

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Mrs. N. A. Brown fell and broke her left arm, near the shoulder, on the 18th inst.

The Protracted meeting at the Centenary church, resulted in more than 80 conversions.

Our post office will be transferred to the new government building in a few days, then there will be rejoicing.

Little Fred Oator died in this city on the 18th. His funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the family residence.

There have been 34 additions to the Presbyterian church in this city as the result of the recent revival in that church.

E. M. Caldwell and Bro. keep constantly on hand candies, fruits, toys, fancy articles and groceries. 67 to Caldwell's, South Elm St.

See Mr. G. H. Royster's ad. in this issue. Go to Royster's and be convinced that everything he says in his ad. is true to the letter.

Carter Johnson (col.), one of the parties charged with the assault on Mr. Crump, has given bond in the sum of \$500 and is now at large.

The Guilford county Horticultural society held a meeting in the court house on the 19th inst. It is worthy of note that Guilford is the largest fruit growing county in the State.

Mrs. John C. Wharton died at her home in South Greensboro on the 18th inst. Her funeral took place from the Presbyterian church in this city, Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M.

"When we two parted, after lingering late at the garden gate, I felt that I had taken cold," said Thomas Takeintime "and next morning I was hoarse indeed. But a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup fixed me up, and there's enough left for next time."

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One of the noble sons of Ham raised a pair of shoes from Mr. Farrior, one of our shoe merchants, one day this week. Sambo was detected, however, before he got off with his booty, lost his shoes, lost his hat, had his coat torn and quit the city in a most unceremonious manner, notwithstanding the earnest protest of a number of our citizens, together with the active opposition of Mr. Thomas Boyd, who took Sambo's measure in the mud of South Elm Street no less than three times. You ought always to send your hands before tackling a live eel, Thomas.

We were in error last week in saying that the Amendment to our Charter would be submitted to the voters of the city on the 23rd. The Amendment became a part of the Charter when it was passed by the Legislature. The question to be voted upon on the 23rd, is the issue of City Bonds to the amount of \$100,000. In our opinion, this question ought not to be submitted to a vote until after the May election. The reasons are evident. If submitted according to announcement, vote "No Issue." The matter can be brought up again at any time in the future. We are in favor of the issue under proper circumstances, but we are not in favor of the issue at this time.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Rock Hill, S. C., had a \$100,000 fire on the 18th. The loss is covered by insurance.

The Asheville Citizen says that a valuable silver mine has been discovered in that county.

Capital punishment will no longer be practiced in Maine. Life imprisonment has been substituted. We doubt the wisdom of the change.

The General Assembly has fixed the rate of taxation for the next two years at 20 cents on the \$100 valuation of property and 60 cents on the poll.

Seventy sheffs of Iowa at a recent council meeting gave their unanimous testimony to the effect that the present prohibitory law has decreased court business 50 per cent.

Mr. E. A. Oldham, of the Winston Sentinel, has been offered a position on an Anniston, Alabama, paper having a capital stock of \$30,000. The position is that of managing editor.

Mr. King, of Charlotte, was arrested in Wilmington a few days ago on an indictment for libel, founded, it is said, on an article which appeared in his paper, with reference to the treatment of the operatives in the Durham Cotton Mills.

There has not been a liquor saloon in Hancock county, West Virginia, for ten years. This accounts for the fact that there is not a prisoner in the county jail, and the grand jury failed to find a single indictment.—Temperance Banner

Frank C. Haddock, the only living son of the late Rev. George C. Haddock, has been moved by his father's tragic death to abandon the law that he may endeavor to fill his father's place in the ministry. The prayers of the Prohibitionists should go with him.—Temperance Banner

It is stated that many leading Democrats in view of the talk there has been of giving Colquitt the second place on the Prohibition National ticket for '98, demand that he withdraw from the Prohibitionists or the Democracy. For once we agree with the Democrats. A man can't ride two horses going in opposite directions, and the Prohibition and Democratic horses are going in exactly opposite directions.—Ex.

The April number of St. Nicholas is at hand. "The story of the Merrimac and the Monitor" and the serial "Juan and Juanita" are especially interesting. St. Nicholas is the best Magazine for young folks with which we are acquainted. Published by the Century Co., New York, N. Y.

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BURLINGTON ITEMS. Methodist quarterly meeting here last Sunday. Good congregations both in the day and at night. A man who loves whiskey too well went out to church Sunday night and took a seat well up in front. Having imbibed too freely, he was soon asleep, and at the conclusion of the services he was unable to travel. He was finally brought before the mayor, who gave him punishment to the extent of five dollars and costs. Of course he was not to blame, for he says he has been to church a thousand times drunker than he was Sunday night. The trouble was that the preacher preached ten minutes too long and he went to sleep.

Will the time ever come when such scenes shall not be witnessed anywhere, much less in church?

What sort of sense of responsibility have men who go into church in such a condition?

It is strange logic by which our legislators reason it right to prohibit the traffic of liquor in hundreds of localities and at different times and yet it is good and wholesome elsewhere where churches and Christian influences are needed equally as much or more so.

Men who cannot control themselves are dangerous, and ought to be placed under some controlling power. Prohibition will help many who plead weakness to control themselves. Fine rain yesterday. Some terrible muddy places in our side walks. Where are our town authorities? DETER.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT)

Washington, Mar. 21st 1887. The Senators and Representatives who call upon the President to counsel and advise and inquire and recommend concerning the high appointments pending, seem to know just as little about what will happen after they leave him as they did before they saw him. The President listens to all their recommendations and promises to consider them, but Speaker Carlisle seems to be the only one he has given even a hint as to his preference or selection.

