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NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

The city is full of people from all over the State, here looking in upon the Legislature.

Mr. J. A. Hamilton the sheriff of Alamance county, settled with the Treasurer yesterday. Amount paid was \$10,287.52.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Morehead, arrived here yesterday afternoon from Philadelphia and were taken to Christ Church.

Wilmington is luxurating and bragging on fine beef from Mt. Airy, which was raised on the fine pasture lands of the Yadkin Valley.

Mr. B. W. Hatcher has been appointed Grand Lecturer of masons for the State, to take the place of Dr. Eugene Grissom who has moved his residence beyond this jurisdiction.

The lobbies of the two Houses of the General Assembly have not been very numerous attended so far. The real work of the session will not commence until the committees have been appointed and make reports.

The sale of the property in Oberlin known as the Richard Whitaker lot, which was advertised to be sold yesterday by Messrs Pace & Holding, has been postponed until Monday, 12th instant.

The cleaning up at the round-house of the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, lately destroyed by fire, is progressing with great rapidity. We hear that the loss will be quite insignificant when compared with the first reports. In rebuilding the round house, it is contemplated to make it much larger, as well as to make many valuable improvements.

The Seaboard Air Line announces the following reduced rates for the occasion of the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Raleigh, tickets to be sold January 12th and 13th, good returning till the 22nd inclusive; Charlotte, \$7.45; Henderson, \$2.45; Lincolnton, \$8.45; Rutherfordton, \$10.20; Sanford, \$2.45; Shelby, \$2.20; Weldon, \$5; Wilmington, \$7.05; Maxton, \$2.75.

The VISITOR will publish each day the proceedings of the General Assembly, and members of the Legislature who wish to furnish the proceedings, to their constituents can have the VISITOR sent to them postage paid for TWENTY FIVE CENTS a month. The VISITOR will be delivered to members at their hotels or boarding houses by carriers if desired every evening. Send in your lists gentlemen.

Mr. W. N. Snelling, who has been with Messrs. Barbee & Barbee for the past five years, has accepted a position with the large grocery and commission house of Crowder & Rand, corner of Wilmington and Martain streets. Mr. Snelling will be pleased to have his friends call upon him at his new place of business where he will take great pleasure in serving them to their interest. We congratulate Messrs. Crowder & Rand in securing Mr. Snelling.

AIDEN BENEDICT'S 'Fabio Romani' is one of the strongest, best acted and best dressed plays ever presented in a Pittsburgh theatre. Walter Lawrence is an agreeable as a talented actor, and in this play he has two characters that are well suited to his style and range. He is well supported by Miss Frances Field and a good company. The scenery is brilliant and effective, especially the Bay of Naples, and the eruption of Vesuvius and the earthquake scene.—Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette.

Last week the Indians, according to the reports, had Uncle Sam's troops surrounded. Now the troops seem to have the Indians surrounded in the "Bad Lands" so they can't get out. So it goes. Poor Indians.

Died.

Last night, at the residence of Mr. W. B. Hutchings, 412 Elm street, Rev. Daniel Culbreth, in his 83d year.

The funeral services will be held from the residence tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. Friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend.

Fabio Romani.

The citizens of Raleigh will have an opportunity tonight of witnessing the rendition of Aiden Benedict's Fabio Romani, pronounced by critics to be the best play now on the road and which has created great sensation throughout the country. It would seem to be hardly necessary to urge our people to fill the hall. Let all turn out and witness a first class entertainment.

Personal Mention.

Rev. W. S. Black, D.D., Superintendent of the Oxford Orphan Asylum arrived in the city yesterday afternoon to attend a meeting of the Board of Directors of Asylum, which takes place tonight.

Mrs. Julia McGowan, of Spartanburg, sister of Judge McGowan of South Carolina, is in the city visiting the family of S. W. Whiting.

Mr. P. H. Pelletier and Mr. James A. Bryan, of New Berne, N. C., were in the city yesterday taking in the Legislature &c.

Judge A. C. Avery, is in the city.

Election of Officers.

The following officers of the Victor Fire Company have been elected for the ensuing year:

Foreman—S. J. Hawkins, Jr.
Assistant—T. B. Burgess.
Secretary—S. P. Mallett.
Treasurer—Ben Wall.
Pipemen—P. Haywood and S. G. Smith.

Engineer—J. J. Allen.
Alarm—C. M. Hunter.
Doorkeeper—C. Cardwell.

Georgia Minstrels.

A very large audience greeted this splendid troupe at Metropolitan Hall last night, and it is safe to say that no performance of the kind ever given in this city elicited more genuine praise. In each and every part they not only equalled but surpassed any minstrel company that has ever visited Raleigh. In the strictest sense of the term, "they brought down the house." We most cordially commend them to the amusement loving public wherever they go, and we are certain that they will always meet a most cordial reception in Raleigh.

Wake Superior Court.

His Honor Judge Winston presiding:

Court met at 9:30 o'clock.

State vs W. H. Chappell; enticing servant; guilty; judgment reserved.

State vs Prince Collins; defendant pleads guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State vs Robert Stewart, col., and Harlie Cooper alias Blanche Lee, white f. and a.; guilty; 12 months on the roads as to Robt. Stewart, and 14 months as to Harlie Cooper.

State vs John Mangum, col.; larceny; guilty; 5 months on road.

State vs Janus Johnson; murder; defendant arraigned, and case set for trial Tuesday, January 13, 1891, at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Special venire of 100 men ordered and drawn from the tax.

The court today has been engaged on the case of the State vs Hogue. The morning was taken up in the selection of the jury which is as follows:

Marion Purefoy, J. R. Pearce, C. B. Liles, J. C. Ross, W. C. Buffalo, J. M. Proctor, B. T. Wilson, J. B. Timberlake, W. H. Rand, J. E. Council, F. P. Pearce, J. E. Ballentine.

