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MISCELLANEOUS

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Two Marriages in Durham County.

Special to The Observer.

Durham, Aug. 5.—Mr. Eddie E. Leigh and Miss Bettie Leigh, two young people who live south of the city, were quietly married several nights ago, the marriage vows being said at 11 o'clock at night. The matter was kept quiet, and is just known generally. The groom is the son of Mr. J. W. Leigh and the bride a daughter of Mr. A. N. Leigh. They are distantly related. Justice of the Peace Harris, a new magistrate, officiated and spoke the words making them husband and wife. They were married at the home of Mr. W. P. Barbee, a neighbor.

This afternoon quite a number of Durham people went out to Massey's chapel, some eight miles south of the city, to attend the marriage of Mr. Seaton Gale Lindsay and Miss Daisy I. Massey. The ceremony was held at 8:30 o'clock of the bride, officiated by Mr. L. Massey, an uncle of the bride, officiated. After the marriage there was an informal reception tendered the bride and groom. The bride came to Durham and leave to-night on a bridal trip north. Mr. Lindsay, who is superintendent of the schools at Gastonia, gave his home as Orange county, where he spent the early part of his life, and his age is 29 years. The bride is the daughter of Rev. Pless H. Massey and is a highly accomplished young woman. There were several in the bridal party, two of the bride's maids living in this city.

Southern Power Company May Enter High Point—Aldermanic Notes.

Special to The Observer.

High Point, Aug. 5.—Mr. L. Carson Sinclair was sworn in as a member of the board of aldermen from the third ward to take the place of Mr. W. T. Parker, resigned.

Mr. William, of the Southern Power Company, appeared before the board and said that his company desired to enter High Point, and that a franchise would be later asked for. This company would furnish light and power and would contract for furnishing electricity for running plants by motor.

The Southern Bell Telephone Company appeared before the board and asked the privilege of furnishing free lines for the use of the city and the proposition was unanimously refused.

Fayetteville Negro Shoots His Girl.

Special to The Observer.

Fayetteville, Aug. 5.—Frank Council, a young negro of bad reputation, last night shot his sweetheart, Mattie Newell, though not seriously, because she chose the escort of another man in preference to himself. After a negro performance, Council offered to take his girl home when she refused and walked off with another man. Council following until they reached the vicinity of the Confederate monument on St. James Square, when he fired two shots at the woman, one taking effect in the right knee and one in the left thigh.

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OUTRAGES IN ART'S NAME

ABSURD SCULPTURE AT CAPITAL.

Many of the Statues Which Now Adorn High Places in Washington Should be Consigned to the Pools of Gehenna—The District Commissioners Excite the People by Trying an Experiment—The Washington State Which Dickens Made Fun Of—The Absurd Statue of Andrew Jackson, Number of Others to be Placed in the Same Catalogue.

BY ZACH M'GHEE.

Observer Bureau, 13 Post Building, Washington, Aug. 5.

For the past week Washington has been in a state of excitement, and this time "Washington" does not mean only me. It means every man, woman and child, white man, black man, Chinaman, rich man, poor man, beggar man, thief and all the rest, which has been up and down the principal thoroughfare of the capital—Pennsylvania Avenue. The District commissioners, it appears, have been in a difference over the placing of a statue in front of the new District building, which has just been completed and is by far the handsomest government building in Washington, situated on the south side of the avenue between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. One morning last week there appeared in front of this building a most monstrous thing—a puffy man set upon a wooden pedestal. The man at first was white. After he had stood there before the gaze of thousands who passed up and down the avenue, some fellow with a bucket of paint and a brush came along and painted him gray. He had on a coat somewhat after the fashion of the English walking suit, but it did not fit, and the left hand was put around behind his back in a most awkward position. On the whole it looked very much like the average rubber doll after an energetic and fanciful child had been putting it through various contortions of face and form. What did it mean? Surely it was not intended to put such a thing there in one of the most conspicuous places in the city. It stayed there several days, but the next morning the newspaper were eagerly sought after to find out what it meant.

TRYING AN EXPERIMENT.

The commissioners have a statute of Governor Shepherd, the first, last and only Governor of the District of Columbia, and they had a dispute over whether or not it would look well in front of the District Building. They finally decided to have this puffy and wooden monstrosity made and set up on the spot suggested to see how it would look. Well, it would look that way; there was no difference of opinion in this town as to whether or not it should go there. People began to be vociferous about it, and the newspapers were bombarded with letters of protests on the part of outraged citizens.

