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ODD AND ENDS.

MATTERS OF INTEREST WE FIND FLOATING THROUGH THE PAPERS.

There was a great wolf hunt here in Berea, Wis., some days ago. Three hundred and thirty nine inhabitants of the town turned out to kill the wolf, and after two day's hunting succeeded in capturing that ferocious beast. When killed it weighed twenty-three pounds and the Coroner's inquest over the remains brought in a verdict of "death from fright."

Joseph Tucker, of Marion, Ohio, owns a Jersey cow with a very remarkable appetite. The animal eats every cat that comes within its reach. This spring she has eaten five cats, and whenever a feline comes within her range of vision she is wild until she catches, kills and eats it. In all other respects the cow appears to be normal in her taste and disposition. She is three years old and has had this peculiarity ever since she was a calf.

A London paper brings the information that a number of ladies of the highest social position in Paris have been for some time rehearsing, under a professional danseuse, a regular ballet performance, which they propose to give in public in tights and garter skirts. It is hinted that there is to be more cut off of both ends of their costumes than is customary even among professional corpses. The ballet is to be given for charity.

A Boston paper tells of a funny blunder which was made by Bishop Eastburn at a crowded church wedding in that city. Some spectators at the back of the church stood upon the benches in order to get a better view of the ceremony. The Bishop saw them and, nauding in the service said in his most solemn tones: "Remember the sacred character of this house; let all who are present sit upon the floor and put their feet upon the seats."

Madame Victorin, who is known all over the continent as "the strongest woman in the world," and is sometimes spoken of as "the female Hercules," is of medium height, with a girlish, graceful figure and nothing herculean looking about her. Yet she readily lifts a thousand pounds. Her strength is wholly the result of daily athletic training since youth. A singular thing is that she eats but little meat, preferring birds and fish. Eggs are her main diet, and she drinks tea.

Will the churches which insist that there shall be a color line in religion also insist that there shall be one in the land beyond the skies? This phase of the question is even more interesting than that which is now being discussed. For if there is to be no color line beyond, what will the disembodied spirits of those who object to intermingling here do when they reach that happy sphere? Will they admit that they erred while in the flesh, or will they tug their lackons Paradise and depart? Let us have no equivocation here.—*Philadelphia Times.*

Charlotte's High Tax.

Mayor McDowell.

The regulation and sale of spirituous liquors is a question as old as mankind. For years past, it has been the source of much agitation, and the cause of frequent elections in the city. The present Board of Aldermen appreciating the spirit of unrest and dissatisfaction with the old method of issuing licenses, adopted what is generally known as the "high license system." They placed the liquor license at \$1,000 per annum, the highest limit allowed under the City Charter. Thus far from that source, there has been paid in the treasury \$9,300, against something over \$7,000 the previous year, and under the low license system, showing an excess in favor of the high license of about \$1,886. Of course the enactment of high license is an experiment, a comparatively untried measure as yet. But its workings for the four months of its existence, have been of such a nature as to cause its advocates to insist upon its being given a fair trial at least believing that it will prove more satisfactory than the system that has heretofore prevailed.

JUDGE FOWLE.

"DEMOCRAT" WRITES ANOTHER LETTER IN WHICH HE SAYS HE IS CONVINCED THERE WAS NO GROUND FOR HIS CHARGES.

Special to the News-Observer.

STATESVILLE, N. C. May 8.—The following communication will appear in the *Landmark* of this week.

Editor of the *Landmark*: I perceive that an article I wrote for the last issue of your paper has created a great stir and enquiry through the State and I am glad of it. Let the characters of all the aspirants be thoroughly sifted before the convention meets. I have myself examined the evidence in the reports of the Fraud Commission and am now satisfied that Judge Fowle did nothing in the matter of the bonds of the A. T. & O. R. R. but what any other lawyer might have done with a good conscience, and that he is in this matter free from blame, and the Judge's explicit denial of the allegation that he has ever offered to run as a Republican candidate is conclusive on that matter. Judge Fowle is a man of truth. I had no motive in my last article but the good of the Democratic party and have none in this but to do justice to Judge Fowle. I do it, with these matters set right, Judge Fowle is one of the most popular men in the State, and would get as large a vote as any and for setting them right his friends may thank DEMOCRAT.

Died with Gold in her Pockets.

Charlotte Chronicle.

Elizabeth Maxwell, an old colored woman, who has been sheltered at the expense of the country, at the poor house, three months past, died in that institution a day or two ago. After her death her dress was picked up by an attendant who remarked that it felt like it was loaded with rocks. An investigation was made and the cause of the heaviness was developed, when a pocket book, containing \$40 in gold, was drawn from a pocket in the dress. Mr. Alexander, the superintendent, turned the money over to the county treasurer and it has been applied to the general fund of the county.

Democratic State Executive Committee.

RALEIGH, N. C. May 8th, 1888.

To the Delegates to the Democratic State Convention:

The railroad companies in the State have generally agreed to have round trip tickets at excursion rates on sale, for delegates to the Democratic State Convention to be held in this city on May 30th inst. to be good from May 28th to June 4th, inclusive. So delegates will be careful to buy tickets to Raleigh and return.

