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LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION

RALEIGH, DEC. 15, 1892.

CITY IN BRIEF.

Several prominent gentlemen from Atlanta, Ga., are in the city.

Has the exodus movement commenced again in earnest?

Lots of marriages in the near future.

Can't a skating rink be gotten up at Brookside park to relieve the monotony of the long winter nights.

Gen. R. B. Vance, brother of Senator Vance, was married today to Miss Loziza R. Cook, of Graham county.

The State Grand Lodge of colored Masons has been in session at Goldsboro for several days.

Let one of the first acts of the legislature be to make provision for more room in our insane asylums. It is needed.

Scrofula, whether hereditary or acquired, is thoroughly expelled from the blood by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

A special Washington dispatch announces that Hon. J. G. Blaine is in a dying condition, and his death may be looked for at any hour.

The impression seems to be general that Hon. Lee S. Overman of Rowan will be chosen as speaker of the next House of Representatives.

Let all our friends who love the drama bear in mind that Emmet the great "Fritz" will be here on the 26th. It will cause a furore in theatrical circles, and no mistake.

The directors of the Yadkin Railroad have elected Col. A. B. Andrews as president. Our worthy young fellow citizen, Mr. H. W. Miller, was chosen secretary.

The columns of THE VISITOR are open at all times for the discussion of any matter of interest. No communication, however, containing personal reflections, will be inserted. All such will find their way to the waste basket.

This is a dull season for news at the departments in the state capital. All the officials from the governor down are busily engaged in the preparations of their reports to the general assembly.

Raleigh Commandery, K. T., No. 4 will hold a special conclave this evening at 7:30 o'clock for conferring the order of the temple.

T. W. BLAKE, Recorder. W. A. WITHE, Commander.

A terrible explosion occurred at Red Springs, Robeson county last Saturday. The boiler in the engine house of the Red Springs Lumber and Railroad Co. burst, killing two negroes instantly and wounding two others. The loss is \$3,000.

The marriage of Mr. Samuel Martin Inman, of Atlanta, Ga., to Miss Mildred Murphy McPheeters, daughter of Col. A. M. McBheeters, will take place at 7 o'clock this evening at the First Presbyterian church. Only those holding cards of admission will be admitted.

It being announced that application will be made to the next General Assembly of North Carolina for amendments to the city charter, it strikes us that it would be in accordance with the eternal fitness of things, that the public should know the nature of the amendments proposed to be made. This is a clear instance in which VOX POPULI could be consulted.

North Carolina Conference.

FIRST DAY.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Dec. 14, 1892. The North Carolina M. E. Annual Conference met in the Methodist church at this place at 9 o'clock a. m. Bishop Duncan, presiding.

Services were commenced by singing hymn 223. The Bishop then led the conference in a prayer, earnest and fervent for God's blessing upon the church and her interest. He then read the 2d chapter of John, after which he addressed the conference for a short while, emphasizing forcibly some very precious points during his remarks.

The 440th hymn was then sung and the conference led in prayer by Rev. Dr. Black.

The Secretary, D. W. Bain, having died during the conference, Rev. W. L. Cunningham was requested to call the conference roll.

On motion of Dr. Black, Rev. W. L. Cunningham was elected Secretary and Rev. N. M. Jurney was elected Assistant Secretary. Rev. George S. Simmons was elected Recording Secretary.

The sittings of the conference was fixed to meet at 9 a. m. and adjourn at 1 p. m.

On motion, the Presiding Elders were appointed a committee on nominations.

Rev. F. J. Reid was selected to write up and have inserted in the minutes of the conference a suitable memorial of Mr. Bain.

Revs. Dr. J. R. Brooks and A. P. Tyre of the Western North Carolina Conference were present, and invited to seats with the body.

If Your House is on Fire

You put water on the burning timbers, not on the smoke. And if you have catarrh you should attack the disease in the blood, not in your nose. Remove the impure cause, and the local effect subsides. To do this, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, which permanently cures catarrh.

Hood's Pills cure liver pills, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, constipation. 25c

SHORT SHARP AND SNAPPY.

Wonder that the if Missouri farmer who turned loose \$2,000 on the old three ad bare gold brick trick was one of the men who could not afford to subscribe for a newspaper?

So many cabinet slates are made and broken that it seems to open a market for an indestructible substitute for slate.

Judge Gresham's decisions seem always to strike the bulls eye of common sense; but the judge is chuck full of common sense, and he always decides as he thinks. Other judges might improve their decisions and their reputations by doing the same.

Whenever things get to quiet in Russia a new conspiracy against the Czar is discovered by the secret police; and a new gangs of victims star for Siberia.

Santa Claus should put into the stocking of every Congressman a package of anti-talking with full instructions how to use.

Mr. Cleveland did not say a word in his reform club speech about an extra session of Congress. Perhaps he thought the fellows who will not have to decide the question were doing talking enough about it.

The fellow who started that yarn about the probability of civil war in Kansas ought to put in his application for the liar's champion belt.

There has been so much talk about the "coming war" between France and Germany that the lightning will have to begin before on this side will really get interested in it.

