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For Sale.

We have two sets of twenty five volumes each, of the 5th Edinburgh edition of the great Encyclopedia Britannica which we will sell at two thirds the publisher's price for the next ten days. This is an opportunity of a life time. See advertisement and description in this issue. Call at the VISITOR office and examine them.

NEWS NOTES ABOUT THE CITY.

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

Last day of 1891.

Now for new resolutions.

Receptions will be the order of the day tomorrow.

Who wants to watch the old year, out, and the new year in?

The old year goes out with most delightful weather.

Tomorrow is another legal holiday, and the banks will be closed.

Several of our city physicians are sick.

Leap year is at hand and it is said that the ladies have the peculiar privilege of proposing.

"The Enchanted Barrel" at Metropolitan Hall tonight for the benefit of St. John's Hospital.

The sheriff says that people are slower than he ever knew them in paying taxes.

Mayor Badger continues to have a most quiet time. Scarcely a case of importance comes before him in recent days.

Wake Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases commences next Monday week with Judge Connor presiding.

Under a resolution of the State Farmers Alliance at its last session tomorrow is set apart for the farmers as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

Chief of Police Hearit returned safe and sound from New York last evening having in charge the negro Ernest Jones, who made his escape from the jail here sometime since.

We are pleased to learn that the loss by the fire at the Experimental farm will not be a large as had been expected. It will not exceed \$1,000, with an insurance of \$450.

There will be an entertainment given in the chapel of the Institution for the deaf and dumb and the blind tonight, to which the public are invited.

A prominent physician said today, that while the grippe had been wide spread in Raleigh, the disease had for the most part been of the milder type. We are thankful for small favors in such a disagreeable line.

There will be a called meeting of W. G. Hill Lodge, No. 218, this evening at 7:30 o'clock for work in the first degree. Members of sister lodges cordially invited. A large attendance requested.

We learn that much building is contracted for in Raleigh during the coming year, and that in many cases the houses will be suitable for small families. This is all right. There is great need for them.

There is a very pleasant rumor on the streets today, to the effect that the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad Company will be enabled perhaps during the coming month to reinstate several of the employees recently suspended. We sincerely hope it may turn out true.

They do say that several new aspiring Richmonds are trimming their sails for the congressional nomination in this district. We make mention of the matter in the strictest neutrality "with malice toward none, and charity for all."

Don't forget the "Enchanted Barrel" at Metropolitan Hall tonight. It will be exceedingly funny.

Mr. A. Dughi went up to Durham to cater for a reception there to night. It will be well done and no mistake.

Sol Haas the traffic manager of the R. & D. system, predicts a big year for the southern railroads in 1892.

Rev. Dr. J. Presley Barrett left yesterday with his family for Norfolk, Va., where he takes charge of a church.

The portrait of Gen. Wm. Gaston Lewis is a very interesting addition to our State Library. He was a distinguished soldier of the war between the States.

Caraleigh mills are looming up in fine proportions. Soon the hum of busy industry will be heard in that vicinity.

The next General Assembly should by all means adopt the suggestion of Dr. Woods for the establishment of an infirmary in connection with the Insane Asylum, if such authority is needed.

There are no definite plans so far for the celebration of Raleigh's centennial next year, although rumor has it that our city fathers will take some steps soon in the premises. The proposition seems to be to hold it in the fall of 1892.

During the past year Durham has averaged over \$50,000 per month in the way of Internal Revenue to the General Government. This should surely entitle our neighbor to a first class public building, and we hope she will get it in quick time.

The unveiling of a statue of Sir Walter Raleigh, would be a fitting event for the centennial celebration next year. It would well grace Nash Square, and would be an interesting sight to the stranger as he alights from the train at our new Union Depot. Let us all agitate this matter, and maybe many will live to see it consummated.

Unless there be some other resources for North Carolina to be presented at the World's Fair in Chicago, except such as can be furnished by our Agricultural Society, we fear that we must come up lacking in a proper light at the big show. Let us hope that a united effort will soon be made to raise such a fund as North Carolinians will be proud of.

