CHARLOTTE DAILY OBSERVER, FEBRUARY 29, 1908.

A SPLENDID BUILDING.

Local F. M. C. A. Structure Now in Process of Erection Highly Com-plimented—Work Moving Along in Shape

"The most beautiful building in Charlotte" was what a leading citi-zen said to an Observer man yesterday in speaking of the new Young Men's Christian Association Building, ne days ago a man of prominence said: structed for the money invested that I have ever seen.

Many are the compliments heard daily for the architects, Messra. Hook without heavy effects. The contrac-tor, Mr. J. A. Jones, comes in for null effect of creating a feeling in single-footed contest. This kind of a congratulations as the great building the ranks of the officers that is not race is without precedent in the combeing constructed in record time. The ground for the new building

was broken October 2d, and it is not yet six months since the first stone was laid. All the work has been done during the winter months, with many a day's labor lost by reason of weather. For instance, the sleet and rain was.such week before last display the best possible judgment and discretion and diplomacy in apthat nothing at all was accomplished.

The city can well point with pride to this magnificent building. It is well to recall the words of a cartoon Police Christenbury to assign these which appeared at the time the three gentlemen to other beats, givcampaign for money with which to erect the building was in progress: "Let us unite to raise the arch which when completed will forever mark the first great expression of the public spirit of new and Greater Charlotte

The rare harmony of the stone, terra-cotta trimmings, and the pressed brick, has been wide;y commented upon. The local Young Men's Chris- Weelings and discords tian Association and unrough it the body, making some think more high-young men and boys of the city are by than they ought, and making congratulated on the indeed to be great Christian club of Charlotte and that they are unworthy and ineffi-Its magnificent home. It is a pleassee the erection of a building that is marked by so universal satis-faction as is accorded this splendid structure.

HENRY BLOUNT COMING.

Noted North Carolinian to Lecture in the City Under the Auspices of a Church Society-Much Picasure Anticipated.

The lecture which Henry Blount is to deliver here Monday night under the auspices of the Ladies Aid So-ciety of Tenth Avenue Presbyciety of Tenth Avenue Pressy-terian church, will be given in the Ald Society is composed of a very active band of women that is con-tinually engaged in some good work for the church. The proceeds of the lecture of Monday night will go toward the payment of a certain pledge which they have assumed in the church building fund. The reputation of Henry Blount as a literary and dramatic entertainer is of such a high character as to be recognized by men who are capable of judging and of praising real merit. Ju Parker, of Florida, who is one Judge these men, pays the following tribute Association Sunday afternoon at 5

to him: "It was my rare privilege while at for the subject of his address, "Will Blowing Rock this summer to hear Ye Also Go Away?" Rev. Mr. Raythat whique production 'Wit, Humor, hal is a speaker of power and those Eloquence and Oratory' by Henry who will hear him Sunday afternoon Blount-the Mark Twain of the will hear much of value. There is nothing approach-South. ing it in our literature or heretofore furnished from the rostrum. Under his magnetic touch his audience is carried quickly through the whole gamut of feeling; now awed by his matchless eloquence; then sudden-ly convulsed by his side-splitting mimicry, to be as suddenly relieved by the sweet touch of postic tender-

are blended with the diactor vine gifts of the poet."

POLICEMEN DISPLEASED. RACE FOR COUNTY TREASURES.

airman Robertson Rules That Messrs, Bell, McWhirter and Squires Must Not Serve on Inde-pendence Square Any Longer and Chairman They Carry the Matter to the Al-

