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LATEST CITY CIRCULATION

RALEIGH, DEC. 19, 1893.

CITY IN BRIEF.
 Locals Piled Up Here and There and
 Boiled Down.

The festive horn blower has com-
 menced his sonorous rounds.

Receipts of cotton today about on
 the average. No change in prices.

All proper respect will be paid by
 our senators and representatives to
 the remains of Consul General Jones
 on their arrival at Washington.

A large sale of blooded cattle took
 place today in front of Stronach's
 warehouse. The prices realized were
 satisfactory.

The remains of Consul General
 Jones will probably reach this city
 by the end of this or the first of next
 week.

Many of the colored people who
 have been working in the turpentine
 lands of Georgia are coming home as
 usual to spend the holidays.

It is understood that Deputy Mar-
 shal John W Upchurch has filed a
 claim against the government for re-
 mbursement of medical expenses in-
 curred by reason of injuries sustained
 in making the arrest of John Allen
 Johnson. It would seem to be a just
 claim.

The attention of the public is spe-
 cially called to the advertisement of
 Messrs Barbee & Pope. These gen-
 tlemen are making some of the best
 candles ever seen in the state and
 their trade is such as to show that
 their efforts to please the public are
 fully appreciated. There is no house
 in North Carolina that can surpass
 them in their line. In making rounds
 for Christmas delicacies be sure to
 give them a call. You will receive
 the most cordial reception and be at-
 tended to all right.

Bequests.
 In his will the late Bishop Lyman
 bequeathed to St Augustine school
 and the Episcopal diocese of North
 Carolina his valuable theological lib-
 rary. Two houses in Winston are to
 be sold for the benefit of a permanent
 Episcopal fund. The remainder of
 the real property is to be sold, and
 half of the proceeds go to the Church
 of the Good Shepherd and the other
 to the Thompson orphanage. The
 residence and personal effects in this
 city are bequeathed to Mrs Lyman.

Examination.
 The committee appointed by the
 legislature to examine the accounts
 of the state treasurer and auditor
 have met and commenced their work.
 The following compose the commit-
 tee: Senators E B Jones, of Forsyth,
 and B F Aycock, of Wayne, and rep-
 resentatives J A Lillington, of Yad-
 kin, F S Spruill, of Frank in, H L
 Cooke, of Cumberland. They will be
 in session for several days.

A Splendid Chance.
 We invite the special attention of
 the public to the advertisement of
 Messrs J M Broughton & Co. These
 gentlemen are offering for rent resi-
 dences in various parts of the city of
 the most desirable kind. Those con-
 templating a change at the com-
 mencement of the new year should
 call and see them in time as their of-
 ferings will no doubt find ready ap-
 plicants. There is no more reliable
 business gentlemen.

A SAD ENDING.

The New York Sun's San Francisco
 dispatch of the 18th says:

The remains of Alfred D Jones,
 American Consul General at Shang-
 hai, were brought in yesterday by the
 steamer Rio Janeiro. Jones became
 insane in Shanghai, and it was deter-
 mined to remove him to America.
 Soon after the steamer sailed he be-
 came violent and dangerous. He was
 manacled after a desperate fight in
 his cabin, in which he was cut and
 disfigured. He raved incessantly for 7
 days, when death ended his sufferings.
 He was attended by two marines from
 the Monocacy. His body was em-
 balmed and will be shipped to Ral-
 eigh. His age was 37.

The strangest part of the trip is
 that at Jong Kong the Rio took on
 purser James H Mahar, of the steam-
 er Peru, who suddenly became insane.
 He was regarded as harmless till he
 began breaking his cabin windows
 and trying to kill any who entered.
 He was overpowered and manacled.
 He will be cared for by San Francisco
 Masons. Sailors on the Rio says
 there is a hoodoo on the ship. On
 the trip down to China a Frisco Chi-
 nese, who was going home to cele-
 brate New Years, went mad and ran
 amuck on the lower deck.

Telegraphic News.

The house committee on elections
 has postponed until January 9th the
 contested election case of Williams vs
 Settle from the 5th North Carolina
 district.

The president yesterday sent in a
 special message on Hawaiian affairs.

The investigation of the late sena-
 torial election in Virginia still con-
 tinues.

The general impression in Wash-
 ington is that Collector Simmons will
 be confirmed without difficulty.

N C State Horticultural Society.

