

SPORTING NEWS

Summaries at City Park. New Orleans, Jan. 21.—The feature of today's races at City Park was the six-furlong race, which was won by Blaz...

Kansas City Six-Day Race. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 21.—Maintaining an average speed of nearly twenty miles...

LENOIR PEOPLE INDIGNANT. Recent Change of Schedule on C. & N. W. Considered Outrageous—The Road Returns Evils For Good—Mystery of Stolen Money Not Yet Cleared Up.

Special to The Observer. Lenoir, Jan. 21.—The people of Lenoir are very much exercised over the recent change of the C. & N. W. Railway's schedule.

MILL WORKING OVERTIME. Great Demand For High Point Hosiery—Rev. J. L. White, at Baptist Church—New Alderman Sworn In. Special to The Observer.

TO ENTERTAIN S. S. CONVENTION. Burlington Will Give Sabbath Workings a Royal Entertainment—Surveying Begun For Street Car Line. Special to The Observer.

MARRIAGES. Rives-Bilbro Invitations. Greensboro, Jan. 20.—Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Lucy Rozella Bilbro and Mr. Charles May Rives...

Litaker-Barnhardt, in Rowan County. Special to The Observer. Statesville, Jan. 21.—Mr. M. L. Litaker and Miss S. J. Barnhardt were married Sunday evening at the home of the bride's father...

Cassell-Mendenhall, at High Point. Special to The Observer. High Point, Jan. 21.—A marriage took place here yesterday between two High Point people whose combined ages were 160 years.

MacKesson-Carlton Engagement Announced. Special to The Observer. Statesville, Jan. 21.—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Mary Carlton, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. P. C. Carlton, of Statesville, and Mr. Louis W. MacKesson.

AS TO RESTORATION OF TRAINS.

Passenger Agents of Southern in Conference With Salisbury Merchants—A Ray of Sunshine to "Wet" Salisbury—Mrs. J. F. Preston Returns to Her Home—Death of Young Railroad Man. Special to The Observer.

The letter of Mr. Adams in to-day's Observer brought quite a ray of sunshine to the anti-State prohibitionists here and now it is considered that the proposed legislation will be defeated.

Mrs. J. Fairman Preston, daughter of Mr. S. H. Wiley, started this morning on her journey to far Korea to attend the funeral of her father.

Mr. Henry A. Lilly, of Alexandria, Va., passed through here to-day en route to Norfolk, where the interment took place.

High Point, Jan. 21.—Commencing yesterday the plant of the High Point Hosiery Mills began working overtime to supply the large demand for the class of goods that is now in great demand.

Mr. J. B. Morris will open a dry goods and clothing establishment next month in the store room vacated by the High Point Clothing Company.

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THE WEATHER.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Forecast: Virginia, cloudy Wednesday, slightly colder in the extreme north portion; Thursday fair, somewhat colder in west and north portions; Friday southwest to west winds.

North Carolina, cloudy Wednesday, probably showers at night in west portion; Thursday fair, slightly colder in west portion; Friday southwest to west winds.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU. Charlotte, Jan. 21.—Sunrise 7:29 a. m.; sunset 5:41 p. m.

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