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NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

What Our Reporters See and Hear Worth Giving to Our Readers—News in Brief.

Rev. L. L. Nash, D.D., will preach at the Union Mission tonight.

Messrs. Jno. U. Smith & Co., have bought out Mr. N. V. Denton, on the North side of market square.

The Board of County Commissioners were in regular monthly session today. Mostly routine business was transacted.

The city is crowded with people today drawn hither by the Superior Court now in session and the meeting of the General Assembly next Wednesday.

The Wilmington Star says: The editors of the Durham Globe and Raleigh Chronicle are exchanging testimonials of mutual regard. The language they are couched in is about as warm as a hot poker, and as vigorous as a brick.

The County Board of Education were in session today and transacted the usual routine business. An apportionment of 75 cents per capita was made and one third to equalize school taxation.

Rescue Fire Company.

This company will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Members will govern themselves accordingly.

The Schools.

The graded schools of this city all started up again this morning after the Christmas recess. Prof. G. P. Jones, of the Raleigh Business College has entered upon his duties as instructor in vocal music.

Personal Mention.

Miss Kate Eudy, of Jamestown, is in the city, visiting her sister, Mrs. N. L. Brown on Hillsboro street.

Mrs. A. Pauli, is critically ill at her residence 515 South Person street.

Col. J. D. Cameron, of Asheville is in the city.

Wake Superior Court.

The January term of this court for the trial of criminal cases commenced today, Judge Winston presiding. The docket is not unusually large, but there are several cases of a very serious nature. Among these is that of the State vs. W. E. Hogue, who was indicted last summer for killing a colored man whom he attempted to arrest, Hogue being at the time a police officer of the city of Raleigh. At the fall term of the court the presiding judge was taken sick and Hogue was remanded to jail to await trial at the present term. At the conclusion of the Judge's charge to the grand jury today, Officer Hogue was brought into court, and after a conference among the lawyers representing the State and the defence, a special venire of one hundred men was drawn and the list placed in the hands of the sheriff. The trial was then set for Thursday next.

The following is a list of the grand jurors drawn for the term, with the exception of two who were discharged:

A. C. Council, foreman; Jno. W. Reddick, Jno. Newsome, Chas. Finch, J. W. Price, T. J. Cozart, W. R. Jones, J. H. Glenn, S. M. Parrish, J. L. Stevens, J. M. Jones, Jr., D. S. Avera, S. J. Mitchener, A. W. Richardson, W. J. Bradford, J. M. Peebles.

The charge of Judge Winston to the jury was the subject of most favorable comment. It was terse, but sufficiently elaborate to embrace all the duties incumbent upon "the grand inquest for the county."

Watermelon in January.

The Daily Standard of Concord, N. C., boasts of feasting upon a luscious melon on January 1st, which was presented to that favored office by a farmer of that vicinity.

Fortunate Standard.

"Fabio Romani."

Mr. Aiden Benedict who visited our city some few years ago in "Monte Cristo" and gave such satisfaction, returns this season with his recent New York success "Fabio Romani" a dramatization of Marie Correlli's novel "The Vendetta" favorably known among novel readers. Mr. Walter Lawrence and Miss Frances Field are in the leading roles, supported by a competent company. The scenery and effects are said to be very realistic and very handsome. Metropolitan Hall on Thursday, January 8th, should be crowded to greet this excellent Company, as it will be the event of the season.

I. O. O. F.

On tomorrow night, the regular weekly meeting of Manteo Lodge No. 8, I. O. O. F. will take place at their lodge room over the Citizens National Bank, corner of Fayetteville and Martin streets. The Degree Staff will confer the First Degree of Odd Fellowship; candidates will confer quite a favor upon the Degree Staff by being on hand promptly at 7:15.

This will be the first regular meeting for the present term, consequently much business of importance and of great interest to every member will be transacted. We are requested to state also that the District Deputy with his Degree Staff will install the newly elected officers. It is hoped that every member of the lodge will be present. All Odd Fellows are most cordially invited.

Georgia Minstrels.

This celebrated troupe will appear here next Wednesday night. The following is from the New Orleans Picayune:

The crowd at the Avenue Theatre last night was a sight worth seeing, this immense building being packed throughout with an audience that received with enthusiasm the fun making of the Richards & Pringle's Georgia Minstrels, composed of genuine colored men. In deference to the large colored patronage secured by the attraction, a large part of the best portions of the house have been divided off for their comfort. The minstrels are headed by Billy Kersands and Frank Mallory, whose abilities as comedians are well known. The troupe is a good one, and the performance is well worth seeing. The minstrels play throughout the week.

Female Industrial School.

We learn from our exchanges that petitions are now being circulated by ladies in some of the towns of this State, which will be presented to the Legislature, asking it to take some steps for the establishment of an industrial training school for young women. What particular action they will ask the Legislature to take, we do not know, but a movement of this kind is something which commends itself to the thoughtful and friendly consideration of the people of the State and of their representatives. We have now one manual training school for young men, at Raleigh, at the Agricultural College, which is a good thing, and there is talk of adding this feature to the graded schools in Charlotte. These schools are good things for boys, they would be good things for girls too, and they who are laboring to establish them should meet with every encouragement.

Theatre Burned.

The Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York, was burned on January 2nd. Great excitement and loss of property but no loss of life reported. This same spot suffered the same calamity 18 years ago.

It is reported that over 200 lives were lost by the burning of the steamship Shanghai, near Woo Hoo, which occurred recently.

Our Churches Yesterday.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The services at the Christian Church yesterday were better attended than for the past two weeks. At the morning hour the pastor preached a beautiful sermon, and in the evening one filled with grand and noble thoughts.

CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH.

Yesterday Rev. Dr. Cordon filled Dr. Nash's pulpit, and preached a good earnest sermon to an attentive congregation in the morning. At night Rev. Dr. Cunningham, the Presiding Elder of the district, preached his first sermon at this church for the year. It was a good earnest practical effort, one calculated to do good. The sacrament was administered in the morning. There were two members received by letter.

The Sunday School had an interesting session, with an attendance about the average. This school and the congregations are evidently on the increase.

EDENTON STREET M. E. CHURCH.

Yesterday morning at Edenton Street M. E. Church, Rev. Dr. J. A. Cunningham, Presiding Elder, preached one of his impressive sermons to a large and appreciative congregation. After the sermon, communion services were held, administered by the Presiding elder, assisted by Dr. F. L. Reid.

At 7:30 o'clock, Rev. L. L. Nash, D.D., occupied the pulpit, and preached an extraordinary sermon. His subject was "Co-operation in doing good." He admonished the Christian Churches to be united in their efforts to redeem the world. His congregation was large, and the sermon was appreciated.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the First Baptist Church Sunday morning, Rev. Dr. Carter preached an impressive solemn, instructive and historical sermon, from Psalm 90:9, latter clause of the verse: "We spend our years as a tale that is told." He spoke of the many events that happened during the past year throughout the world; of the sudden deaths of prominent persons; of the deaths that had occurred among the members of his church during the past year—giving the names of twelve—and spoke with solemn emphasis and told the congregation this year would be the last, no doubt, with some of his hearers and warned them of the importance of being prepared for the summons. His sermon was especially fine, the singing good and the congregation large. The Lord's Supper was partaken of after the sermon. At the evening service he preached his fourth sermon of a series of seven on "The sayings of Christ on the Cross." Subject in the evening was Christ answer to the thief on the cross: text Luke 23:42,43. He handled the subject in a masterly way, exploding the doctrine of Purgatory &c. Subject next Sunday night Christ's cry of agony, &c. Seats are free and a cordial welcome extended to all.

BROOKLYN M. E. CHURCH.

At Brooklyn M. E. Church, Rev. C. O. DuRant, the new pastor, preached to the satisfaction and profit of that congregation yesterday. Their Sunday School is in a prosperous condition.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE.

At the Baptist Tabernacle, Dr. Hall preached two interesting and profitable sermons to large congregations both morning and at night. There were twelve members received into the church. The Sunday School was well attended there being about three hundred and seventy five present.

Fairfield, Texas is suffering a terrible scourge of meningitis or spotted fever. Nearly all business is suspended and business houses closed.

Armour & Co., of Chicago, were having an old packing house removed a few days since, when the walls fell suddenly, burying a number of workmen. Two were taken out dead and others fatally injured.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

From Yesterday's Dispatches.

A man in Jackson county, Oregon, found himself last fall without farm help, and no prospect of getting any. Accordingly, he harnessed the engine of his steam thrasher to eight plows, run them himself, and plowed 120 acres a day at a cost for fuel of about \$5. The Connecticut Yankee has evidently gotten loose in Oregon.

On Thirteen Mile Creek in West Virginia, five children are reported lost in the snow storm, and at last accounts had not been found. They have doubtless perished.

Dreams of the Deaf.

Philadelphia Inquirer.

An expert West Philadelphia physician, in talking of the dreams of the deaf and dumb remarked:

"In visiting institutions for the blind and the deaf, I have made inquiry, and have never found an instance of a person born deaf, or a child who lost his hearing before he was four years of age, dreaming of hearing. Among the results of recent inquiries I present the following from the principal of the State Institution of the Blind and Deaf at St. Augustine, Fla.:

"I have closely questioned the deaf children here as to whether they have ever dreamed of hearing, and the invariable answer is 'No.' I have asked the same question of upward of fifty deaf persons with the same result, except where the person interrogated had lost his hearing after learning to talk. These last mentioned are all grown persons of some education who understood the question fully, and are very positive that they had never dreamed of hearing more than a rumbling sound."

We clip the following from the Charlotte News: We are glad to announce the promotion of E. A. Jones, who has been connected with the Seaboard Air Line system at Raleigh, to a position in the Auditor's office of the Raleigh and Gaston and Raleigh and Augusta Air Lines railroads.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Bananas 75c to \$1 per bunch at D. T. Johnson's.

Mrs. T. P. Bishop removed to 110 South McDowell street. Office hours from 9 to 12 a. m., and 4 to 9 p. m. January 2, 1w.

Lost.

A black dog (Gordon setter). Answers or recognizes its name—"Bruno." Has collar on with tax bridge No. 89. Will pay a liberal reward for his return to A. J. Jackson, 606 Saunders street. wtfp

Norris' Dry Goods Store.

While taking an inventory of the stock we have laid aside quite an assortment of Gents' and Children's fine Shirts which we intend to clear out at prices that will make them go quick, we have reduced the price on blankets just in the height of the season. Some SPECIAL BARGAINS can be found in every department. Call early and reap the benefits.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

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OUR ANNUAL CLEARING SALE.

—ON—

MONDAY, JAN. 5,

We begin our annual clearing sale. Now, we do not mean by this, that every piece of stuff we have is marked down, but carrying the quantity of stock we do, the amount of goods included in this sale will probably amount to \$20,000.

The goods included in this sale we wish placed before Feb. 1st as then we take our annual inventory, and we had rather have these goods sold at even greater reduced prices than have them upon our shelves at that time. This is a golden opportunity for economical buyers, and when shopping at the different departments, ask for the goods included in this sale, because we have lots of stuff that will be turned into money by Feb. 1st.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.