Because an order has been passed by Chairman W. R. Robertson, of the police commission of the board of of great experience in building public safety, prohibiting them from it is the largest and best consquare, Policeman C. B. Bell, W. C. McWhirter and T. O. Squires have petitioned the board of aldermen at its meeting Monday night to investi-& Rogers, for their skill in de-signing so graceful and pleasing a structure and one which is massive ability to serve the city in the capaci-ability to serve the city in the capaciability to serve the city in the capaci- the friends of Dr. Walker intend to ty of policemen, and that it has the see that he does not suffer in the

at all salutary. The motive which prompted Chair-man Robertson to make this order grew out of the recent trouble experienced in enforcing the loitering ordinance on Independence . Square, and the necessity for having such policemen to serve on this beat as will proaching offending citizens. Toward this end, he instructed Chief ing them ward and side street service instead. This displeased these officers, hence their demand to the aldermen to intervene in their behalf. These three policemen are very much hurt over the ruling and consider it a reflection upon their ability. It is also argued that such a system

almong the policemen will work harm lotte, in the way of creating unpleasant among the

others bear the feeling within them clent

Movements of Clinchheld Coal Corporation Agents.

The publication of the intention of the Clinchfield Coal Corporation to establish either in Charlotte, or Spartanburg, S. C., an extensive coal terminal for the product of the mines in West Virginia, has aroused a maximum of interest among promidetermined nent business men. A will be made to induce the effort agents of this large concern to escablish the terminal here. Mr. U. S. Morris, general agent for the Southern territory, has opened offices in ing on the establishment of the ter- not unexpected. minal. He spent yesterday in Spartanburg, while Mr. J. M. Roan, gen-eral manager, who is also with him. went to High Point last night en route back to Roanoke, Va.

Rev. Charles E. Raynar to Speak to Men.

St. Paul's Presbyterian church, will be the speaker at the meeting for of men at the Young Men's Christian clock. Rev. Mr. Raynal has chosen Mr. Cecil C. Butt will sing a solo

All men are invited to attend.

Mr. Gold in the City. Mr. T. W. Gold, secretary of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, of Raleigh, spent yesterday in the city on business. The concern which Mr. Gold represents is ness. In Henry Blount the qualities the largest local insurance company of the philosopher, the orator and in North Carolina, having a capital In North Carolina, having a capital stock of \$500,000, subscribed by leading business men from all over the State. Mr. Gold will return to his home to-night.

to come out against Dr. Walker, and

tween two men, who are standing on ground, literally. If there equal crutches. This will be fine running.

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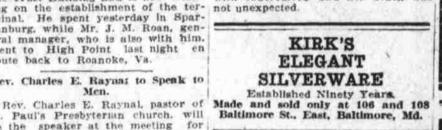
Immigration Agents Coming. Messrs. Kellett, Ball and Bacon, agents of the United States immigration commission, of Washington, are now in North Carolina and will spend several days in this city on the looking into the immigration trip subjects. Raleigh is now being visited and sentiment ascertained on this vital question, and Wilmington, Char-Winston, Favetteville and several other cities will be included in the itinerary of the agents.

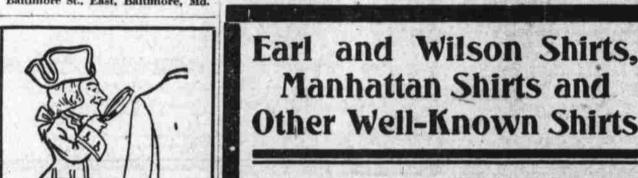
Col. W. S. Adair Resigns.

Col. W. S. Adair, the efficient and popular steward of the Central Hotel, has tendered his resignation to Mr. W. M. Jordan, the proprietor, and will return to his old home in Richmond, shortly after the first of the Va., month. Colonel Adair's place will be filled by Mr. David Reeves, an experienced and capable hotel man, who is quite well known in the city.

