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LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION.

In and Around the City.

Ho! for Charlotte.

Are going to Richmond?

The heated term approaches.

Tomorrow being a State holiday the banks will all be closed.

The Rose reception will be given on next Thursday evening under the auspices of the Bright Jewels.

Rev L L Nash left this morning at 1 o'clock for Rutherford College where he is to preach the commencement sermon on Tuesday.

We have received the Greensboro Daily Patriot and it is gotten up in the finest style, makes a neat appearance. It is filled to the brim with the choicest of reading matter. It's a daisy.

"Lend a Hand Circle" of the Kings Daughters will have an ice cream sociable and lawn party some time next week, of which due notice will be given.

Whiting Bros will have the very earliest news of the firemen's races at Charlotte on their bulletin boards in front of their store. They have made arrangements to have the news telegraphed them immediately after the races are over.

We acknowledge the receipt of the 10th weekly weather crop bulletin for the week ending Friday, March 16th, 1890, from central office Raleigh. H B Battle, Ph D, director. It is full of interesting matter. In the western and central part of the State seasons were excellent, crops were in a prosperous condition. In the eastern district suffering for rain in some sections. Altogether the seasons are good and crops in good condition throughout the State.

Enterprising.

Last Saturday Messrs Whiting Bros received a case of those popular black yacht hat, and in a few hours they all were sold, so that another case was ordered and this morning they arrived by express.

Important Meeting.

A meeting of the Trustees of the University living in Wake county has been called by Judge Walter Clark the president of the Wake county Branch of the Alumni Association for 8:30 o'clock p m (tonight) at the Mayor's office. Let every one be present; important business.

The J E F F Quartett Club.

The J E F F Quartette Club was organized for the purpose of taking part in and forwarding any good work but most especially for the purpose of assisting in the reorganization and upbuilding of the Y M C A in Raleigh, though they will go to other places to assist in any work by which good is to be accomplished. The organization is composed of the following young men: A H Yearby 1st tenor; W J Young, Jr. 2nd tenor; H L Harris, baritone, J W Cooper, basso. Their motto, "All for Jesus" and is the title of one of their favorite songs, and the quartette is named after one of our most respected citizens. Mr H L Harris is their manager, and those desiring the services of the club must make arrangements through him. He can be found at the Experiment station on Edenton street, opposite the capitol building. This club is composed of four earnest, noble Christian young gentlemen. Their excellent soul stirring vocal music is uplifting and helpful to any who have been fortunate enough to hear them, we wish them abundant success, and trust and believe they will be encouraged by all our people in their noble undertaking.

A FOUL MURDER.

Sawny Bryan Shot Dead While on the Banks of Neuse River Saturday Night About Nine O'clock.

CORONERS INQUEST BEING HELD TODAY—NO VERDICT RENDERED UP TO THE TIME OF OUR GOING TO PRESS.

We gather the following particulars of this sad affair from friends of the deceased and from different parties who were upon the scene of the murder on yesterday: Lemuel Bryan, better known as Sawny Bryan, is the son of J S Bryan, was about 33 years of age and lived with his father in St Mary's Township about one and a miles from Auburn. Sawny Bryan left his home last Saturday morning, telling his father that he was coming to Raleigh, and that he and Bob Pulley intended going fishing Saturday night. It was in evidence that Bryan came to the city and joined Bob Pulley; they went to Pulley's about five miles east of the city and one mile from the river. Taking supper at Pulley's they, then about dark, started to the river for the purpose of fishing, so Pulley says. They went down to the river about two hundred yards below where Crabtree creek enters the Neuse, to get a boat. Pulley says the boat they expected to find was gone. They (Bryan and Pulley) started down the river, having gone only a short distance Pulley says he heard the report of a gun and saw the fire, it being quite dark. That at the time the gun was fired Bryan was several paces from Pulley. Bryan called to Pulley and said, O! Bob, I am ruined. Pulley says he himself turned at once and ran for his life; that he ran over a bush and fell whereupon another shot was fired from the same direction. Pulley continuing to run until he reached home. He says he at once informed Mr Jones of what had happened and asked Mr Jones to get some one else to go with them down there to look after Bryan; that Mr Jones went after Mr Ray, a near neighbor, asked him to go but Mr Ray declined saying he was afraid to go. No one, so far as known, visited the scene of the murder until yesterday morning between seven and eight o'clock, when Pulley in company with several neighbors went down to the place and found Bryan cold and stiff. The facts show that he must have died instantly after he was shot. The authorities in this city were notified yesterday; the coroner could not be found conveniently, hence officer John Beasley was appointed special coroner; he went out and summoned six good and lawful men as a jury; they examined the body; also Dr James H Mc Kee, superintendent of health for Wake, after which the body was brought to the city yesterday evening. The inquest is being held today. Coroner Beasley has had quite a number of witnesses summoned. Solicitor Argo with his usual ability conducting the investigation. Dr James H McKee was examined; he described the nature of the wound; that it was a most fatal shot, the bullet entering Bryan's right breast passing through the lower lobe of the right lung, through the heart and out to the skin on the left side; from whence it was taken by the doctor this morning; the bullet was shown to the jury; the bullet was about a 38 calibre; the doctor said the bullet seemed to be one moulded by old fashioned moulds, it having a neck that had not been well trimmed. Several witnesses were examined in regard to the bullet. Mr G L Bunch who has been in hardware store of Messrs Briggs & Sons for several years, and has charge of the fire arms department, loading shells, &c; said he thought it was a 38 calibre. Julius Lewis, Esq, one of our oldest and most respected hardware men, was also examined. He said he