Now that brings us to a place which I have been wanting to come to for a long time, but did not know exactly how to get to. That puffy man is not the only monstrosity under the name of what is commonly termed art and sometimes sculpture in Washington. There are figures scattered all over Washington which should be taken and hurled into the Potomac river or burnt somewhere in a fiery furnace. The noted Gresham statue of Washington, now on the Capitol grounds, wherein George Washington appears with a Roman toga thrown across his shoulder, being considerably sparse of clothes on the rest of his body, should precede all the rest. Charles Dickens in 1842 noted the absurdity of this thing, and commented on it in his "American Notes." It was then in the middle of the rotunda of the Capitol, where it was less objectionable, for, if George Washington is to appear in public without any clothes on, he should at least be indoors and in a dark place where modesty will not be shocked. Unless he was wholly and helplessly drunk, he never would anywhere have had on such a thing, but if in that deplorable condition he ever did appear, it was unkind to shock history with a marble representation of it.

HEROES SINNED AGAINST.

But poor old George is not the only one of our heroes who is sinned against by the strange vagaries of art. There is another here, Andrew Jackson. The most ridiculous thing in the way of art, next to the Gresham statue, which shocks all common sense on the streets of the capital is an equestrian figure of Jackson on the Fools' Gallery. In it the horse is standing on its hind legs, his front feet about three feet from the ground, his nostrils dilated, standing on end—every hair of it—and tall bent into an expression of mingled gallantry and fear. No man under heaven ever saw a horse in that position anywhere, not even in a circus, nor yet in a pasture or on the wild prairie. But it is art, so we must not say anything about it.

NEED OF FOOLS' GALLERY.

There are a number of others, none quite so bad as these, but it ought to be one of the first duties of the incoming Democratic Congress, whenever it comes, to have all these absurdities melted up or all gathered together into a Fools' Gallery to be established. Not one of the heroes would raise the slightest objection. Not all of them, by the way, are even heroes.

The magnificent statue of Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman in front of the Treasury Building would escape the Fools' Gallery. In it the horse is standing still, as a horse usually does in battle, and the general is sitting erect, not giving his attention to the horse but to the battle. Or possibly he is meditating about the march through Georgia or the burning and sacking of Columbia. But, anyway, the statue is all right, even if the general himself was somewhat of a villain.

Greensboro Table Company Bankrupt.

Observer Bureau, The Beville Building, Greensboro, Aug. 5.

Judges Boyd to-day adjudged the Greensboro Table Company a bankrupt and appointed R. C. Hood permanent receiver. M. L. Bloomberg, secretary and treasurer of the company, was arrested and placed under bond Friday charged with misappropriating funds of the corporation, bail being fixed at \$1,000.

Weak women should read my "Book No. 4 for Women." It tells of Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. Tells how these soothing pills relieve all ailments. It brings quick and certain relief. The book is quickly help will come. Sold by Muller's Pharmacy. Address Dr. Shoop, Raleigh, Wis.

ROWAN MUTUAL MEETING.

Officers Report Very Encouraging—Eighty District Executive Committee to Select a Carnival To Stage—Johnny Jones Carnival Attracting Crowds.

Special to The Observer.

Salisbury, Aug. 5.—The annual meeting of the Rowan Mutual Fire Insurance Company held at the court house to-day was largely attended and the reports of the officers were very encouraging. The company has a thousand policy-holders and about a million dollars of insurance in force in the county. During the past year \$2,000 was paid on account of damage by fire, wind and lightning. A feature of the meeting to-day was an address by Hon. Theodore F. Klutz. The old officers were re-elected. They are: Dr. C. M. Poole, president; S. A. Earnhardt, vice president, and Rev. J. M. L. Lyerly, secretary and treasurer.

The congressional executive committee of the eighth district meets in Salisbury to-morrow at 4 o'clock to select a chairman, Mr. J. P. Poole having resigned. It is understood that Hon. Theodore F. Klutz, Congressman, will be chosen unanimously. Capt. Max L. Barker, of Company B, First Infantry, has been detailed as Assistant Adjutant General during the rifle-practice encampment of the Third Regiment now being held at Morehead City.