The N C State Horticultural So-
 ciety holds an annual three days
 fruit, vegetable, and flower show dur-
 ing the first week in August, except
 in years of a general fruit failure.
 Nine fairs have been held since the
 organization of the society. These
 fairs have been located at the fol-
 lowing places: Greensboro 1883, 1885,
 1891; Wilmington 1883; Goldsboro
 1884; Fayetteville 1886; Raleigh 1888;
 Winston 1889; Mt Holly 1890. All of
 these fairs except the one at Mt Hol-
 ly were financially, and in every re-
 spect successful. The Executive
 Committee of the society will hold a
 meeting in February and will fix the
 place for next year's fair. Applica-
 tions for Chambers of Commerce or
 responsible citizens of city will be con-
 sidered.

The premium list of each fair us-
 ually includes prizes to the amount
 of \$4 or \$5 dollars. Since the society
 receives no State aid, as a matter of
 prudence it requires the city success-
 fully bidding for the fair to guaran-
 tee the amount of the premiums and
 to furnish free of expense to the so-
 ciety a suitable hall for the exhibit.
 Most of the fairs heretofore have
 been held in tobacco warehouses
 suitably decorated for the occasion.
 For the proper carrying out of the
 local arrangements the city obtain-
 ing the fair must appoint a local com-
 mittee of responsible persons inter-
 ested in horticultural, who will see
 that the exhibition hall is duly at-
 tended to and sufficient hotel accom-
 modations assured for visitors.

The society solicits your considera-
 tion of the matter of holding the 1894
 fair at your city. Send reply to the
 secretary before February if possi-
 ble

Respectfully,
GERALD MCCARTHY,
 Secretary.

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 your money refunded. We could not
 make this offer did we not know that
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 store. Large size 60c and \$1.

THE DOCTOR'S PRESENCE OF
 MIND.

"Speaking of doctor's bills," said
 Cooper as he elevated his feet and lit
 a cigar, "I have recently had reveal-
 ed to a depth of nerve which I sup-
 posed was possessed only by gas men
 and plumbers. You know Pr de
 Ploma?"

"Yes"
 "Well, you know when, he was
 graduated and came here to practice
 he was pretty sweet on my daughter
 Grace for awhile?"

"Yes"
 "Well, one roasting day last sum-
 mer she met him down town while
 she was out shopping, and he asked
 her in to have a glass of soda water
 at Fitz & Foam's."

"Very nice."
 "Wait. Little while after that he
 popped, and Grace threw him over"
 "Poor fellow!"

"Yes. Poor fellow! But he had
 his wits about him, and yesterday I
 got this bill:

JAMES ALFRED DE PLOMA, M D.
 Office Hours,
 12:01 a m to 11:59 p m.
G COOPER, Dk.
 July 4--To treating daughter \$3 00
 —Puck.

BICYCLE MAIL ROUTE.

The Beaufort Herald says the novel-
 ety around those parts now is the
 bicycle mail route from there to Mer-
 rimon a distance of 80 miles, tri-
 weekly. Mr J G Hudgins the con-
 tractor of this route purchased a
 "Victor" and started Mr Whitford
 Mason on his first cycle trip on Mon-
 day.

Mr Mason lashed the mail bag to
 the handle bar and started early
 Monday. He returned Tuesday
 evening on time but rather tired.

This is no doubt the only bicycle
 mail route in the State.

The oldest lodge of Free Masons in
 America, St John's Lodge, of Boston,
 recently held its 167th annual meet-
 ing, says the Pittsburg Dispatch, at
 which the new officers were installed
 by Wyzeman Marshall, who was
 master of the lodge in 1858, '59 and
 '60. The lodge possess two carved
 branches of grapes that are the orig-
 inal tavern sign adorning the front
 of the Bunch of Grapes Inn Boston,
 where the first lodge of Free Masons
 in America was established in 1788.
 The earliest lodge of Free Masons in
 America is in Charleston, S C, as
 can be very easily proved, says the
 News and Courier.

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Upon receipt of your address and fifteen
 cents in postage stamps, we will mail you
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 Columbian Exposition, the regular price is
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CHINA'S CURSE OF OPIUM.

"Seventenths of the people of Chi-
 na are opium smokers, and two mil-
 lion of them die annually from its
 effects," said a Chinese missionary
 recently, who has spent 23 years of
 his life in the Flowery Kingdom.

"This habit is rapidly growing,"
 he went on, "It is confined to no
 class or sex, but men and women,
 officials and coolies use it alike. As
 soon as opium smoking becomes a
 confirmed habit with a Chinese cool-
 ie, he knows that he has about ten
 years to live, that seems to be the
 average. I consider it easier to re-
 form a sot in the gutter, one of your
 lowest type of drunkards, than an
 opium smoker."

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The best salve in the world for cuts,
 bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum,
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 perfect satisfaction or money refunded.
 Price 25 cents per box. For sale
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The bicycle drawing of the Messrs
 Berwanger will take place next Sat-
 urday night at the music store of
 Messrs C G Stone & Co.

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 and make a collection of which we feel justly proud.
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