thought that the calibre was some larger, perhaps 40.

Bob Pulley was examined. His testimony was about as already stated. In his evidence Pulley said that he knew the lands to be posted where the proposed to fish; that Sawny Bryan told him that they (Ed Yarbboro, Bob Pulley and Sawny Bryan) had been forbidden to fish at that place.

After examination of Mr Pulley a recess was taken when our report closed.

We do not think a verdict will be reached to-day; if at all it will be at a very late hour. Everything will be done to ferret out and punish the murderer. We believe he will be found.

The funeral of Mr Bryan took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of Mr Otho Crabtree, on East Martin street.

Our Churches Yesterday.

CENTRAL M E CHURCH

The services at Central Methodist Church yesterday were of a very interesting and profitable character. The exercises at the Sunday School in the morning were quite interesting and out of the usual line, it being children's day. In addition to a very earnest address by the pastor, there were impressive recitations by Miss Cornelia Baily and Marvin Nash.

The sermon at 11 a m by the pastor, Rev L L Nash, was a very impressive and instructive one, on the character of the "Shunmite Woman whose child the prophet El'isha raised from the dead."

At night the subject was "In His Name." John 16 26 27. The discourse was the "Gospel Epitomized," in its sweetness, freshness and fullness. It was indeed a rich Gospel treat.

EDENTON STREET M E CHURCH.

Rev Mr Cordon, of Edenton Street M E Church, and Dr Watkins, of the First Presbyterian Church, exchanged pulpits yesterday morning. Dr Watkins at the 11 a m services, preached an earnest and highly interesting sermon. The sermon from beginning to the close gave his congregation much satisfaction, and all realized feeling that they were spiritually blessed from the services. Dr Watkins is one of the foremost preachers in his denomination.

We feel that it is helpful for pastors to exchange pulpits occasionally. It binds our Christian people together in bonds of friendship and unity.

At the 8 p m services, Mr Cordon took his congregation to olden times when class meetings was the order of the Church in those times, and contrasted the healthfulness of the Methodist Church at the present day and then. He showed very conclusively that the church now, having largely increased in members, yet, the spirituality is not so good as then. Mr Cordon was earnest in his appeal, especially on using the means of prayer.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE.

The Sunday School of the Baptist Tabernacle was well attended and several new scholars was enrolled. The school decided to have a Sunday school excursion on the 3d day of June at Tarboro, and all the necessary arrangements will be made by that time.

Two able sermons was preached by the pastor, Rev J J Hall, both at morning and night to large congregations.

Public School Entertainment.

To the Public:—

No more tickets can be sold for the entertainment tomorrow night, as all the seats on the lower floor of Metropolitan hall have been taken and the galleries are reserved for the children.

In case there is a desire for a repetition on the part of the public, the entertainment will be repeated on Wednesday night.

E P MOSES, Superintendent.

The Old North State The Best of All.

Rev C Durham, who has just returned from Fort Worth, Texas, where he had gone to attend the Southern Baptist Convention, says that the west is a great country; that Texas is a great country; its people are industrious, thrifty, and money making; building new cities. In a few years a great many other things could be said for her; but as for him, give him good old North Carolina, with the best water and climate in the world with her noble hearted, generous people; that if he can have his way about it, he will live and die in the good old North State.

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D T SWINDELL.

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The proper and picturesque route for business and pleasure travel from this city to the Catskill mountains, Saratoga and other New York State resorts, is by the West Shore Railroad. By taking the Pennsylvania Railroad passengers will make direct connection with the West Shore in Union depot at Jersey City, and commencing about June 15th drawing room cars are run through without change.

For tourist books, time tables and information regarding the West Shore Railroad call on or address H B Jago, General Eastern Passenger Agent, 363 Broadway, or C E Lambert, General Passenger Agent 5 Vanderbilt Avenue, New York City.

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