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NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

The estimate generally placed upon the estate of the late Paul C. Cameron, Esq., is about \$1,250,000.

While there is a considerable number of cases of measles in the city, it is said to be of a mild type. There is no cause for alarm.

The General Assembly has gotten down to hard work. They seem to be in earnest so far as pushing matters are concerned.

A considerable number of the members of both Houses of the Legislature have been suffering with severe colds, during the past few days, necessitating absence from their seats. Some think it the prevailing "grippe."

Attention is called to the advertisement of Mr. J. S. Wynne, secretary, of the annual meeting of stockholders of the Raleigh cotton mills which takes place on Jan. 28th, 1891.

The daughter of Mr. A. L. Ferrell was taken ill and fainted this morning at the Murphey school. Some alarm was caused to her friends, but we trust nothing serious will result.

The Board of Aldermen will hold a called meeting tonight to consider a matter of great importance to our city, and every member is expected to be present. Action must be taken at once, or the city will lose one of the finest opportunities ever presented for its acceptance.

Can you do it? Do what? That sum of Whiting Bros. It has puzzled sharper heads than yours. A prominent mathematician in this city expresses it as his opinion that, if it can be solved at all, it is a difficult problem. The boys are sending in their answers rapidly.

The election of United States Senator takes place tomorrow in accordance with law. It will be an interesting event and doubtless a large crowd of spectators will be present. There will be no contest, as Senator Vance doubtless will receive a very large majority.

The Street Car Railway is being rapidly pushed. There was some little delay, during a few days of last week on account of inclement weather, but, as the present week has opened clear, we may hope to hear of much headway. We are promised that the new system will be in working order in a few weeks. Let us all be patient.

We are glad to learn that work on the Petersburg and Ridgway railroad, is progressing rapidly, and that it will not be long before a new and shorter route will be opened between Raleigh and the "Cockade City." This will be of great benefit to our people, as the present schedule is by no means reliable as a means for rapid transit in the way of passengers and mails.

There seems to be more trouble among the resident and pirate oystermen in the Sounds of Eastern North Carolina. It is to be hoped, that the bill now pending in the General Assembly will remedy the difficulty. It has been already too long, a source of contention against the "peace and dignity of the State."

The death of George Bancroft, the great historian, statesman and politician took place in Washington City last Saturday evening. He was born in October 1800. He was at one time, minister to Great Britain, and also minister to Germany under President Johnson. He was better known as the author of the History of the United States.

Skating Rink.

There is a rumor to the effect that the young men of Raleigh will organize a well formed skating club. They will open with a masquerade skate. The public will be invited. Date will be announced later.

Masonic.

A regular communication of Hiram Lodge, No. 40, A. F. and A. M., will be held this evening at 7 o'clock. A full meeting of the membership is desired. Brethren of sister lodges are cordially invited. E. B. THOMAS, Secretary.

Matrimonial.

A social event is now being looked to with great interest, as our highly esteemed fellow citizen Charles M. Busbee, Grand Sir of the Independent order of Odd Fellows, will lead to the Hymenial altar, a most accomplished lady of Washington City, next Wednesday. One of the prominent State officials it is said, will act as "best man," and a leading society lady of Raleigh will be one of the brides' maids. May great happiness attend all concerned.

Don't, Gentlemen—"Ye be Brethren."

We are sorry to see our friends of the N. and O. and C. on the war path and marching in converging directions. Doubtless public pap is exceedingly palatable pabulum to a printer's palate, or pocket, either for that matter, but; Let dogs delight to bark and bite, For God hath made them so; Let bears and lions growl and fight For 'tis their nature to. "But, brethren, you should never let Your angry passions rise, Your little hands were never made To tear each others eyes."

Y. M. C. A.

It is a matter of deep regret, that while in some other cities and towns of North Carolina, the Young Men's Christian Associations are in a flourishing condition, there is a complete let down of the Institution here. There should be no good reason for this. There is not in the State a more religious or a more moral community than ours and it is indeed a little singular that an association so well calculated to promote good, should be allowed to languish. We should be able at the Capital of the State to sustain an association on a firm and lasting basis. We should have a first class building amply provided with all the appliances necessary to interest our young men in the way of innocent past-times. Let our people look into the matter, and let us not be left behind in a matter of so much importance to all citizens. Who will start the movement and aid in making it a grand success.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Mary J. Bellamy, who has been dangerously ill, has somewhat improved.

