

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

The Charlotte Observer urges several reasons why the office of Collector in the 6th District should be located in that city, nearly every one of which apply as well to Salisbury or Statesville as to Charlotte.

If the office is to be removed at all, then Salisbury puts in her claim. It was first located here, and the same reasons which determined that action hold good now as at that time.

THE WORLD'S EXPOSITION.—Committees are now busily at work making examinations and preparing their reports for the awards to be distributed.

The N. O. Times Democrat says: The cotton gin contest which has been going on ever since the Exhibition opened, and has been closely watched with intense concern, has at last been decided in favor of the Gilet Magnolia, which has been declared the foremost cotton gin in the United States.

Again: The battle of the saw mills, five of the greatest manufacturers in the United States being the contestants, has been decided in favor of the Stearns Manufacturing Co., of Erie, Pa.

The same paper contains a lengthy and interesting account of North Carolina products, as seen and gathered in the exhibit from Mr. P. M. Wilson by a reporter of that paper.

A Texan has discovered a method to make all the milk in a churn into butter. Hereafter it is said, there is to be no waste of milk, and consequently the price of butter will go down to 5 cents per pound.

The Cincinnati Enquirer says, Senator East should have placed his thumb on the public pulse before opening his mud batteries on President Cleveland. It is a good idea.

POSTAGE STAMPS.—The government is considering bids for printing four billions of stamps yearly for four years. They are reserving a decision until it can be ascertained whether or not the work can be as well done on steam presses as by hand presses.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.—The Catalogue of the University of North Carolina for 1884-'85 shows an increase of students, 230 as against 210 the previous year.

The Asheville Citizen, now a daily paper, brings us the latest telegraphic news of any daily in the State, arriving here about 2 o'clock, a.m., the Charlotte Observer, the next earliest, arriving at 6:30 a.m.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

By Friday Morning's Mail.

The census of Washington City, recently taken, shows a population of 204,000—an increase of 26,000 in five years.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The President bounced seven Mahone postmasters in Virginia to-day. They were "suspended" for cause, and other persons appointed to take their places.

Robt. M. T. Hunter was appointed collector of customs for the district of Tappanahock, Va., of whom the following sketch is given: R. M. T. Hunter, the new collector of customs for the district of Tappanahock, Va., has had a remarkable history.

The Judges sitting on the trial of the ballot stealers in Chicago have differed on an important point in the case, which, consequently, will be sent up to the United States Court.

England has countermanded orders for the withdrawal of her troops from Egypt effected, it is suggested, by conflicting interests of various European powers.

Russia is constructing batteries and reviewing her troops.

England is overhauling war ships and putting her navy in good trim.

The Atlanta Commercial Convention has negatived a resolution for continued coinage of silver by an overwhelming vote.

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G. A. Whitaker, J. W. Drew and Daniel Corrigan are in trouble at Washington, for presenting false vouchers on the Navy Department, on which they have drawn \$10,000.

1st National Bank of Charlotte, has just lost a suit wherein E. A. Morgan & Co., of Shelby, sued for usurious interest demanded by and paid to that institution by them.

First Assistant Postmaster General HAY, has been spending a short season at Aiken, S. C., for his health, and thinks he was benefited.

SATURDAY MORNING. Victor Hugo, the most learned and distinguished writer of France, it is announced from Paris, died yesterday.

Ira Jenkins is on his way to Washington to lay before the government authorities there his cruel treatment in a Mexican prison where he was confined for eleven months. He will also charge the United States consul with neglect of his case.

An Eastern company has commenced the building of a hotel in St. Augustine, Fla., of capacity for 500 guests. All the towns in the State, it is said, have either projects for new hotels or enlargement of old ones.

Black tongue diphtheria of a most virulent type, is prevailing in Paris, Pa., and causing great alarm in the adjacent country.

Eighty-eight fourth class postmasters in Virginia were removed last Saturday.

The children had a gay day last Monday, on the lawn of the First Presbyterian Church in Charlotte, says the Observer—a May Queen crowning with joyous ceremonies.

The Observer reports a large attendance, Monday, at the Fair Grounds in Charlotte to witness the bicycle races set for that day.

There are daily reports of Gen. Grant's condition. Some days he seems to be better and then again worse. There are no reliable indications of final recovery.

A Presbyterian, preacher at St. Louis, named J. R. Reesoner, committed suicide, May 21, by shooting himself in the temple.

Two ships were crushed or so damaged by ice in the Atlantic (reported from Quebec, May 23d), as to cause them to sink. The crews, after severe exposure on the ice and in boats, were saved.

A young man named Jarvis, has been required to give bond for his appearance at the next Mecklenburg court on the charge of making the recent dynamite explosion in Charlotte.

hearing two screams of a female voice at or near the reservoir, as follows: Abraham Watkins, colored, testified that he lived near the reservoir. Just before he went to bed on the 13th of March he heard two "squeals." The second one was "Oh, Lord!" The first one he did not make out.

