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hn Lyles, coming into court and duly sworn, says that he has reason to believe that he is unto obtain a fair trial in this court sh in the court of the recorder, thout batting an eye Becorder ith sat unmoved. Then after a min-or two of discussion, he clasped pen tightly and with wonted de-

beration wrote on the bottom of the p of paper: "Order of removal de-ed.-W. M. Smith, Recorder." "Twas the hand of Former Recorder Shannonhouse that fired the shot. He was defending John Lyles on the charge of an affray with Will Henderson. A few minutes before he had represented the negro Will Medlin, who was bound over on the charge of mandin with a pair of shoes that didn't belong to him. This roused the wrath of the lawyer and he had his other client sign this paper. The atdeclared that it was just such cases as Medlin's that tends to make the administration of justice a travesty. The man was being held, he said, simply because he did not see fit to take the stand to clear himself of a mere suspicion.

"I have no right," said Recorder Smith, "to grant the prayer you make."

"I am aware," said the lawyer. "that while justices of the peace are required to grant this order when application is made, it is optional with the recorder of the City of Charlotte." Further parleying followed. Mr. Shannonhouse said he was not losing his temper, neither was he questionthe good intentions of the recorder. He said he wanted a fair trial.

"Your client will get a fair trial, Mr. Shannonhouse," said the court. "I always want to give a fair hearing to every man and have always endeav-ored to do so. I cannot grant the re-quest for a removal of this case against John Lyles, but I do not want to hear it this morning. I am not in condition to hear it."

The cases were continued until this morning.

DRUG FIRM LETS CONTRACTS.

Messrs. Woodall & Sheppard Give Contracts For Handsome Fixtures and Cases For Their New Store in Skyscraper Building.

If modern and costly fixtures and show cases and a soda fountain second to none in this section can do anything towards making a drug store what it should be, then Messrs. Wood-all and Sheppard, when they move into their new quarters in the Charlotte National Bank Building on the fixed on any one. square, will have one that will be an prnament to the city. Contracts were awarded yesterday for beautiful solid mahogany, double-decker fixures and all-glass cases, the contract for the fixtures being given F. X. Ganter, of Baltimore, Md., represented by Mr. Charles Koster, and that for the show cases to the Grand Rapids Show Case Company, of Grand Rapids, Mich., represented by Mr. C. C. Curtis. "The American Beauty case" will be the type installed, which is manufactured exclusively by the Grand Rapids Show Case Company.

Company, Chicago; Herron Soda Fountain Company, Chicago; Alexan-

FURNITURE MEN TO-DAY. e in Recorder's Court to nee of Affray to Court of ice of the Peace in This But Recorder Smith De-

In their fourth annual session the furniture men of North Carolina will convene to-day at the Selwyn Hotel, the first session opening at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The local committee on entertainment is expecting a large the case to some justice of the this association of the men composing this association at this meeting. The programme is such as will not only interest, but will greatly profit, those who attend, matters of particular in representation of the men composing

and Mr. E. R. Preston for the Greater Charlotte Club will make the welcoming addresses as usual, the response to be by Mr. George C. Royal, of Goldsboro. The programme for the afternoon session is as follows in its entirety:

Prayer, Rev. E. L. Bain, Trinity M E. church.

Address of welcome, Hon. Thomas S. Franklin, mayor Greater Charlotte Hon. E. Rand Preston, president of Greater Charlotte Club.

Response to address of welcome George C. Royal, Goldsbore, Special address, "Trade Evils and Some Remedies," Norman H. Johnson, Charlotte, editor Merchants' Juornal. Reading of minutes of last meeting and calling roll.

Report of president. Report of secretary.

Report of treasurer. Report of executive committee. Short talks and suggestions for good of association five minutes. Night session, August 11th, 8 p. m. Report of standing committees. Report of special committees Address, "What is the Retail Furniture Dealers' Association Doing for Its Members?" W. C. Brothers, Fay-

etteville, Address, "What Relations Should Exist Between Manufacturer and Re-B. F. Huntley Winston-Sataller ?" lem

Short five-minute talks by mem-

BLAKE CLEARED, MEDLIN HELD.