Collector E. A. White who for several days has been on the sick list is able to be on duty again.

R. B. Hunter, Esq., a well known newspaper man and Educator, of Western North Carolina, at present State Lecturer of the Farmers' Alliance, is in the city today. He reports the order in a flourishing condition in all parts of the State.

We are very sorry to learn that S. M. Dunn, Register of Deeds, who has been ill for several days is not expected to last through the day.

Bee Hive Loan Office,

118 South Wilmington street, Prairie Building, buys every conceivable thing. When you are moving from Raleigh don't forget this. If you are moving into the city and need any thing in household and kitchen furniture, odds and ends, you will find here new and old at your own price. Bee Hive Store, in the rear of W. H. & R. S. Tucker's store, H. J. Dowell, manager.

For Sale.

A good horse, buggy, wagon and harness. M. P. Stone, admr., Jolly's jewelry store, 128 Fayetteville street. Ja19 3t

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

ELEVENTH DAY.

SENATE.

MONDAY, JAN. 19.

Called to order at 11 o'clock by Senator Turner, of Iredell, Lieut. Gov. Holt being absent.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. L. L. Nash, of this city.

Several unimportant petitions were presented.

Bills were introduced as follows: To repeal chapter 133, laws 1885, relative to manner of entering lands.

To consolidate and fund the debt of Wilmington.

To provide where offenders shall be prosecuted in cases where a mortal wound is inflicted on the high seas or within the State when death occurs in this State.

To amend the Constitution so as to allow the General Assembly to increase and regulate the jurisdiction and powers of the justices of the peace for the purpose of reducing costs in minor cases.

To regulate and define fees of officers in actions wherein claims and delivery is resorted to.

To amend Code relative to mileage, &c., of county commissioners.

To change certain irregularities in the revision of the jury lists.

To establish an industrial school for colored persons.

Senator Williams, of Pitt, asked that the bill to regulate interest be taken from the hands of the committee and discussed. The Senator addressed the Senate until 12 o'clock when the special order was announced.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The bill for the better protection of the oyster interests of North Carolina was taken up at 12 o'clock as a special order. (The bill gives the Governor the powers of the militia and authorizes the Treasurer to pay expenses.)

The Senate was addressed by the Senators from Craven and New Hanover, both in favor of the minority report.

The bill finally passed its several readings and was ordered to be engrossed.

A proposition was made to reconsider and this was laid on the table.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The opening prayer was by Rev. Dr. J. H. Cordon, of this city.

Among the petitions introduced was one asking for the establishment of State Industrial School for girls.

The principal bills introduced were the following:

Incorporating the town of Ayden, Pitt county.

To promote and protect the oyster interests.

To re-inter the remains of Gen. Jethro Sumner on Guilford Battle Ground.

To regulate fishing.

To incorporate Table Rock Academy.

To incorporate the town of Glenville, Jackson county.

To incorporate the Carolina & Virginia Railway Co. (To extend from Madison, Rockingham county, to the most principal point on the Raleigh & Gaston R. R.)

The bill amending the Code in regard to the acknowledgment of deeds was taken up and passed. It permits a person who desires to make a deed in another county to do so without going to the latter county.

The bill changing the act in regard to the number of jurors in the criminal courts of New Hanover and Mecklenburg counties, so as to make it conform to the general law; passed its final reading.

A bill was also passed amending the law requiring widows who apply for support to apply to two personal representatives, the change being that if the personal representative does

not in 10 days make the application, the widow may do so herself.

The bill allowing Wilmington to purchase lands outside its corporate limits, for a public park; passed its final reading.

The bill extending to Jackson, Swain, Macon, Cherokee and Graham counties the provisions of the road law; passed its several readings.

The bill in regard to the Agricultural and Mechanical College (giving it 12 1/2 per cent on each \$1 collected on the school fund the remaining 8 1/2 per cent going to the public schools in the county where collected) was tabled.

