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LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION.

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Charles C. Holden—School for Boys.

In and Around the City.

Fixing up the slates.
Political wire working all the rage.
The school girls and boys will soon be with us again.

What has become of the annual fair. We hear very little about it.

The Asheville excursionists returned last night. All who participated speak of it as a most delightful trip.

Corn and meal on this market is now quoted at 80 cents per bushel by the car load.

The little son of deputy sheriff W. H. Rogers, Esq., is quite sick with the measles.

The Rescue Fire Company had a very nice practice with the Hook and Ladder Truck Company last night.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Baylus Cade, of Lenoir, conducted the prayer meeting service at the Tabernacle Church last evening. His talk upon the subject "A Man Sent From God," was one of the best we have heard for years. It was a plain, forcible outline of a Christian's duty. We hear it complimented on all sides.

Joe Horton, white, of Houses Creek township was committed to jail yesterday by Justice E. H. Ray, upon the charge of the theft of a cow from his father-in-law. A warrant has also been issued for him, charging him with stealing a horse in Durham county.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Mr. Charles C. Holden, who will open the second session of his school for boys on Monday, Sept. 1st. Mr. Holden is one of the most competent teachers in North Carolina and parents and guardians cannot do better than to give him their patronage.

A Large Crowd.

A friend has suggested that, in view of the large crowd that will be in attendance on the Democratic Convention next Saturday, Mr. Stronach's warehouse be secured for the purpose. He says that he has seen a number of persons from various parts of the county, all of whom think that Metropolitan Hall will not hold the crowd. We think it a matter that ought to receive prompt consideration. It is all important to have the delegates comfortably seated.

Death of Mr. Talbot Ligon.

We deeply regret to announce the death of this most estimable citizen which took place last night about 10 o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Pool on Hillsboro street.

Mr. Ligon has been extremely sick for several days and hence his death was not unexpected. He was 84 years old and had been identified in early life with the mercantile interests of our city.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock from the residence.

Nearly an Accident.

Last evening as the party that accompanied the remains of Mrs. Solomon King to Asbury were preparing to return to this city and had flagged down the mail on the Richmond and Danyille Road from Keyesville the party standing on the track of R. & A. Road, the dust and smoke obscuring the vision, before the party could board the R. & D. train, the mail on R. & A., came dashing down at big lightning speed almost, and only by the greatest effort was the track cleared and an awful calamity averted.

Picnic.

The farmers picnic and barbecue at Wake Forest on yesterday, was a grand success. Plenty of good things to eat. The Hon. J. C. Scarborough delivered the speech of the occasion. His speech was a complete vindication of the Alliance movement, which is the absorbing topic and of such great interest to the people of this great Nation.

Married.

VAUGHAN—VAUGHAN—At the residence of the bride's parents, corner of Davis and Wilmington streets, at nine o'clock last night, Mr. Pal. Vaughan was united in marriage to Miss Eva V. Vaughan, the Rev. J. H. Cordon, D. D., pastor of Edenton Street M. E. Church officiating. The bride and groom are both quite popular, and their hosts of friends will join the VISITOR in wishing them a long and happy wedded life. The contracting parties were the recipients of several handsome presents from their friends.

WILLIAMS—HOWELL—Mr. Chas. P. Williams and Miss Susan E. N. Howell both of this city, were happily united in marriage last night. The VISITOR joins their many friends in wishing them a long life of conjugal bliss. The ceremony was performed at the house of Mr. Junius Woodlief on the Hillsboro road near Temple's store by C. L. Harris, J. P.

President Thompson's Report.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last Tuesday night, Hon. A. A. Thompson, President of the Board submitted his annual address, which will be his last, retiring, as he does from the position. It is a most admirable make up of our present and prospective resources, and contains suggestions of the highest importance. He predicts that the pecuniary value of the cotton crop in Wake this season will exceed that of last year by \$80,000. He recounts the enterprises which he thinks will be consummated within the next two years. Summed up as follows: A belt line of railway. Land and Improvement Company; a Knitting Mill; an extension to the Yarbrough House; the location of the shops of the Georgia, Carolina and Northern Railroad; a well equipped gas works; a combination building for holding horse and cattle shows; the extension of the Albemarle and Raleigh Railroad; a stone roadway from the city to the Federal Cemetery; a grand State exposition for 1891, etc. He places the value of the real and personal property of the township at \$10,000,000.

