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LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION.

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In and Around the City.

Another heavy rain.
No break in the heat yet.
The city looks quiet after the Democratic State convention.

The meeting of the Directors of the Oxford Orphan Asylum to nominate a Superintendent, has been postponed until September 2nd.

L. R. Exline, Register of Deeds for Chatham county, has made the first return to the Auditor of the abstract of taxables for 1890.

The Mayor only had one case to engage his attention today. One party for disorderly conduct was fined two dollars and cost.

North Carolina 4 per cent. consols are now quoted at par. We congratulate Treasurer Bain, no less than the people of North Carolina generally.

We were shown yesterday evening by Mr. J. R. Ball, who is with Messrs. Barbee & Barbee, some of Parson's Scotch snuff put up in glass bottles in the old style before the war. This brand is familiarly known as Edger-ton snuff, and is very popular. Messrs. Barbee & Barbee are State Agents.

While others were sweating and fuming over hard times trying to get rid of old stock, Messrs. Whiting Bros. were going right along cool as a cucumber selling goods and industriously replenishing their stock with new nice goods. They are daily in receipt of new fall styles and will make their prices popular.

At the recent meeting of the State Farmer's Alliance in Asheville, some gentlemen that were present, say that it was one of the finest looking bodies of men they had seen together in years; that it was an intelligent body, and they believed that two thirds of the members would average 200 lbs apiece in weight—fine looking, and quite a number of very intelligent men were in attendance.

We have been asked the proper way to spell the name of the late Judge Murphy, from whom the Murphy school in this city takes its name. We are decidedly of the opinion that the name has no "e" in it. It is spelled the same as "Murphy" in Cherokee county. We hold to this opinion until some better acquainted with the matter shall state to the contrary. We have, however, seen the name written of late by some of our distinguished citizens with the "e," but must think they were mistaken. We think the title of the graded school is: "The Murphy School." Perhaps Dr. Kingsbury of the Wilmington Messenger, can help us out.

Excursion.

Messrs. King, Lacy and Sherwood are doing everything that is necessary to ensure a good time to all who may be so fortunate as to go with them to Wilmington, Wrightsville and Ocean View. The train leaves 27th at 9:40 a. m.; will return the 29th, leaving Wilmington at 8:15 a. m.

Married.

At the residence of W. M. Carter, Esq., South Person street, last evening at 9:30 o'clock, Rev. Dr. J. H. Gordon officiating, Mr. Wm. Myatt to Miss Emma Stephens. Both parties are of this city and have a wide circle of relations and friends, whose best wishes, together with those of the VISITOR, for long life, prosperity and happiness will go with them as they sit out in life together.

"I never realized what was meant by fingers of scorn," said a young Washington man, "until I proposed to a deaf mute and was rejected."

Masonic.

Hiram Lodge, No. 40, A. F. & A. M., will meet in special communication Friday evening 22nd inst, at 8 o'clock sharp, for work in the 1st degree. A full meeting of the membership is earnestly desired. Brethren of sister lodges cordially invited.

E. B. THOMAS Sec.

First Bale.

Mr. Pete Pool, near Auburn, in St. Mary's Township, brought in yesterday evening the first bale of new cotton and procured the prize of \$10 offered by Mr. J. H. Higgs. It was sold at auction and purchased by Mr. E. B. Barbee of the firm of Barbee & Barbee, wholesale grocers and cotton dealers, at 10¢. It seems appropriate that Mr. Barbee should have been the purchaser as he has, as large, if not the largest country trade of any house in the city.

There were five or six bales of new cotton on this market today. Mr. George Stephens, of Panther Branch Township, received the second premium offered by D. T. Swindell proprietor of the Big Racket Store, which was a nice suit of clothes.

Our Agricultural College.

The bill just passed by the Senate and House of Representatives to appropriate the sum of \$15,000 per annum to each of the States for Agricultural Colleges comes in a most opportune time for North Carolina. It is all the more so, because of the recent decision by Judges Seymour and Bond relative to the fertilizer tax, which will in the future to some extent, work to the injury of our college. We take it, of course, that the legislature will at its next session, supply the deficiency by a tonnage tax, the constitutionality of which is not doubted. This, with the National appropriation, will place us on a sound footing.

Executive Committee.

