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CITY IN BRIEF.

Items Picked Up and Boiled Down.

Miss Pollard to day got \$15,000 damages.

J. H. Walton, general merchant at Garner, assigned today. J. P. Gulley is assignee.

A protracted service will begin at Brooklyn M E church at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Per one who came from Greensboro today report that there was frost this morning in that section.

Mr Henry S Davis of Washington, D C a brother in law of Mr T R Jones, died here yesterday of consumption.

Under orders from the post office department a pouch for Raleigh mail is now placed on the "Atlanta Special" which leaves here for Atlanta at 3:30 a. m.

Rev I McK Pittinger, of the church of the Good Shepherd, will tomorrow exchange pulpits with Rev Frederick Towers, rector of the Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill.

Thirty convicts are now grading and turling the grounds of the executive mansion. All of the scraggy old oaks in the rear have been removed, and the ground there will be carefully graded.

Henry Marr, alias Lynn, was brought here last night from Granville county, charged with larceny. He was before justice Harry Roberts this morning.

Rev M L Hurley, secretary of the Christian missionary association will preach at the Christian church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to hear him.

The cornerstone of the Confederate monument here will be laid by the veterans of the soldiers' home, assisted by the other ex-Confederate veterans, of whom great numbers will be here, on the 21st instant.

The Atlantic hotel at Morehead City and the Teachers' assembly will have in June the biggest season known in their history. Mr B L Perry of the hotel writes that already over sixty rooms have been engaged for the season.

Yesterday's Winston Sentinel contains a full account of Mrs J W Hanes' elegant reception there and says: "The ices were furnished by Dugli, the famous caterer of Raleigh, in fanciful shapes. It was exceptionally fine and received many compliments."

Today there were sold at auction at the court house for \$765 a lot on South Person street, owned by Stewart Ellison, and for \$265 a lot on Jenkins street, owned by Turner Evans. Mr Frank Stronach, who made the sales, says real estate is looking up here.

This morning about 4 o'clock Mr H M Ivey, whose home is 521 Halifax street, was aroused by a noise on his front porch. He found that it was caused by two men who had opened one side of the blinds. They ran and were shot at twice by Mr Ivey, who thinks they were tramps, as several suspicious characters have been seen hanging around.

Mr Moody, the world famous evangelist, cannot come here. A few days ago the announcement was made in the VISITOR that Mr. A F Page had invited him to come here and conduct services, tendering also the free use of the academy of music. Mr Page today received a letter from Mr Moody, in which the latter says that to his great regret his engagements are of such a character as not to admit of his coming here.

Dugli's invention by which tumbler of ice are made has been still further developed by him. Scores of persons visited his place of business today to see blocks of ice which he has made by a new process. He exhibits two blocks, one of over 80 pounds weight. A peculiarity of the ice is that it is perfectly clear at the centre and more opaque at the outside, thus entirely differing from the manufactured ice usually seen.

The colored Christian church fuss is up again. As was stated, the mayor fined four negroes \$10 each, and when they appealed required each to give \$50 bond for appearance at court. Mr J L O Harris went before Judge Walter Clark, at chambers, under habeas corpus proceedings for the purpose of forcing the mayor to require only the personal recognizances of the four defendants. While this was going on three of the defendants decided to pay the \$10 fine and end the matter. Rufus Whitaker, the fourth, is in the country, and has not been heard from, but Mr Harris thinks he will stand up in the contention and that his matter will come before Judge Clarke.

Street Car Mews.