It is an admirable presentation of our internal affairs upon which our entire people no less than President Thompson are to be congratulated.

Personal Mention.

Mr. John E. Ray, arrived in the city last night from Asheville. He is Superintendent of the institution for Mute and Blind of Colorado. Mr. Ray and family have spent several weeks in North Carolina, visiting relatives and friends. They will spend a day or so in the city and after visiting his father, near Neuse, he intends leaving for New York next Monday or Tuesday and from thence he will go back home to Colorado Springs, Colorado, when he will resume his studies in the institution over which he presides.

Mrs. W. N. Snelling is quite sick at her residence, corner Morgan and Person streets.

Mrs. Geo. W. Fentress and son Chester of San Francisco, California, arrived this a. m., to make a first visit to her husband's family. Mrs. Fentress is already very favorably known to quite a number of our N. C. people, having met them at the General Conference at St. Louis; since that time they have been visiting relatives in Ky.

We had the pleasure of a visit to day from our friend Mr. W. H. Britt of Garrettsville, who has just returned

from a trip to Asheville. He gives a glowing account of the "Land of the Sky."

Messrs. Kim. W. Weathers and Jno. M. Womble have returned from their visit to Asheville, and will leave to-morrow morning for New York and points of interest in that vicinity. They will be accompanied by Messrs. Walter Bishop of this city and Mr. C. M. Weathers of the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway.

Miss Fannie McPheeters returned this morning from Hickory, N. C., where she has been on a visit to the family of Mrs. P. C. Hall.

Mr. C. G. Whiting is back from a recruiting trip to the western part of the State.

Election of Officers.

The following is the elected officers of the Western North Carolina Conference, Woman's Missionary Society, for 1890-91:

President—Mrs. L. H. Robertson, Greensboro.

Vic-President—Mrs. J. E. Ray, Asheville.

Cor. Secretary—Mrs. F. M. Bumpass, Greensboro.

Rec. Secretary—Mrs. J. R. Brooks, Shelby.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. R. Odell, Concord.

Superintendent of Juvenile Work—Miss Anna Alston, Asheville.

Auditor—Mr. W. Odell.

Reserve Delegate to Woman's Board of Missions—Mrs. L. H. Robertson.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

Greensboro District—Mrs. L. M. Hendren, Winston.

Trinity District—Mrs. S. Thomas, Thomasville.

Salisbury District—Miss Lanier, Salisbury.

Statesville District—Mrs. W. M. Robins, Statesville.

Charlotte District—Miss S. E. Whisnant, Charlotte.

Shelby District—Mrs. H. S. Hudson, Shelby.

Mt. Airy District—Mrs. A. J. Gwyn, Elkin.

Asheville District—Mrs. J. E. Ray, Asheville.

Franklin District—Miss Furgerson.

Wanted the Returns Corrected.

Exchange.

"What's the mayor?"

The person who propounded this query stood in the door, a look of fiendish glee gleaming from beneath his shaggy brows. He was a small, lank, wiry looking chap, and seemed in a hurry.

"At his office, I suppose," replied a bystander; "what's up?"

"I'm up—right square on top for the first time in ten years."

"Ah! But what's the matter? What do you want with the mayor?"

"Want to have the returns corrected. You see, it's this way: When the census man was around about a month ago I was in bed with a sprained arm and a black eye. Mary Jane—that's my wife—and me had had a little argument the day before. Well she gin in the returns to the census man and said she was the head of the family, which was a fact at that time. But, gentlemen, the order ar' reversed and I want them returns corrected."

"What brought about the change?"