A crazy negro at Jessup, Ga., got on a freight train waiting for a passenger train to pass, blew the signal and turned on steam and dashed off, leaving all the train officers and hands wondering what it meant.

United States troops and the desperate cow boys are chasing the Indians on the western frontiers. Oh, the poor Indians, the former lords of all this country, ever flying before a civilization which will never rest until the last redskin is exterminated.

Capt Borden of Wilmington, says the Charlotte Observer, brought up from the former city a small steamboat which was launched on the Catawba river Tuesday, two hundred yards above the railroad bridge.

The Apache Indians have been putting in some bloody work on miners in Arizona. United States troops in small bodies are in pursuit of them.

The Richmond and Danville R. R. Co., are preparing to put on the road between Richmond and Charlotte more powerful engines, capable of drawing a loaded train of nearly half a mile in length.

The Observer says it is probable that Meeklenburg will furnish 150 applicants for pensions, one hundred having already filed applications.

Fruit growers about Goldsboro are shipping strawberries to the large cities.

John Pinna, a Caswell county man, demented by the loss of money, brains his two little children, a girl and a boy, with an axe, and then runs to the creek and drowns himself.

The love of money stronger than the love for his children or of his own life.

TUESDAY MORNING. Gen. Grant passed Sunday night comfortably.

John Glenn lost his wife in attempting to cross a swollen stream, in Bedford county, Va. They were in a baggy and were swept off by the strong current.

There was a row at a meeting of anarchists and socialists in Chicago, Monday, growing out of the denunciation of Abraham Lincoln, by one of the speakers, Dynamite Duzy, who called Lincoln a hypocrite and John A. Logan a liar and a thief.

A negro burglar was taken from jail at Brownsville, Tenn., by a mob, Tuesday, at 2 a.m., and hanged to a neighboring tree. The crimes of arson and burglary have come under the jurisdiction of Judge Lynch within the present week.

Mr. J. S. Fisher, deputy collector of Internal Revenue, for Rowan and Cabarrus, was here this morning. Maj. Dowd has picked a man who bears himself with manly dignity.

The old liberty bell will pass back to Philadelphia from the N. O. Exposition about the 12th or 13th June. The Atlanta Constitution says it will stop in Atlanta, (where it will arrive on the 11th) how long is not stated, but only for a few hours it is supposed. Shall it pass through Salisbury without notice?

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All those indebted to me are earnestly required to come forward and settle without delay and save cost.

SALE OF TOWN LOT! By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County, in the case of Jos. Horah, Adm'r of Daniel Chambers, dec'd., against Daniel Chambers and others, I will sell at public auction at the Court House in Salisbury, on Monday the 8th day of July, 1885, One Lot in the town of Salisbury, South Ward, on the North Carolina Railroad, adjoining the lands of Oscar Sumner, Nancy Wiseman and Joseph Horah, containing one-half acre.

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SALE OF LAND! On Monday the 6th day of July, 1885, I will sell to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in the town of Salisbury, at the hour of 12 o'clock, a tract of land, known as the Polly Hartman Land, it being the same devised by the said Polly Hartman to Solomon Ketchey and others, containing 1544 acres more or less, lying and situated in the township of Litaker.

TERMS OF sale—One-half cash, the other within six months from date of sale. The deferred payment to be secured by bond and good security. By order of the Superior Court of Rowan county. KERR CHAIGE, Com'r. May 12, 1885.—30:1d

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND! By virtue of executions, issued from the Superior Court of Iredell County, against the lands of James B. Woods in favor of Trenton Rubber Works, J. W. Cardwell & Co., E. L. Tunis & Co., Bickford & G. B. Cook & Co., and Malin Flour Co., I will sell at the Court House door in the town of Salisbury, on the

First Monday in June. It being the 1st day of June next, the following tract of land, situated in the County of Rowan and described as follows: One tract containing Two Hundred Acres of land, more or less, adjoining the lands of John Leazer, Wm. Smith, James Corrier and others, and known as the "D. K. Woods tract of land." Terms of sale cash. C. C. KRIDER, Sheriff. April 30, 1885.—1m

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE All persons having claims against the estate of John S. Hyde dec'd., are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 8th of April, 1885, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. D. M. BARRIER, Adm'r. May 6th, 1885.

Notice to Settle: All persons indebted to the estate of Mrs. Julia L. Smyth, deceased, are requested to make immediate settlement; and all persons having claims against her estate are notified that they must present them to the undersigned on or before the 22nd of April, 1885, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. ROBERT MURPHY, ANDREW MURPHY, Executors of Julia Smyth. April 21st, 1885.—4w

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