Distressing news comes from Rochester, Minn., where Misses Maggie and Sallie Chunn went several weeks ago for treatment for the former. She has tuberculosis of the throat and the disease has gone so far that the physicians are only hopeful of prolonging life a short while. Since leaving Salisbury Miss Sallie Chunn has had to undergo an operation for tumor.

Large crowds are attending the Johnny Jones Carnival. The fine Italian band which gives concerts on the square at 7 o'clock each evening has won the applause of Salisbury's finest musicians and each concert is heard by large numbers of the best citizens of the town. Last night there were two small difficulties at the carnival ground but no serious damage was done.

The work of putting down the bitulphic streets is progressing and proves interesting to all who pass by.

Young men of the city gave a dance at the armory complimentary to Miss Maud Preston last night; he is visiting Mrs. Charles Argy.

LEFT WITHOUT CLOTHES.

High Point Fishing Party Gets Back to Underwear Fashion.

Special to The Observer.

High Point, Aug. 5.—Yesterday several High Point citizens, including the chief of police and Officer Lovelace, took the early morning train for Lake, where they spent the day fishing. However, if seven of these men had known how things were going to turn out they never would have gone on this fishing frolic. Arriving at Lake, they pulled off their good clothes and donned the old ones for selling purposes, leaving the aforesaid clothes and valuables with the man in charge of the pumping station, with the understanding that they were to return at 4 o'clock and get their clothes as the pumping station would be locked at that time. When the hour arrived to take their clothes out, a distance of about one mile from where the party was fishing, Messrs. Bert Holder, Arthur Lyon and Burgess were sent on ahead to take the clothing out and in the morning they returned. They found that they were to return at 4 o'clock and get their clothes as the pumping station would be locked at that time. When the hour arrived to take their clothes out, a distance of about one mile from where the party was fishing, Messrs. Bert Holder, Arthur Lyon and Burgess were sent on ahead to take the clothing out and in the morning they returned. They found that they were to return at 4 o'clock and get their clothes as the pumping station would be locked at that time. When the hour arrived to take their clothes out, a distance of about one mile from where the party was fishing, Messrs. Bert Holder, Arthur Lyon and Burgess were sent on ahead to take the clothing out and in the morning they returned. They found that they were to return at 4 o'clock and get their clothes as the pumping station would be locked at that time.

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High Point Concern Bankrupt.

Observer Bureau, The Beville Building, Greensboro, Aug. 5.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed to-day by Matlock Brothers, who have been conducting a general merchandise store in High Point.

Ed Kirkman was appointed receiver. The firm had liabilities of \$18,000 with nominal assets amounting to \$21,000.

Central Industrial Institute.

Special to The Observer.

Columbus, Aug. 5.—The next session of the Central Industrial Institute, which will this year embrace high school branches, will begin September 1st. Rev. H. P. Posey, late of Fruitland Institute, Henderson county, will be principal. Miss Minnie Arledge, of Columbus, a student at the State Normal, will be in the intermediate and Miss Eliza Newman, of Columbus, primary.

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LUDDEN & BATES, Southern Music House, Dept. AX, Savannah, Ga.

A Pleasant Outing Indulged In by Cameron Folks.

Special to The Observer.

Cameron, Aug. 5.—A jolly party, consisting of Misses Bessie and Mayme Blue, Beatrice McNeill, Jewell Muse, Minnie Muse, Annie McFadyen, Margaret Bost and Messrs. Roy C. Muse, Harrison Stotts, Mason Bost, Willie A. Muse and Clarence McLaurin, departed by Miss Bettie Riddle, left town at an early hour for Lakeview where the day was pleasantly spent in boating, bathing, etc. An elegant luncheon was served at 2 o'clock, after which the various couples spent the remainder of the day in "wandering sweet nothings" to each other as their boats glided swiftly over the beautiful lake. All too soon came the hour for returning, the happy party reaching town "in the gloaming," all tired, but vowing it a joyous day and one long to be remembered.

Receiver Appointed For the Durham Iron Works Company.

Special to The Observer.

Durham, Aug. 5.—In Oxford yesterday afternoon Judge Jones appointed W. J. Griswold and R. O. Everett, of this city, as receivers for the Durham Iron Works Company. This company has been stranded for some time. The property was advertised for sale under mortgage deeds and last week a restraining order was issued to prevent the sale. In the meantime a suit was instituted by John Kuker, who loaned money to the concern and now the whole business is placed in the hands of receivers. It is quite a badly mixed up proposition.

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