A bill to enable the law officers to break up gambling in secret places, at fairs and in fence corners, was passed, as was also one to extend the corporate limits of Brevard in Transylvania county, and one to permit fish trapping in Swannanoa river.

An important bill was taken up being one to levy a tax of 25 cents on commercial fertilizers and fertilizing material, to be paid annually before the delivery of the same to any agent, merchant or consumer, the payment of such tax to be designated by a tag under the control of the Commissioner of Agriculture; passed.

Bill incorporating New Wilkesboro; passed 2d reading.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

For Rent.

A two story house for rent on West Morgan Street. Inquire of Mrs. Julia Fisher. 1w

Norris' Dry Goods Store.

Gents fine hand sewed shoes, from now until February 1st at \$3.75 Hanans & Dorch's make. The regular prices were \$4.89 and \$5.00 a pair. This reduction does not effect the quality but to the wearer means a considerable saving of money. They are perfectly good, regular stock, but remnants of lots, with all a great bargain—for beauty, style and fits. Our \$3.00 congress gaiters and lace shoes for gentlemen's wear are unequalled. Rubber shoes and umbrellas with us are "quick sellers," the prices we ask, for the qualities we sell, has something to do with this. We sell a handsome gossamer for only \$1.25. Our Stock of Blankets at Cost to Close.

NORRIS' DRY GOODS STORE.

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

Ladies should not forget, that right now our entire stock of wraps are going at lower prices than ever before at this season. We haven't many days more before stock taking, and we will dispose of every one possible by February 1st. Separate from the regular line, is a lot, some of which are from last season, though the styles can scarcely be told from garments bought last fall. The wraps in this lot, are worth from \$10 to \$25, we now price them from \$5 to \$9.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & Co.

An Impertinent Question

Mister do you wear white shirts? Well you need not say it is none of my business; but if you do wear shirts you or your boys, I can interest you, hold you spell bound, for I have an amazing story of white shirts, nicely laundered. Don't get weary for this is well doing. An Albany shirt factory has sent me a fine lot and a big lot of men's and boys' white shirts to sell; yes to sell, and I am going to sell them and that in a hurry; this is a hustler and if you get any of them you must not sleep on the way. This lot of white shirts, many of them are same as you pay \$1 for and some of them worth more. The men's sizes we are selling at 60 cents, and the boy's sizes at 50 cents. You have heard so much of big bargains that you don't appreciate it, but don't let that interfere with you in this instance. These shirts can easily be seen, they are hanging up all over our store and marked plainly 60 cents and 50 cents; these are the finest quality of linen shirts.

D. T. SWINDELL, 18 to 20 E. Martin St.

Hardware, &c.

Matchless AIR RIFLES

The neatest, best Air Rifle made. A magazine rifle holding 65 shot.

HUNTING COATS, LEGGINS, CARTRIDGE BAGS, CLUB LOADED SHELLS, WADS, WAD CUTTERS, GUN IMPLEMENTS, WOOD POWDER, BLACK POWDER, SHOT.

Best goods, lowest prices. Square dealing.

THOMAS B. BRIGGS & SONS, RALEIGH, N. C.

Dry Goods, Notions, &c.

McKimmon, Moseley & McGee.

Christmas

OUR STORE.

We have excelled all previous records this season in the beauty, elegance and splendor of our

HOLIDAY DISPLAY,

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES, CHRISTMAS NECESSITIES, CHRISTMAS BARGAINS,

Articles of every day need, adapted to every requirement of both old and young, rich and poor.

Christmas Presents for Everybody

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

THE GREAT REDUCTION OF OUR JANUARY SALE

has made many of our departments fairly glow with bargains. We do not consider profits when we are making such reductions in prices as we are this month, but there are times when we consider it better to sell a line of goods rather than carry them over.

Nothing has yet equalled our unsurpassed offerings in

W-R-A-P-S!

We have not postponed making these low prices until the warmth of spring is upon us, but are giving our patrons the benefit of these unheard of reductions right in mid winter when such goods are of most use.

Only two weeks now remain before we take our

ANNUAL INVENTORY

and during this time we intend disposing of many lines of winter goods, and the opportunity is offered to gether wonderful bargains from our fancy departments.

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