Energy and enterprise are usually good things to have around, but it is difficult to understand what good will come of the large supply of both possessed by the newspaper man who is engaged in the task of walking around the world.

We hope that arrangements for the proposed Confederate monument may be so far perfected as to allow the ceremonies of laying the corner stone on the occasion of Gov. Carr's inaugural.

There is a movement in many of the counties of the state for better and safer jails.

A BIG FIRE.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 13.—One of the largest and most destructive fires that ever visited the water front of Baltimore started shortly after 8 o'clock this morning in the massive cotton warehouse of Alexander Brown, at the corner of Bond and Thomas streets, and quickly spread throughout five buildings. The six large buildings were stocked with 17,200 bales of cotton, belonging to the leading cotton firms of Baltimore and valued at about \$300,000. With the exception of countless bales floating in the harbor the entire lot is a total loss. The warehouses are a complete wreck. The entire damage is about \$700,000; insured. Spontaneous combustion is supposed to have been the cause of the fire.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SHOCK OF AN EARTHQUAKE.

The Norfolk Virginian, of Wednesday says:

Passengers who came in on the morning train over the Seaboard Air Line, yesterday morning, state that on Sunday morning a sharp shock of earthquake was felt from Kittrell's, on the Raleigh and Gaston road, to Warrenton. People rushed out of their houses, and some were very much frightened, but as it was not repeated they became quiet afterwards.

At Cow Creek Canyon, Oregon, fifty miles from the California line, one of two girls, who were walking past a trestle in the company of a young man with a lantern on Monday night last, discovered that the Northern Pacific tracks had been partly torn from the trestle. She grasped the lantern, ran back up the road and swung the light vigorously, not a moment too soon to check and save a passenger train of eight coaches which contained 250 passengers. The tracks had been torn up by bandits who hoped to rob the train.

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Such a great success, and why is it impossible for other Sarsaparillas and blood purifiers to compete with this great medicine? Because

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No Other Sarsaparilla has the careful personal supervision of the proprietor in all the details of its preparation, as has Hood's Sarsaparilla.

No Other Sarsaparilla has the merit to secure the confidence of entire communities and hold it year in and year out, as has Hood's Sarsaparilla.

No Other Sarsaparilla can produce from actual cures such wonderful statements of relief given to human suffering as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

No Other Sarsaparilla possesses the Combination, Proportion and Process Peculiar to Hood's Sarsaparilla, and which makes Hood's Sarsaparilla in curative effect Peculiar to itself.

No Other Sarsaparilla combines economy and strength as does Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is the only preparation of which can truly be said, 100 Doses \$1.

No Other Sarsaparilla has effected such remarkable cures as Hood's Sarsaparilla, of Scrofula, Salt Rheum, blood poisoning and all other blood diseases.

No Other Sarsaparilla has equalled Hood's Sarsaparilla in the relief it gives in the severest cases of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn, and other stomach disorders.

No Other Sarsaparilla overcomes That Tired Feeling, Restores the Appetite, and "Makes the Weak Strong," like

Hood's Sarsaparilla

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's do not be induced to take any other.

Hood's Pills cure Biliousness

CITY ADVERTISERS.

Charles Bretsch.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Mr. Chas. Bretsch, who is making extensive preparations for the holidays. He has fixed up his establishment in the most beautiful and artistic manner, and is prepared to furnish everything in his line promptly. His assortment of fancy cakes, pies, &c., has never been excelled in Raleigh. In the show-window can be seen a display of cake ornaments of the finest designs and it is a genuine exhibition well worth seeing. Mr. Bretsch is prepared to deliver all kinds of goods at short notice. In order to get a good idea of his stock it must be seen. Call at his emporium on the east side of Fayetteville street, first square from Capitol. It is well worth a visit to see all the beautiful things on hand.

Swindell

This name is synonymous with good bargains, genuine push and splendid assortment. It would be ridiculous for persons desiring novelties in the matter of Christmas goods to pass by Swindell's Racket Store. The rush will soon commence for the holidays, and if you desire to get the choice of the various novelties you should call early. Everybody should know where this great establishment is. Next to the Raleigh National Bank, on Fayetteville street. Call at once.

C. A. Sherwood & Co

A nice dress a good pair of shoes or a thousand other things too numerous to mention constitute appropriate presents for the home circle at Christmas. All of these can be found in profusion at the new and elegant emporium of Messrs. C. A. Sherwood on Fayetteville street east side between Hargett street and Market square. This house has one of the freshest and best selected stocks of dry goods, notions &c and in fact everything in the way of novelties that can be desired in their line. Our people may rely upon polite attention and the lowest living prices. Let there be a general rush between now and Christmas. All who can can be suited.

W.C. & A. B. Stronach.

Christmas is getting here at a rapid rate, and all who are looking out for the good things of life should not fail to cast an eye towards the celebrated grocery establishment of Messrs. W. C. & A. B. Stronach where they will find a tempting array to suit the palates and purses of all. It would require a large sized pamphlet to enumerate all the luxuries to be found at this house which may, with the greatest propriety, be called the "Epicure's House." There is certainly no place of the kind in North Carolina where all the varieties and novelties in their line can be procured. Call and make selections at once.