The examination of witnesses is now in progress.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SECOND DAY.

Senate called to order by Senator Turner, of Iredell, who announced that the Lieut. Governor was absent in attendance on the funeral of P. C. Cameron, at Hillsboro.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Carter, of the First Baptist Church.

The journal of yesterday read and approved.

INTRODUCED.

A resolution was introduced by Senator Butler to appoint a joint committee (consisting of five on the part of the Senate and eight on the part of the House) on railroad commission. Calendar, and afterwards passed.

Resolution concerning State library. Resolution by Senator Lucas to appoint five Senators and seven Representatives on joint committee on rules.

Following bills were introduced:

To amend charter of Charlotte.

To amend Code relative to interest.

To charter Real Estate Improvement Co. of Wilmington.

To amend Code relative to acknowledgment of deeds.

To amend chap. 63, 1885, of Code, relative to criminal code.

To punish persons who use language calculated to cause a breach of the peace.

The resolution concerning the State library was taken from the calendar. It proposed to keep the library open at extra hours and employ a person at \$1 per day to attend to it. Wide discussion ensued; passed.

Message received from the House of Representatives announcing the organization of that body; also message concurring in appointment of committee to wait on the Governor.

A bill was introduced relative to the better care of lunatics, inebriates, deaf and dumb, &c.

A resolution, that a joint select committee be appointed consisting of five Senators and seven Representatives to consider the subject of redistricting the State, was passed.

A resolution was offered and placed on calendar concerning the University, and Agricultural and Mechanical College.

The Senate adjourned until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

At 11 o'clock the House met, speaker Doughton presiding. After a prayer by Rev. Dr. Carter, the member from Dare was sworn in, and a message from the Senate, announcing its organization was read. The Senate's resolution notifying the Governor of the organization was also concurred in.

Mr. Sutton offered a resolution in regard to the repeal of the law against State banks of issue, as it now exists under the United States revenue laws. It urges Senators and Representatives to use every effort to secure the repeal of the act, imposing a ten per cent tax on such banks. He spoke in favor of the immediate adoption of the resolution. Mr. Skinner said he fully coincided with Mr. Sutton in his view. Mr. Jones, of Wake, favored the resolution, which was adopted; yeas 106, nays 3.

The rules of the last House were adopted. Mr. Watson, of Robeson offered a resolution to raise a joint select committee on railway commission. Mr. Stancill one to repeal the law regarding the Sale of seed cotton.

Of bills there were introduced: Mr. Sutton to protect the baggage of the traveling public and to incorporate the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of New Berne; Bryan, of Wayne, to equalize taxation; Mr. Skinner, to perpetuate records; Mr. Yancy, to give the Roxboro Land Company banking privileges; Mr. Hood, of Mecklenburg to amend the act to empower that county to fund its indebtedness, and to incorporate the requests of the Presbyterian Orphan

House; Mr. Halman, to amend the code as regards to the registration deeds; Mr. Pritchard, to prohibit the sale of deadly weapons; Mr. Beck, to abolish December term of Davidson Superior Court.

The Governor's message was then read; it is a long document and covers forty five pages, type written; it starts out with the public debt, stating that all the suits against the State regarding the public debt, etc. (such as the Temple case) were all decided in the State's favor. The matter of the Swasey suit, regarding the State's stock in the North Carolina Railroad, was also finally disposed of. The States indebtedness and assets can now, says the Governor, be for the first time definitely ascertained.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Seaton Gales Lodge, No. 64, I. O. O. F. tonight, Initiatory and First Degree will be conferred. Candidates will be on hand promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Every Odd Fellow in the city are cordially invited. P. THOM, Secretary.

5,000,000 Bales of Cotton.

Bradstreet estimates the cotton crop of 1890 at eight million bales. North Carolina shows the largest percentage of gain. Texas raised the largest number of bales of any other State, and the largest number of bales of any former year in that State.

If the Legislature of North Carolina does not thoroughly understand the oyster business and its vital interest to the State and to the citizens, it will be no fault of our people. Every phase of opinion has been represented in the Economist, and the oystermen will make known their views upon the subject at their meeting at the Courthouse in this place today.—Economist.

The Thief Failed to Find It.

A thief stole a suit of clothes from Mr. Newman, of No. 329 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday, the 5th, and pawned the coat which was soon found by the police and identified by the owner who joyfully found \$47 remaining in the pocket which had escaped the notice of both the thief and the pawn broker.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Rooms to rent at 110 West Martin st. ja6 HENRY FENDT.

Boarders.

Five or six gentlemen can get board and lodging at E. G. Horton's, South Person street, Raleigh, N. C. 2t

There are thousands of bargains now on exhibition at Swindell's. While taking account of stock we found a great many goods which we are anxious to turn into money, and they are being offered at prices to cause you to buy. For instance Canton Elannel, Millinery Goods, Jewelry, Blankets, Silk Hats, &c., at SWINDELL'S.

For Rent.

A six room cottage, on West Jones street, adjoining the residence of Dr. W. S. Black. Apply to Rev. L. L. Nash, 730 North Blount street.

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.

Norris' Dry Goods Store.

Inventory completed, and prices reduced in all heavy goods. "Jobs" offered in every department. We are receiving now ladies fine shoes for spring wear. Also gents handsome calf bals and congress gaiters. Especially low prices are asked for our fine Hamburg embroideries and laces. Money can be saved by buying underwear from us, and we offer the best hosiery in the city for the price. 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 \$50,000.

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 greatly 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.

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