Colored Boy Implicated by Testimony of Defendant Medlin is Not Bound Over as There is No Evidence Against Him—Medlin Sent Up.

afloat that one of the young members Rudolph Blake, colored, against of the city fire department is soon to whom a warrant was issued charging take unto himself a wife, that he is him with being implicated in a theft going to join the rank of the beneof a pair of shoes from the Gilmer-Moore Company, was acquitted by the dicts, that he is contemplating matrirecorder yesterday morning. The only testimony on which the indictment was based was the statement of the married. The young man's nerve is addresses will be delivered. The misother negro defendant and there was to be admired in view of the attitude sion will continue through Sunday. found nothing on which to hold him. of Col. A. L. Smith, chairman of the Responsible parties state that Blake fire committee of the board of pubis an excellent negro and the charge lic safety and several other officials of

tee.

was of a sort which was liable to be the municipal administration who recently sought to have enacted a reso-On the original charge of the larcejution to the effect that only single ny of the shoes, Wesley Medlin, color-ed, was bound over. M. W. McCord, event in this young man's life, this a white barber, testified that he had leap into the dark, this plunge into bought the shoes from Medlin, paying the oft-troubled sea of matrimony, therefor \$3.50. Media, he said, told this exhibition of colossal and comhim he bought them from some other negro. A number of attaches of the shoe establishment in question testi- who have loved and lost as well as fied that the pair of shoes exhibited in court came from their store, but how, they knew not, as no individual send-off and hearty welcome on his record of sales is kept. Blake testified return from a neighboring State. that he knew nothing whatever about is even intimated that the great fire

PAN SUCH A THING BE TRUE?

Rumor Affoat to the Effect That One

of the Firey Laddles is to Be Mar-

ried Soon in Spite of the Attitude of

Several Members of Fire Commit-

There is a well authenticated rumor

The firms competing for the fixtures and cases were the L. A. Becker Company, Chicago; Herron Soda Fountain Company, Chicago; Alexan the matter. M. Shannonhouse, attorney for Medlin, protested vigorously against his Here's hoping that he will never have client's being held. He claimed there occasion to give expression to the wish was not one scintilla of evidence to inin his body." criminate the man. The recorder mentioned the fact that the defendant had not gone on the stand. Thereupon the attorney demanded to know if the court meant to ignore the man's legal right to refrain from going on the stand.

Church Beginning To-Night,

second.

every

If You Are a School Teacher A mission will be held at St. Mark's Episcopal church, Bristow, in this county, this week. Beginning to-night, or Superintendent or Tuesday, at 8 o'clock, Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, Rev. Francis M. Os-borne and Archdeacon E. K. Osborne

Committeeman

This is to remind you that a North Carolina History is now published that is not only accurate, but teachable, and it is HILL'S YOUNG PEOPLE'S HISTORY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The book before us is possibly the best history that has been written of any State. It has that second indispensable requisite for any history-(historical accuracy being the first)-namely, charm. It will arouse and hold the interest of a majority of the students into whose hands it falls; and every teacher will recognize the great value of such a quality. The perspective of the book excellent. Things immaterial to the development of the State have ben boldly omitted. in order to make room for a fuller treatment of important and necessary topics. But in spite of the brief compass im-0 posed by the technical requirements of the work, practically nothing has in omitted. The author is to be congratulated the successful

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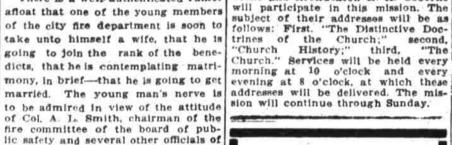
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der H. Revell & Co., Chicago; M. Winter Lumber Company, Sheboygan, Wis.; Cleveland Store and Fixture Company, Cleveland, O.: Columbus Show Case Company, Columbus, Ga.; Reinle-Salmon Company, Baltimore; F. X. Ganter, Baltimore; American Furniture and Fixture Company, Furniture and Fixture Company, Richmond, Va., and the Grand Rapids show Case Company, Grand Rapids

After a careful consideration of the propositions of the several manu-facturers, Messrs. Woodall and Sheppard decided that F. X. Ganter was entitled to the contract for the fixtures and that the Grand Rapids Show Case Company should have the contract for the cases.

The contracts for the soda fountain be made known to-day. The firms competing are as follows: Rob-Green & Son., Philadelphia; A. H. and F. H. Lippincott, Philadelphia; American Soda Fountain Company, Boston; Puffer Manufacturing Company, Boston; L. A. Becker Company, Chicago: Herron Soda Fountain Company, Chicago, and the Liquid Car-bonic Company, Chicago.