Death of a Young Lady. Miss Emma Mullis, the 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. M. R. Mullis, died at her home in Belmont Thursday

evening and was taken to Taylorsville yesterday afternoon for burial. The deceased had been ill for some time the Trust Building and is now work- with tuberculosis and her death was





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Unique State of Affairs in Connection
With the Aspirants For the Office of County Treasurer at the Next General Election.
The race for the office of county treasurer in the next election appears not to be limited to the swift but to one-legged aspirants, and for this rea-son there hovers around the contest a unque degree of interest. Dr. H. J.
Walker, the incumbent, will be op-

"Ill Blows the Wind." "The Southern's policy of retrenchrace is without precedent in this coun- ment has resulted in good in one rety, and the voters will have the un- spect," declared a well-known physicommon opportunity of choosing be- clan of the city to an Observer man yesterday, "and that is in the number of accidents taking place on its lines. any difference at all in this physical The calls for my professional services characteristic of the contestants, it have dropped off 50 per cent, within lies in the fact that Dr. Walker uses the past several months. The trains a wooden leg to supply the missing are not now so crowded nor the travel member and Mr. Stinson uses so heavy as it was this time last year and consequently fewer accidents are

happening."

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MR. HYDE

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Walker, the incumbent, will be op-croad about six miles from the city, posed by Mr. James Stinson, and so and in a few days, granted that suit-far as feet are concerned, they have able weather prevails, both gangs will only one aplece, and therefore have be removed to roads in the extreme equal chances. Friends of the latter end of the county and go to work in THE

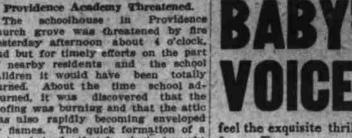
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DEATH OF MR. HOLLAND.

Suffered Stroke of Paralysis Yester-day at 11 O'clock and Died at 4

4 o'clock in the afternoon at his weak, sore lungs and for preventing home, 808 West Fifth street, at the pneumonia New Discovery is supreme, age of 52 years. He was a section for and \$1.00. at all druggists. Trial bot-foreman on the Southern and while the free. under vigorous exercise, he ruptured a blood vessel, and this was followed by paralysis extending over the left nide

The deceased is survived by his wife, one son, Mr. Rush Holland, and three daughters as follows: Misses Gertrude and Dorcas Holland and Mrs. Irene Bradley. The funeral services will be conducted to-morrow at Bolling Springs church near Shelby, Rev. L. R. Pruett, pastor of the Ninth Avenue Baptist church, conducting the services.

The Girls' Guild Entertains.

The Girls' Guild of St. Mark's Lutheran church entertained in a most enjoyable manner last night at The guests who callthe parsonage. ed found themselves in a representa-tion of Japan's kingdom and were greeted by a number of young ladies and girls attired in Japanese costume. The house was prettily decorated in flowers that are the most popular in the empire and the effect was quite pleasing. Dainty refreshments were served in a tempting manner. A large number of people called during the evening and the silver offering amounted to a goodly sum.

Farmers to Decide on Institutes.

Mr. C. C. Moore has called a meeting of farmers of the county for this morning at 11 o'clock in the court house for the purpose of deciding upon the number of institutes to be held this year. These institutes have been proving very beneficial to farmers in the past by reason of the intelligent information they were given on methods of tilling the soil and such subjects. Expert agricul-turists from Raleigh are always on hand to deliver instructive ad dresses,

"The Triad," by Dr. Pressly.

Dr. Mason W. Pressly, of Phila-delphia, Pa. who has relatives in this section, is editor of a monthly magazine, bearing the title: "The Triad; a Critique of Cure for the Body, the Mind and the Spirit." Dr. Pressly went from the South soveral wears each to become a south soveral present wont from the South several years ago to become a pastor of a Presbyterian church in Philadelphia. He shortly thereafter gaze on the work of the ministry and began the practice of osteopathy. He is well known here.

Rev. Mr. Ranson to Preach, Her. Mr. Ranson to Preach, Beginning to-morrow protracted services will be held at the East Ave-nus Tabernacle next wek, Rev. Ar-thur J. Ranson, a young minister of Spartanburg. S. C., to conduct the services. Mr. Hanson is an abla preacher and the Tabernacle con-gregation is anticipating a fine series of services.

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