The following is the Executive committee appointed by the Democratic State Convention yesterday:

- 1st District—W. G. Lamb, H. Skinner, Gen. W. P. Roberts, Col. W. S. Carter.
- 2d District—J. B. Martin, J. W. Granger, W. J. Rogers, R. H. Speight.
- 3d District—W. A. Johnston, T. H. Sutton, A. C. Ward, M. J. Ham.
- 4th District—J. S. Carr, W. H. Peace, H. A. London, J. J. Young.
- 5th District—W. A. Bobbitt, A. E. Herndon, J. A. Barringer, R. B. Glenn.
- 6th District—H. B. Adams, J. S. Oliver, D. S. Cowan, B. R. Moore.
- 7th District—J. P. Caldwell, Will X. Coley, T. J. Redding, Dr. W. L. Crump.
- 8th District—B. C. Cobb, J. L. Webb, Will Barber, W. W. Scott.
- 9th District—A. H. Hayes, J. C. L. Bird, J. S. Anderson, J. M. Gudger.

Personal Mention.

We regret to learn that Mrs. F. A. Olds is quite sick.

Miss Janet Fuller, is on a visit to the family of her brother, Mr. W. W. Fuller, in Durham.

Mr. Robt. L. Horton, one of Cross & Linehan's clever salesmen, who has been off on a summer vacation, visiting his father, returned on yesterday and is on duty again, and will be pleased to have his friends call on him.

Miss Florence Love has returned from a very pleasant visit to relatives and friends in Granville.

Mr. S. J. Lamb, who has been putting in electric street car service at Winston, under the supervision of Mr. J. L. Ludlow, was in the city today. He informs us that he will move his family to Winston in a few days, and will make that his permanent home.

We were pleased to meet upon our streets this morning, Col. Harry Skinner and had a very lengthy talk with him which we enjoyed very much. The people of the east, indeed the people of our whole State, have no stronger or stauncher friend than Col. Skinner; may he live long to serve the interest of the people of our good old North State.

A Great Medium for Advertising.

We are informed by Mr. L. S. Packard that a large number of good men responded promptly to the call for men to advertise the State Fair, inserted in the EVENING VISITOR of Tuesday. This proof of the value of our paper as a means of putting wants before the people, and as an advertising medium as well as many other such proofs, is very gratifying to us.

Mary Jones.

Bills are now out for the Grand Star Concert of Mary Jones at Metropolitan Hall, next Wednesday night. She is said to be one of the finest singers and elocutionists of the colored race and her concerts in Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York, have drawn crowded houses and the most favorable criticisms. She is a native of Raleigh and the prospect is that she will have a crowded house. Her concert will be in the interest of the colored Presbyterian church of Durham. Box sheet at MacRae's drug store. Seats on the right reserved for white people. Admission 15 cents; reserved seats 25 cents; gallery 10 cents.

Died.

Mr. George W. Fentress, son of Mr. T. R. and Mrs. M. J. Fentress of this city, died in San Francisco, Cal., on the evening of the 20th, of paralysis of the brain, aged forty three years.

His wife and son Chester, who have been only one week with her husband's family left this morning for their distant home.

Mr. Geo. W. Fentress was a lawyer by profession, and an active and energetic christian gentleman, and as his boyhood promised, he won position and many friends in his adopted home.

(The VISITOR most deeply and sincerely sympathizes with the bereaved ones in their sad affliction. We knew the young man well and can testify to his many most excellent virtues. Peace to his ashes.)

Street Car Changes.

Owing to work necessary for grading purposes, on the Hillsboro street line, the road will have to be temporarily taken up from the railroad bridge to its terminus at Major Tucker's entrance. In view of the fact that this will hardly justify the company in running that line, the cars on that route will, for the present, be discontinued. As soon as the work of grading, &c., is finished the road will be relaid and the cars run as heretofore, to St. Mary's gate.

On the Blount street line, commencing tomorrow morning, the cars will run its schedule every twenty minutes from 8 a. m. until 4 p. m. as far as Gray's switch, on north Blount street. After 4 o'clock p. m. the cars will run the full length of the line. The company will be compelled to throw itself temporarily on the indulgence of the public. Of course the Hillsboro street route could not be run with advantage while the improvements in grading are going on. The difficulty, it is hoped, will be of short duration, and when full operations are resumed it will be better for the public as well as for the company.

