

VOLUME V. TRADE REVIEW.

DUN & CO'S REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF BUSINESS.

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New York, August 30.—The following is R. G. Dun & Co's report of trade for the week ending Saturday, August 31.

Stocks have advanced just \$2.50 per share in the week and 1,200,000 shares have been sold already in rising prices.

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The interior money markets are so well supplied that a lack of supply for commercial purposes at the chief eastern cities is more noticeable.

It is an encouraging fact also that the important failures of recent weeks have in number not to prevent any further failures of this week been unusual.

NORTH CAROLINA NOTES.

The Raleigh Dispatch correspondence of the 20th says: The negroes have in several cases recently been very turbulent at their gatherings.

Winston Republican: Mr. Edward L. Pardee, of Good Springs, Surry county, N. C., was accidentally shot through the head on the night of August 20th.

Franklin Press: Mr. S. M. Dills, of Cartersville, has a peach tree, probably the only one in the county, fifteen years old and thirty feet high.

The Charlotte Democrat says: Prof. J. Colton Lynde, formerly a teacher in King's Mountain Military School, has been elected president of the Middle Georgia Agricultural College.

Charlotte, N. C., August 30.—Mrs. W. E. Christian, nee Julia Jackson, the only child of Stonewall Jackson, died here at 10 o'clock this morning.

Dakota Democratic Nominations. Fargo, N. D., August 30.—The following nominations were made by the Democratic convention last night.

The Bottom Drops Out. Rome, Ga., August 30.—While a well was being dug three miles in the country yesterday, and when the workmen had reached a depth of twenty-five feet.

SHELLEY'S BIG STURGEON. A Monster Fish Caught by an Aged Man—A Sudden Death.

FASTEST OCEAN STEAMER.

The City of Paris Beats Her Own Record. New York, August 28.—The steamship City of Paris, which arrived this morning, has broken the record again.

STILL UNFAVORABLE. Are the Indications Concerning a Settlement of the Strike.

London, August 30.—The indications this morning are not very favorable to the immediate settlement of the strike.

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VICTORIA'S SPEECH.

IN PROLOGUING THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT. Thankful to Recognize the Signs of Growing Prosperity in the Returning Confidence Everywhere Discernible.

London, August 30.—The Parliament was prorogued to-day until November 16. The Queen in her speech of prorogation said: "My Lords: It is with much satisfaction I relieve you from the labors of a protracted session.

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Won the Medal. A match game of baseball for a gold medal was played by the West End Academy nine in this city yesterday afternoon.

The A. & M. College will open on October 3.

FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Who They Are; Where They Are, and What They Are Doing. H. E. Fulenwider of Greenville is here.

Mr. Dan F. Sumney, of Charlotte, is renewing acquaintances in the city. Melbride Holt and the Misses Tate of Graham, N. C., are at the Grand Central.

Dr. W. E. Pelham, of Newberry, S. C., who has been in the city for several weeks left for his home yesterday morning.

Misses Bessie Sherrill of Newton, N. C., and Hattie Dail of Newbern, two beautiful and accomplished young ladies, have returned to their respective homes after a month's pleasant visit to Mrs. R. P. Walker, near this city.

Largely Attended by Prominent Society People, Etc. The German at the Battery Park last evening by Mr. Clarence Murphy with Miss Helen Fowle, was one of those pleasant events that cannot be accurately described in cold type.

THE BALLEW CASE. The Preliminary Investigation Held Yesterday.

Before Justice Summey at the court house yesterday the preliminary investigation of the charge of child murder against David and Mary Ballew, formerly of this county, was held.

Who are at the Park. Among the late arrivals at Battery Park, this city, last night were the following: Mrs. D. E. Hager, the Misses Hager, Mrs. Shepherd and Mrs. W. C. Flower, of New Orleans; John Donn and wife, of Richmond; W. H. Pace and Miss Mary B. Snow, of Raleigh; Mrs. Z. B. Vance and Mr. J. H. Martin, of Gumbroom; E. W. Voight and wife, Miss Gunther, of Detroit; Mr. D. T. Hastie, jr., of Charleston; Miss Pope, of Louisville, and others.

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PROFESSOR WILLIAM CAIN.

An Asheville Boy Elected to the Chair of Mathematics. We learn from the News and Observer of yesterday, and learn it with my sincere pleasure, that the board of trustees of the University, which met in the executive office the preceding day to fill the vacancy in the chair of mathematics occasioned by the death of Professor Ralph Graves, had elected Professor William Cain, C. E.

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AT THE WHITE SULPHUR.

THE CONQUESTS OF AN ASHEVILLE DEBUTANTE.

An Elegant Dinner to the Beautiful Miss Connally of this City at the Famous West Virginia Summer Resort Last Week. Special Correspondence to the Citizen.

Attorney General Davidson seems quite as much at home here as in his native halls, and I am not mistaken, he will look in at White Sulphur again, for he takes very kindly to "what we do at the Springs."

JACKSON'S DAUGHTER DEAD. Breaking of the Link Between the Living and the Immortal Hero.

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