R. H. BATTLE, Chairman, &c.

B. U. Beckwith Secretary.

Debate on the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 8.—The debate on the man question of the Mills tariff bill will close a week from to-day. Messrs. Reid and McKim will speak last in opposition and Mr. Breckenridge, of Ky., and Speaker Carlisle will close for the bill. The Speaker will deliver his speech next Monday. There is to be no obstruction offered by either side to the debate under the five minutes rule.

Refused to Admit Women.

NEW YORK, May 8.—After four days' discussion the General Conference of the Methodist Church, yesterday afternoon, by a majority of 39 votes, refused to admit women delegates. The ministerial vote was 159 ayes against 122 nays, and the lay vote 78 ayes against 76 nays.

In the last five years \$60,000,000 worth of diamonds have been taken to England from the African diamond fields. Since 1871 \$100,000,000 worth, or three and a half tons, have been taken from the Kimberley mine alone.

Wilmington Star: There were five additions to the First Baptist Church last Friday. On Sunday Bishop Weston confirmed seven persons at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. On the same day Grace Methodist Church received six members—four by profession of faith in Christ, and two by letter. This makes 160 received by the pastor, Mr. Carey, since he took charge on the first of January last.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.

MEETING OF GRAND LODGE AT GREENSBORO—OFFICERS ELECTED.

Condensed from Raleigh Visitor.

GREENSBORO May 8.—The forty-fifth annual session of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of North Carolina met in the hall of Buena Vista Lodge, No. 21, in this city, at 9:30 o'clock this morning, and was called to order by Grand Master W. A. Bobbitt, of Oxford.

Thirty-four subordinate lodges are represented with seventy-odd delegates.

The reports of the Grand Master, Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer showed the order to be in a flourishing condition.

Buena Vista Lodge, of this city, will give a grand excursion to the Pilot mountain on Thursday morning next complimentary to the members of the Grand Lodge.

THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the forty-fifth annual session of the Grand Encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of North Carolina met in the hall of Buena Vista Lodge, No. 21, and was called to order by the Grand Patriarch, W. T. Marby, of McKee Encampment, No. 15 of Raleigh.

The reports of Grand Chief Patriarch, Grand Secretary and Treasurer were read showing the Encampment in the State to be in a splendid condition.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

- G. P.—R. B. Kerner, of Winston.
- G. H. P.—Rev. A. H. Stubbs, of Greensboro.
- G. S. W.—D. Rosenthal, of Raleigh.
- G. J. W.—T. E. Phillips, of Fayetteville.
- G. S. & T.—T. W. Blake, of Raleigh.
- G. M.—Wm. Woolcott, of Raleigh.
- G. S.—J. W. Bradford, of Winston.

Grand Representative—Charles M. Busbee, of Raleigh.

GRAND OFFICERS.

May 9.—The following is a list of the officers elected by the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of North Carolina, in Greensboro last night, for the ensuing year:

- G. M.—Rev. J. H. Corda, of Winston.
- D. G. M.—J. W. Albright, of Greensboro.
- G. W.—Joseph G. Brown, of Raleigh.
- G. S.—B. H. Woodell, of Raleigh.
- G. T.—R. J. Jones, of Wilmington.

Grand Representatives—W. A. Bobbitt, of Oxford and U. B. Edwards, of Raleigh.

The following officers were appointed by Grand Master.

- G. M.—W. T. West, of Hamilton.
- G. Conductor—John White, of Greenville.
- G. Guardian—John B. Deans, of Tolson.
- G. Herald—W. D. Foster, of Fayetteville.
- G. Chaplain—Rev. N. R. Richardson, of Docton.

The next annual session will be held in Fayetteville. The Grand Lodge will probably adjourn tonight.

Davis Times: Frank Maxwell, an old colored man, near Liberty, was burned to death on Friday last. Fire got out and it is thought that he became exhausted and sat down, and was unable to get out of the way before the flames swept over him.

Salisbury Press: A telegram to relatives here last Monday announced the death near Helena, Ark., on Sunday night of Mrs. Anderson Ellis, a brother to governor Ellis. Mrs. Ellis was a sister to Col. Jno. Holt, of this city, and was about 60 years of age.

C. B. Aycock, Esq., of Goldsboro in a letter to the *State Chronicle*, says of the Republicans in that county: In national matters every leading Republican, including Ch. L. W. Humphrey, John R. Smith, W. S. O. B. Robinson stand upon President Cleveland's message in regard to the tariff.

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DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Lea & Duke is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. The books are at the Globe Warehouse, in charge of C. M. Edwards, and all persons indebted to the said firm are requested to come forward and settle their accounts. Those having claims against the firm will please present them immediately. We return thanks to the farmers and the trade for their liberal patronage extended us.

Respectfully,
B. L. DUKE,
W. A. LEA.

March 31, 1888.

Sheriff's Sale of a Valuable House and Lot in the Town of Durham.

By virtue of an Execution in my hands, to-wit: G. W. Macklin vs. J. W. Allen and Sylvester Allen, I will expose for sale, at public outcry, for cash, at the Court House door in Durham, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1888, at 12 o'clock, M., all the right, title and interest of the said J. W. Allen and Sylvester Allen, in and to one lot of land in Smoky Hollow, containing one-fourth of an acre more or less adjoining Adison Merritt and others.

JOHN V. RIGSBEE, Sheriff.

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