"I did, sir. Ever since we was married that woman has been bossin' me and the chil'un. Last week when she slapped Sarah out the door and broke her arm, I let it pass. But yesterday when she got mad and scalded my best 'possum dog, gentlemen, I jest nat'uallo couldn't stand it, and I lit in. I mopped the floor with her and put her to bed. I'm the head of that family now and goin' to stay so, and I want the returns corrected."

And with the air of a monarch he went out to hunt the mayor to have the returns corrected."

An incendiary fire at Vermillion, S. D., destroyed sixteen business buildings.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Five Bananas, Pears and fresh Taffy today. BARBER & POPE.

Fresh country butter and Eggs at R. H. WOMBLE'S.

For Rent.

A big nice lot and stables (6 stalls) two buggy shelters and one wagon shed, all in one enclosure, between Dr. McKee's and "Pullen House." A large hay loft attached. au14 2t J. R. BARKLEY.

Missed, Lost or Stolen.

Since July, small gold watch with red enameled face. Any one returning same will be rewarded. Return to 304 East Jones street and no questions asked. au14 1w.

Great Carpet and Boys Suit Sale

At 1/2 of former prices up to Sept. 1st. Every yard of carpet, every rug and every suit of boys clothes from 4 to 12 years of age in the house goes into this great slaughter sale at 1/2 of the usual price. This is an opportunity for securing first class goods at prices that will probably never be offered you again. This is a bonafide sale and will be continued up to Sept. 1st only. We invite your special attention at an early day to those two lines. At SWINDELL'S.

Choice Va. Shoulders and Sugar cured Hams. R. H. WOMBLE. 2t

Mrs. Justice's school will begin Monday, September 1st, 1890 at her residence 228 N McDowell street, Raleigh, N. C.

For Rent.

A nice cottage on Saunders Street, good neighborhood, water, &c., healthy locality. Terms moderate. Apply to T. T. Hay, over Citizens Bank, Fayetteville Street. au8 1w

Norris & Carter.

TREMENDOUS BARGAINS are being offered through our entire stock. Every article in our store must be sold in the next few weeks. Prices have been put on ever thing that will surely make them go. Many lines of goods have been marked at less than half price. Those having to buy any kind of dress goods, silks, notions, white goods, shoes, underwear or dress goods of any description will save 40 to 50 per cent. by buying at the great closing out sale, at NORRIS & CARTER'S.

Something Delicious.

Pineapple Sherbet, a popular summer drink at King & McGee's drug store. jy22 tf

Stanley Recovers a Lost Ring.

LONDON, August 9.—A ring which Stanley lost in Central Africa has just turned up in a remarkable manner. When the Anglo-American expedition started for Africa a ring was presented to Mr. Stanley engraved with his name, the name of the expedition, and the date. While exploring the lakes upon the occasion of his first march across the Dark Continent he lost the ring. After eight years it came into the possession of a Welsh missionary to the Congo, the Rev. W. C. Hughes, now President of the Congo Institute at Colwyn Bay, who bought it from a native. On returning to England this week he immediately called upon Mr. Stanley and returned it to him as a wedding memento.

The bakers of Lisbon are now on a strike.

The great Leary raft arrived at New York.

Union printers of Los Angeles, Cal., are striking against a reduction of pay from fifty cents to forty cents per 1,000 ems.

It is claimed that Talare county, Cal., will lose a round half million dollars for want of ships to carry its grain to Liverpool.

The authorities of the town of Wick, Scotland, presented Mr. Andrew Carnegie with the freedom of the town.

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CARPETS, CARPETS, CARPETS.

Many of our purchases for fall have already been opened, and we can now show a very full assortment of all grades of carpeting.

We do not care how small a quantity of carpeting one needs, or at what price, we have got the stock, and the prices are right. When one thinks of buying a carpet, all we ask is for them to come and see what we are showing and with the low prices which we offer them at, will make the matter of a selection an easy one.

We can show any grade that has ever been offered for sale in Raleigh.

We can begin with the cheapest cotton carpets, and go right along up, with every grade to the best Moquette. Every piece that we are telling you of, is not right new, and there are some bargains in the lot that are worth considering.

We are making it particularly interesting for those who will buy before September 1st.

W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co.