Woolcott & Sons.

Have you been to Woolcott & Sons. If not why not. They have one of the most beautiful assortments of everything suitable for Christmas presents ever brought to this market, and it would be well to call before the stock is picked over. Don't forget.

Ellington, Royster & Co.

The house should be fixed up to suit the times. It is out of repair, things do not look right. Call on Ellington, Royster & Co. for all times, sash, doors, gutters, stoves, baths &c. Don't forget also that they are furnishing first-rate lumber, wood for fuel and lime, cheaper than it can be purchased elsewhere in the city.

Rosenthal Clothing Co

Don't forget in your rounds, the landside at the Rosenthal clothing house, of which Dave Rosenthal is the leading spirit. Remember it won't do to appear during the holidays in a shabby suit of clothes. Go to the emporium and let "Dave" fix you up in fine style at a most reasonable cost.

J. W. Evans.

The attention of the public is called to the advertisement of Mr. J. W. Evans whose place of business is at the corner of Morgan and Bleunt streets. He pays special attention to the repairs of carriages, buggies, delivery wagons, &c., and his work at all times will be found neat and durable. Persons having work in his line cannot do better than give him a call.

Whiting Brothers.

Messrs. Whiting Bros. are thorough in the best of the times in everything pertaining to their line. In the matter of shoes, ladies' misses and children's hosiery, rubber coats and other conveniences incident to the winter season they are unsurpassed by any house in the city. Look over their stock now, and prepare for Christmas.

W. R. Newcom.

Mr. W. R. Newcom is not to be overdone in catering to the wants of the public in the matter of groceries, both in the fancy and heavy line. He carries such a stock as to suit all tastes. If you want to make preparations for the coming holidays you cannot do better than to visit his well known house, 214 South Wilmington street. Housekeepers should make a note of this and lay in their supplies. "Walter" is a regular hustler in his line, and knows just how to please his friends.

J. Hal Bobbitt.

In your rounds selecting gifts for Christmas or novelties for yourself or family do not fail to drop in at the drug establishment of J. Hal Bobbitt, corner of Fayetteville street and Exchange Place. This establishment besides carrying the usual line of everything pertaining to the drug business has a splendid exhibition of fancy articles too numerous to mention which are being offered at such prices as cannot fail to attract. Our friend "Hal" never gets left in whatever he undertakes and has had an eye to the wants of the public for the holidays. Call and see him by all means. He will receive you with all the courtesy imaginable, and show you around. There is no better place in the city to make a selection of useful presents.

D. T. Johnson.

It depends upon the appetite. If you enjoy the good things of life and wish to obtain them, you must look around. Now Christmas will soon be here with all its accompanying good cheer, and it becomes all housekeepers to look up something for the occasion. In the fancy and heavy grocery line there are many useful and needed articles to be procured and to keep up with the times, you must have them. In making your purchases suppose you call at the well known establishment of D. T. Johnson, East Hargett street. Here you can see in the greatest profusion all the good things of life and at the most moderate rates. Call and see for yourselves.

Johnson & Barber.

The point of attraction for those desiring furniture of every description and of the latest and most approved pattern, can be said to centre in the establishment of Messrs. Johnson & Barber, on East Martin street. These gentlemen carry a most superb line, too numerous to mention in detail and can only be realized by a visit. Call and make selections now for Christmas before the stock is picked over.

Thos. H. Briggs & Sons.

In your rounds looking for something of use and interest for the Christmas, don't fail to call on Messrs. Thomas H. Briggs & Sons. It would be a poor holiday season if you had not a part of the program and these gentlemen can give you complete outfit in that direction of the best quality for a reasonable price. Their stock of goods embrace a great variety that is useful in the family circle. Call and look over the stock. You can rely on being pleased.

Thomas & Maxwell.

Christmas will be here in quick time. Just about four weeks off, and it will run down before you think of it. Now you should prepare to give the household a surprise, and you cannot do so in a more effective or reasonable way than by going to Thomas & Maxwell's furniture emporium and purchasing a nice parlor or bed room suit, a beautiful reclining chair, a set of chairs, or some of the other novelties that are so much in demand in every family and which are too numerous to mention. It would be well to call early and make selections before the stock is overhauled. There is no place in North Carolina that carries a more complete stock in their line. Don't forget the place. South side of Exchange Place opposite the market.

Jones & Powell.

This is the season when fuel becomes a necessity and everybody is looking around for the best place to secure it. Messrs. Jones & Powell are veterans in the business and carry at all times the most popular grades of coal and wood. In the matter of coal, people have different ideas, some having a partiality to one kind and one to another. They, therefore, can suit you in all grades. Call and make your selections, or you can order by telephone.

Miss Maggie Reese.

Miss Maggie Reese is now prepared to furnish the ladies with all the latest novelties in the millinery line. Never before has she had a better stock to select from. As Christmas is coming on there is no better place at which to procure handsome presents for your wives, daughters, sisters, cousins, aunts, and sweethearts. Remember the place, 209 Fayetteville street.