COMMERCIAL TRANSPORTATION.

Ross, Colored Shoemaker, Pete Stambles Upon a New Trade-A Legless Philosopher, He is Now a Driving Bill Board.

"Gee Whillikens! What's that?" exclaimed Sunny Monday Payne, official representative of the Gold Dust

A tiny wooden wagon with wooden wheels, in which was a legless colored man, was being drawn solemnly down the street by a fleecy Angora goat,

"Shiver my timbers," said Sunny. "If that wagon bed isn't a Gold Dust box I'll masticate my headgear." And he set out to investigate on a run. Examination verified his first impression. Pete Ross, a negro who lost both legs in a railroad accident a few years ago and who makes his living by making shoes, was using this

unique means of transportation. sont, which he says came from Switzerland, forms his sole method The of locomotion.

The wagon gave Sunny an idea. In few minutes Sunny had the wagon. driver, wheels and goat covered with pictures of the twins, in perfect conformity with the material of which the tiny wagon was made and up and down the streets they drove for hours.

Many a person stopped to look a scond time at the gally decorated turn-out. Pete sat with a gun thrown across his right shoulder but peace and good will beamed from his ebony face. Like nearly all people with whom fate has dealt harshly he is a philosopher and faces life with a smile. Versatile, too, he is withal. Making shoes is his vocation, but at advertising which is his avocation, he makes good in urbane style.

-The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held in the association rooms tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. All members are earnestly requested to be present, as this will be a very im-portant meeting.

EXCELLENT HEALTH ADVICE. Mrs. M. M. Davison, of No. 57 Gifford Ars., Ban Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of meetric Bitters as a general family sensedy, for bendache. Billousness and corpor of the liver and howels is so prior memories that I am prompted to say a recrd to its favor for the benefit of those removes that I am prompted to say a recrd to its favor for the benefit of those memory relief from much afficience. There is a spreased exprassly for this weak in is prepared exprassly for this weak in the second that I am prompted to say a recrd to its favor for the benefit of those memory health for the dimentive organs is bille of Betrick Butters than in any the record of a light for the second afficience there is prepared exprassly for this weak in-build them up with Dr. Shooy's Restora-tive-tables or figuid-and see how partner, being thorea. Bo

A SURPRISE WEDDING.

Miss Charlotte Bost Weds Mr. W. F Osterle in Spartanburg, S. C.-Spend Honeymoon in Asheville.

A marriage which came as a surprise to most of the friends of the young people concerned was that of Miss Charlotte Bost and Mr. W. Osterle, which occurred yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in Spartanburg. It was in no sense a runaway affair, but only a few very intimate friends were apprised of it in advance. Mr. and Mrs. Osterle left after the marriage for Asheville, where they will spend a month. They will then return to Charlotte where they will make their home

in the future. The bride has made her home for a year or more at the Young Women's Christian Association and is in every way a young lady of splendid qualities. Mr. Osterle is a traveling salesman for a prominent chair manufacturing company.

Church Property Purchased.

Several members of the Second Presbyterian church, Mr. W. H. Belk Mr. Joe Wearn, Mr. John Pharr and others, have purchased from Mr. Ed Gresham the old Olivet Baptist church at the corner of Trade and Cedar streets for approximately \$3,100 It is their understanding that property will be transferred to the Second church if it is deemed wise to establish a mission there; otherwise the present holders will keep it for an investment.

McBeth Out Under \$1,000 Bond. J. H. McBeth, the colored druggist who engaged in a terrific affray with Henry Johnson, a colored porter, Saturday night, as a result of which Johnson has since been in a precari-ous condition, was liberated yesterday under \$1.000 bond, pending developments in the case of the injured man Louise McBeth, mother of the pris-oner, and J. T. Saunders, a colored lawyer, signed the bond.

Will Erect Handsome Church. The Little Rock A. M. E. Zion church, colored, situated at the corner of Seventh and Myers streets, raised \$534.90, Sunday, on the building fund. Rev. W. R. Douglas is the pastor. This congregation is preparing to erect one of the prettiest negro churches in the elty

Jonesville, S. C., Knitting Mill Burns. Jonesville, S. C., Aug. 9 .- This morning about 3 o'clock the Jonesville knitting mill took fire and was stroyed. The loss is estimated at \$350,-000 with \$160,000 insurance. Further particulars cannot be learned at propent.



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