A Tough Oxen.

Twin City Daily.

A correspondent writes that near Stuart, Va., a few days ago a large oxen while grazing near an old, unused well fell into it. Although the depth was fifty feet, he was not at all hurt. It required twenty one men to get the animal out, and when they had drawn him to the top Mr. Oxen deliberately began to graze as if nothing had happened. Can you beat that?

A Wisconsin man, now a resident of Denmark, has invented an improvement in the printing press by which three or more different colors may be printed at the same impression. He is successfully introducing it in Europe.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

W H & R S Tucker & Co.
When you visit our store ask to be shown the carpet room, it will pay you, whether you wish to buy a cents worth or not.

We are always glad to show any one through this department, where can be seen the largest stock, and the greatest variety of carpets in the state of North Carolina.

In prices we will compete with any houses in the country.

W H & R S TUCKER & Co.

Mr. J. R. Barkley, is now prepared to accommodate boarders at his boarding house, No. 213 East Edenton street, in the house known as the "Pullen House," recently purchased for the Baptist Female College. Reasonable terms made by the day, week or month. au15tf

Missed, Lost or Stolen.

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

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 iw

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.

Energy on the Farm

Wins success over competition just as surely as it does in any other business and, without energy, success cannot be attained where there is wide awake competition in any business. Mr. Peter Pool, of Auburn, and Mr. G. Stephens, of Panther Branch, the two gentlemen who brought in the first and second bales of new cotton respectively for this season are worthy examples of what we have just said. When you consider that these gentlemen had as competitors every farmer in the State, the fact that they out stripped them all speaks in the highest praise of their energy, pluck and rush. We admire rush and energy in any one; and it is with pleasure that we present these gentlemen with the \$10 cash prize for the first and the elegant suit of clothes for the second bale, and we hope that we may be able to present them with other premiums in the coming season. SWINDELL.

REV. SAM JONES will begin a series of meetings in Wilmington on the 27th proximo. Rev. Dr. Pritchard and Rev. Dr. Hoge condemn Mr. Jones' style of preaching, and "public opinion regarding the distinguished evangelist is much divided," says a correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch

The following notice was found sticking to the window of a vacant store room:

Store is vacant,
Sign "To Let!"
Former tenant
Had to get.
He in sorrow
Sets and sighs
'Cause he didn't
Advertise.

Mortgages been filed by the Louisville, New Orleans and Texas Railroad Company, covering the entire line from Memphis to New Orleans, for \$37,450,000, to secure the amount of the first mortgage bonds, and \$7,894,000 to secure the second mortgage bonds.

Hardware, &c.

— WE WANT —
— TO SELL —
EVERY CHILDS' CARRIAGE
NOW ON HAND.
MUST HAVE THE FLOOR ROOM.
WE OFFER EACH ONE AT EXACTLY COST.
AND HERE LET US SAY, THAT, WHAT WE MEAN BY COST,
Is exactly net price charged at factory with freight added.
THIS PRICE IS ONLY FOR CASH
THOMAS H. BRIGGS & SONS.

Dry Goods, Notions, &c.

McKimmon, Moseley & McGee.

WONDERFUL MIDSUMMER OFFERINGS

TO THE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN OF RALEIGH AND VICINITY:

\$20,000 WORTH

of all kinds of DRY GOODS

at prices that will astonish you.
We Shall not Carry any of our Spring and Summer Stock Over.

It is to your interest to investigate.
Our loss your gain.
Don't miss this grand opportunity.

WE MEAN BUSINESS.
McKimmon, Moseley & McGee

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

CARPETS.

21c.
This is for a fairly good cotton carpet, worth 25c of anybody's money. We have still cheaper carpets, too.

25c.
Get a better and prettier carpet, and looks as good as one much higher priced.

40c.
When you get up to this price you will be surprised to learn what you can buy for 40c per yard.

42 1-2c.
At 42 1/2c you can now buy a carpet that you had to pay 50c for.

We are headquarters for carpets, and everything that pertains to carpets, and we don't care what kind of carpet, rug, oil cloth, &c., you want. Let us show you what we have got and you need look no further. Prices and everything else will suit.

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