The President was anxious to have had Mr. Carlisle accept the Secretaryship of the Treasury, but his excuse for declining was that he consulted his own best interest by remaining in his present field of action. Mr. Carlisle is a poor man also, and it is understood among his friends that he thought a Cabinet position would entail social obligations which would be more expensive than he could afford. Not that he mentioned this as a reason for declining, but it is understood that it contributed to his decision.

It was expected that the Interstate Commerce Commission would have been completed ere this, but it may be several days yet before the names of the Commissioners are known. It is of course, very desirable to have men whose judgement can be relied on at all times. It is very difficult to find such men, and when found they are not so likely to want to undertake the service. For men who are not tempted by the salaries alone, the positions are not as desirable as may at first thought appear. There is a heavy responsibility attached to them and almost a certainty that no man can act so as to avoid criticism from some quarter.

There is likely to be complaint too if the appointments are not distributed with regard to the sectional divisions of the country. The West will claim the right to good representation, and North, South and East are equally interested. It is said, however, that only one of the five places on the Commission remains to be filled, and that the President intends to give his entire attention to the matter until it is settled.

Some time ago it occurred to the Chief in the Consular Bureau of the State Department, Dr. St. Clair, that an album containing photographs of all the gentlemen in the United States foreign service would be an interesting thing and a source of gratification at headquarters. He began to call for photographs, but at first the demand was not responded to with any degree of alacrity. Each particular consul seemed to think there was nothing in store for his picture, if he sent it, but final destruction or obscurity. Later, the idea got abroad that the President would see the photographs and admire the men he had selected to represent this country abroad, and that they would be viewed by thousands of the best people of the country. Since then they have been pouring in by the score from all parts of the earth, and the collection is about complete.

The American Minister to Denmark Prof. Anderson, has indignantly denied the rumors which have been circulated in regard to his habits and mode of living in Copenhagen, as a base slander. In proof that he is not living there in squalor he wrote that he occupied the whole of a first floor and part of the second floor, in all ten rooms, and he did not see why he was charged with a two room, fourth story habitation. As to the news paper statement that he kept an old peasant woman to cook his food and mend his clothes he said, "I dine out, and the lady who keeps house for me is the widow of a King of Greece. But he added that it would be difficult to inform the sixty millions of people in America of these facts and he supposed he would have to be patient.

The opinion gains ground among the members of Congress still in the city that an extra session will be called in October. They do not think there is any need for Congress to meet before that time, but that there are many reasons why it should meet then. The House should organize and be prepared for work soon enough to dispose of cer-

tain important business before political discussions begin to take up its time. The political work which the next Congress will discuss will be a formidable barrier to legislation.

Who pays the license tax, the dealer or the consumer? Who suffers on account of the tax, the liquor seller or the family of the consumer?

PASTE THIS IN YOUR HAT

As the time will surely come when R. T. Bennett will be nominated for office again in this State, and honest temperance folks—ministers and all will be persuaded to vote for him because forsooth he is the regular Democratic nominee and "a good enough temperance man," we advise that this clipping be saved so as to know authoritatively where he stands between elections.

[The following letter from Congressman R. T. Bennett, of North Carolina, was written in response to questions as to his position.—Editor the Voice.]

EDITOR THE VOICE.—The question of Prohibition or License was put to the popular vote in North Carolina during the year of 1881. I voted for License at that election. The town in which I live voted on the same question last Monday (under the provision of our Local Option law) I was not present at that election, being detained here by my public duties. If I had been present I would have voted for License.

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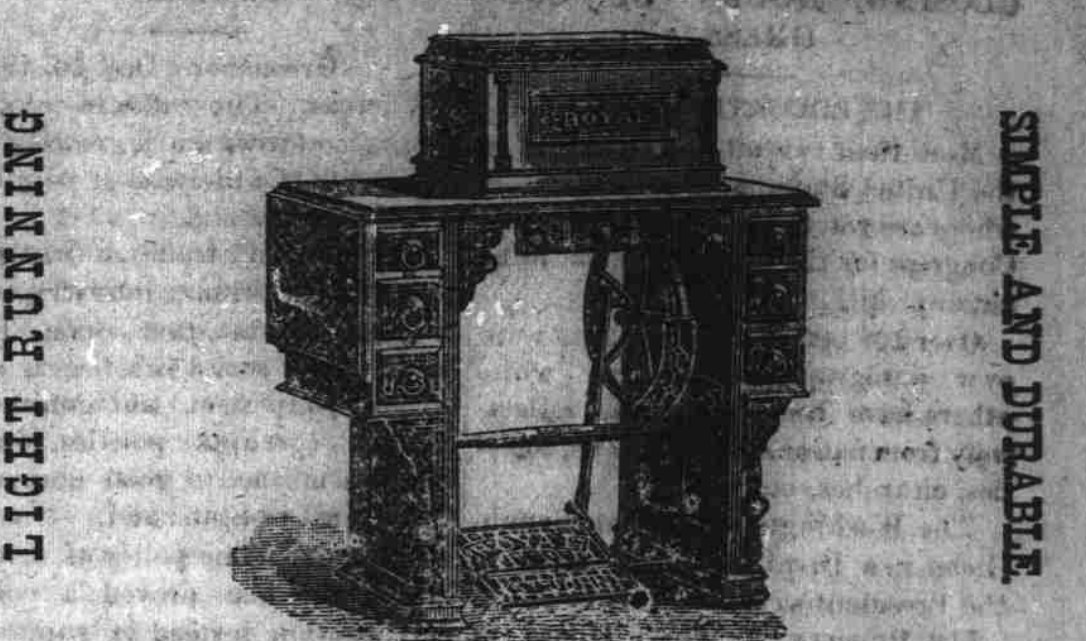
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