

The Musician's Hope of Years Has been accomplished in the building of The 5-Foot Stieff Petite Grand Piano



We have exploded the theory that a Grand Piano must be of cumbersome size to produce tone quality and all the qualities that combine to make a Grand Instrument—thereby precluding the use of a Grand except in an immense room.

AMUSEMENTS

"Excuse Me," Tonight. The Academy of Music offers as its attraction for today matinee and night an up-to-date farce by Rupert Hughes, "Excuse Me," an offering by that producer of successes Henry W. Savage. The piece is described as a "Pulman Car Carnival," a subtitle suggested by the fact that the three acts occur on board an verandah express train running from Chicago to San Francisco.

BOYS ARE ACTIVE AT ASSOCIATION

Camera Club and Poultry Club Are Occupying the Attention of the Younger Members of the Y. M. C. A. at This Time. The Camera Club of the boys' department of the Young Men's Christian Association will meet on Friday night at 8:30 o'clock for a business meeting.

VARIED CONCERT

Boys' Glee Club and Orchestra Will Assist in Giving Entertainment. The F. H. G. Club of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church is assured of a success for the entertainment they have planned for tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, when the boys' orchestra and glee club of the Young Men's Christian Association, assisted by a male quartet will give a concert for the benefit of the club.

EXCUSE ME

Happy Hilarity and Rollicking Romance is a Ride by Rail to Reno. Incomparable company of comedians that appeared in New York in this play, are now on sale at Hawley's. Prices, Matinee, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c. Night, \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c.

ACADEMY

SATURDAY, NOV. 16. Matinee and Night. The biggest All Star Organization that ever toured the South.

TURNER RECOVERS BELT BY DEFEATING GREEK WRESTLER

Sensational Match Developed When Both Men Put Forth Their Utmost Effort to Secure Title to the Honor of the Evening.

Joe Turner, local favorite on the mat, last night recouped his somewhat broken record, when he threw Jim Poulos, the Greek middleweight, thereby recovering the Police Gazette belt for the middleweight champion of the world.

The event was watched by one of the biggest gatherings of spectators of the season and was exciting from first to last.

Turner won the first fall in 28 minutes on a body and crotch hold. The second fall went to the Greek in 14 minutes on a body scissors hold and Turner got the third fall in 8 minutes of fast work all over the mat, using a leg hold and body weight. The contest was one of the most spirited and fastest pulled off on the local mat in many months and both men were in good form.

Before the Turner-Poulos match there was a contest of one hour, between Billy Collins and Tony Caproni, who after 60 minutes' ineffectual effort to pin one another's shoulders to the mat, were called off in order to make way for the match between Turner and the Greek.

MR. D. KIRBY POPE RISES TO HONORS IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Mr. D. Kirby Pope, a native of this county and formerly a popular resident of this city, was elected county attorney of Oklahoma County of which Oklahoma City is the seat in the recent election. Mr. Pope went to the West some years ago and established himself in this splendid city. He has built up a lucrative law practice and is said to be regarded as one of the foremost attorneys at the bar. He ran for the office of county attorney on the Republican ticket and won over his Democratic rival by 1,900 majority.

INTERESTING GOLF MATCH IS PLANNED

Arrangements are being completed for an interesting golf match and an evening of unusual pleasure at the Meeklenburg Country Club Saturday afternoon. Beginning at 3 o'clock, two golf teams to be picked by chosen captains, Messrs. W. M. Paul and F. M. Laxton, the two champions of the club, will play a match which is expected to be one of the liveliest and most unique events that has been staged on the golf course this season.

ATTRACTIVE ROUND TRIP RATES VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY

\$6.80 Charlotte, N. C., to Charleston, S. C., and return, account Charleston Fair and Battleship Fleet, November 18-23, 1912. Tickets on sale November 16, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, final limit to reach original starting point not later than midnight of November 25, 1912.

SPECIAL TRAIN TO RICHMOND, VA. ON ACCOUNT OF FOOTBALL GAME BETWEEN UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AND UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

On account of annual football game between University of North Carolina and University of Virginia the Southern Railway will operate a special train consisting of first-class day coaches and standard Pullman sleeping cars from Charlotte, Salisbury, High Point, Greensboro, Reidsville, Danville and intermediate points to Richmond and return. The special train will leave Charlotte 8:15 p. m., Wednesday, November 27, and arrive at Richmond 8:30 a. m., November 28. Returning will leave Richmond at midnight November 28.

A CHRISTIAN SERMON PREACHED BY A HEATHEN

(Christian Herald.) "Kindness and meekness are great virtues," says an old Spanish proverb. "Oblige without regarding whom you oblige," is another, and it means, he kind to every one, great or small, rich or poor.

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SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY TRAINS LEAVE CHARLOTTE—EFFECTIVE APRIL 2, 1912. No. 49-530 a. m. through train for Wilmington with parlor car attached.

NORFOLK & WESTERN RAILWAY schedules in effect May 28, 1912. 7:30 am Lv Charlotte, So. Ry. Ar 8:30 pm

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