 6: pullet, 1.

J. K. A. Alexander-Co. ck, 2: hens,

3 and 4; pullets, 3 and 5

Hardin & Beal, Gastoria-Hens, 1 and 5; cockerel, 4; pullet, 4 D. A. Hodge! Granite Quarry-Pen, 1

J. W. Issley-Ockerel, A. White, Hickory-Pullet, W. Isstey-"ockerel, 2 Dr. GOLDEN WYANDOTTES.

Nevin Pouliry Yards, Charlotte-Cock, 3: hens. 2 and 3.

BUFF WYANDOTTES.

H. G. Harper, Charlotte-Cockerel,
3; pullets, 3 and 4; pen 1.
Dr. L. W. Hovis, Charlotte-Hens,
1 and 2; cockerels, 2. 3 and 4; pulleter

Jets, 1 and 2. R. C. R. L RED3.

W. L. Saunlers. Durham-Cock. J; hens, J and 4: cockercie, 2, 3 and
4: pullets, 2, 3, 4 and 5; pen 1.
E. R. Cash. Gaffney, S. C.—Pen, 2.
Mrs. J. C. Deaton, Landis, S. C.—

Cockerel, 6; pen, 2. N. V. Sanders, Durham-Cock, 5. T. S. Bailey, Gaffney, S. C .- Cock,

Occonnerchee Farm. Hillsborn-Corks, 2 and 4; hens 5 and 6; cock-erels 1 and 5; pullets, 1 and 5, W. S. Todd, Greenwood, Del.-

Mens. 1 and 2. S. C. R. I. RED3.

E. M. Hunneycutt, Concord-Cock, 3; hens, 5 and 4; pullet, 6; pen. 3. Dr. R. E. Ware, Shelby-Cock, 4; hens, 1 and 2; cockersis, 1, 2 and 4; pullets, 2, 3 and 5. C. H. Smith, Charjotte-Cock, 1;

Ben, 6; pullet, 4; ren, 4. E. R. Cash-Cock, 3; hen, 5; cock- antly with his many friends.

Increased indubtedness after de-Guiting assets for the year ... 22 Hespectfully submitted, JAMES R. ALEXANDER, Secretary and Treasurer. While the above report may indicate that the charity work of the hospital is somewhat hampered by lack of funds, the report cannot but cause much satisfaction to those wird have given their time and money to the institution when they review the large pr. J. W. Lasley, Burlington-Cock- amount of good work that the Presbyterian Hospital has accomplished during the year 1907. The report is from the standpoint of good accomplished, one of the best ever issued and shows

that the hospital is doing a great work LEE, THE MODEL MAN.

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Address by Rev. Dr. J. B. Scherer at the Y. M. C. A. To-Morrow After-noon—A Special Lee Celebration Service.

What promises to be one of the most interesting meetings ever given under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association will take place Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the

Academy of Music. The meeting will be in the nature of an anniversary service of the one hundredth and first birthday of General Robert E. Les, and will be ad-dressed by the Rev. Dr. J. A. B. Scherer, president of Newberry Col-lege. Dr. Scherer has chosen for his address for the day, "Lee, the Model Man." This address was recently Man." given at Spartanburg, S. C., to an audience which was the largest ever

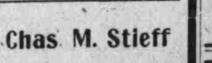
gathered in the city. Dr. Scherer is well known in Charlotte because of his several addresses given under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, and St. Mark's Lutheran church.

The meeting promises to be largely attended and the special guests of the day will be the Confederate veterans, the Hornets Nest Rifflemen, and the local artillery company. The meet-ing will be for men and women and the Stonewall Jackson Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, and the Children of the Confederacy are especially invited to attend. The especially invited to attend. The meeting will be at 5 o'clock, the usual time for Y. M. C. A. meetings.

Club to Be Ready by the Summer. Mr. L. T. Nichols, manager of the Carolina & Northwestern Rallway,

the an address at the Lee-Jackson birth-day celebration, which is to be given under the anapices of the Daughters of the Confederacy. Mr. Craig spent the day in Charlotte very pleasCollier's is that this week by Margaret Busbee Shipp, entitled "One Who Served." a poignant sidelight on the AFTER THE FIRE negro problem in the South. The au-thor is one who should be well in-As a writer formed on the subject. she has few equals in the South. **DOSN**





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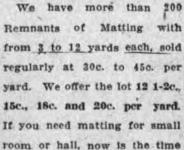
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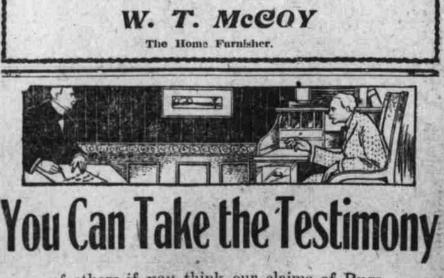


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one leading to Linville and the other to Blowing Rock. The construction this road is now progressing at the Linville end.

Mr. Locke Craig in the City. Mr. Locke Craig, of Asheville, pros pective Democratic nominee for governorship, spent yesterday in the city on his way from Burgaw to Concord, where to-day he will deliver

Office 69; Residence 125.