The Wilmington Swindler.

At the preliminary examination of Jno. C. Davis, the Wilmington culprit, last Tuesday, his counsel waived an examination, and he was required to give bond of \$750 for his appearance on the first Monday in next month at the criminal court of New Hanover. He failed to give bail and was recommitted to jail. Col. T. W. Strange is his counsel. There will be numerous indictments against him.

Post Office Notice.

To morrow being a legal holiday there will be no money order or registered letter business transacted at the post office.

The general delivery will be open from 9 to 10 a. m. and from 3 to 4 p. m.

The letter carriers will make no deliveries or collections, but will serve their patrons at their window from 3 to 4 p. m.

Personal mention.

Mrs. Keuter is quite sick on south West street.

Mr. Henry M. Cowan has returned from a visit to Pittsboro.

Miss Annie Ramsay, of Durham, is in the city.

Rev. Dr. L. L. Nash left today with his family for Wilmington.

The many friends of Hon Edwin G. Reade will be glad to learn that he has regained his usual health after a severe attack of the grippe.

Rev. J. N. Cole and family arrived in the city today from Wilson.

Rails at McRae's to night.

Died.

Yesterday at 12:30 o'clock at the residence of the parents 108, West Jones street, Susie Rivers, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brinkley. The funeral was held at the residence, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Public Charities.

For the past two days the Board of Public Charities have held important meetings in this city. Much business has been disposed of and the annual report of the commission was presented by the secretary and adopted. It contains nearly two hundred pages and embraces a great amount of useful information.

Dr. Wood, Superintendent of the Insane Asylum, appeared before the board and made an appeal for the erection of an infirmary to be devoted to acute diseases.

A list of Confederate veterans now in "homes" or poor houses, with rank, company, regiment, county, and if pensioned or not, was read.

Statistics were exhibited of the children now in county homes, exposed to the demoralization of such life, and absolutely found upon investigation to have been born in the poor house.

So far as its present powers extend the board will take active measures in behalf of its objects of charity, and will also recommend to the General Assembly plans for the correction of evils, with the least practicable expense.

Before the adjournment of the board for the current year, a pleasant surprise awaited the secretary.

The following resolutions were spread on the minutes:

Whereas, By the arduous labors of the secretary, Capt. C. B. Denson, the Commissioners of Public Charities are in possession of a vast amount of valuable statistical information of the workings of the charitable and penal institutions of the State; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the thanks of the Board of Commissioners are due and are hereby tendered to Capt. C. B. Denson, for his efficient services as secretary of this board.

On motion, after routine business was considered, the board adjourned.

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We will sell all our Cheville curtains Portiers at (\$5.75) five dollars and seventy five cents a pair. These are our \$8.00 and 10 dollar curtains. Monday the day, \$5.75 a pair. At

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Death of Mr. John Bragg.

This gentleman died last night at 7:30 o'clock at his home in Wilmington, aged about 70 years. Mr. Bragg was the oldest son of the late Gov. Thos. Bragg and spent much of his life in this city. For a long series of years he had been Associated Press operator in the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company in Wilmington, and was considered one of the most efficient operators in the service. He was a brother in law of Chief of Police, Maj. C. D. Hearit, and had many connections in Virginia and North Carolina.

The remains arrived here today on the 1:55 train from the east, and were escorted to the residence of Maj. C. D. Hearit from whence they were conveyed to Christ Church. The funeral services took place at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, and were attended by a large crowd of sorrowing relatives and friends.

One Cent To-morrow.

Our special sale of ladies felt hats at one cent each comes off on tomorrow, January first at

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NOTICE.

HAVING this day qualified as the Executor of the late Isaac W. Hutchins, this is to give notice to creditors to present their claims to me for payment on or before the 22nd day of December 1892, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please pay without further demand.

CHAS. W. BEVERS, Executor of Isaac W. Hutchins, deceased.

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