At noon today quite a large number of persons gathered at the north door of the government building, the attraction being the sale of the street railway. Among those present were Gen Hoke, Col Andrews, Maj Tucker, Dr John H McAden of Charlotte, Mr Cutler of N. Y., Mr John O George and Mr Peter Tome of Baltimore; Mr Julius Lewis Mr W E Ashley, Mr J A Jones, Mr G Rosenthal, Mr C B Edwards, Mr N B Broughton. Auctioneer Frank Stronach read the decree of sale, which covered all the property, including 4 1/2 miles of track, as well as the franchise, right of way into Pullen park, &c. as well as electric light privileges, &c. Mr R T Gray, the commissioner appointed, then read some notices and made a statement. He read a new decree which was signed last Thursday by Judge Seymour of the U. S. court, which stated that unless an "upset" bid of \$35,000 was made today and a certified check for that amount payable to the Mercantile trust and deposit company of Baltimore (the holder of the mortgage) was given by 3 o'clock today, then the sale must be postponed until May 2. Mr Stronach then asked for a bidder in the sum of \$35,000, as a starter. There was no bid and so he declared the sale postponed until May 2.

The road is bonded for \$125,000. Mr Tome of Baltimore, who had a representative here holds \$33,000 of the bonds. Mr George was interviewed after the sale. He said that efforts are now being made and with some prospect of success, by which a reorganization of the old company may be effected. The failure to sell today he said further was part of this plan. He thinks something will be done within ten days, during which time he will go to Schenectady, N. Y. It is now simply a question of whether the plans can be carried out. Mr R T Gray says the postponement is to allow some arrangements to be perfected. He says also that the outlook for the purchase and reequipment of the road is good. This is really encouraging news. The people here are greatly desirous of seeing the line again in operation. It is a great developer of the suburb, and Raleigh's growth for two years has been largely suburban. Not only ought the road to be in operation before the warm weather sets in, but the equipment ought to be good. The old line was never equipped or maintained like the lines at Wilmington or Charlotte or Winston. A well managed and thoroughly equipped road will certainly pay here. There can also be made great improvements in the selection of new territory for the lines to traverse.

Another White Mule.

Thursday evening deputy collector Jones, accompanied by deputy marshals T D Watson, John R Unchurch and Albert Mangum, went to New Light township after a "blockade" still in operation just beyond the big bend of Neuse river. On arriving near where the still was reported as located the officers saw persons running through the bushes, and throwing the harness of their horses they mounted and gave chase. They were lost through a wild section full of hills and gullies and having lost sight of their men and gone as far as they could on horseback the officers returned to their carriage. Here a surprise awaited them. The moonshiners had doubled on them. The harness, overcoats, cushions and blankets were all gone from the carriage. It is said to have been a wonderful crowd that reached the city yesterday morning, in a carriage to which the horses were tied with rope harness, sans overcoats, sans blankets, sans copper, sans moonshiners. There was no white mule on this raid but the officers do not like the matter talked about. The people along the line of march cheered the party as they passed along on their return to the city.

State University News.

Rev J L Stewart, president of the board of visitors to the University, says "everything was found in fine condition. There was only one discordant note, this being the friction between the "Greek letter societies" and those who have not membership in them—the "frate's" and the "antifraters." Mr Stewart says the entire matter will be thoroughly investigated.

Mr Charles Crabtree, the long missing Durham man, was seen yesterday in two miles of that place. He is said to be insane. Today many persons were looking for him.

Charles Dunston, colored, was sent to jail today by justice W C Brewer, of Wake Forest. He is charged with having shot Mr Hamilton T Jones not long since. He was required to give \$300 bond for his appearance at court. Wiley Alston who is charged with being concerned in the shooting gave bond.

PERSONAL MENTION

Of People Who Came and Went Today.

David Dudley Field died suddenly yesterday morning of pneumonia at his home in New York city.

Mrs Mary E Heartt left this morning for Richmond, with Miss Stearns, who has been on a visit to the family of Maj O D Heartt.

Mr Farnsworth left for Chapel Hill today, to paint the gymnasium at the University. The interior will be in blue and gold.

Mr Henry A London, editor of the Chatham Record, says the state press association meeting will be held at Morganton in May.

Mr Donald Partin, who was injured at Columbia, S C, in the railway shops, has been brought here. His hands are mashed.

Gov Carr has appointed R O Lester of Statesville to assist the national board in locating the North Carolina troops at the battle ground of Antietam.

Next Monday Rev Eugene Daniel will leave for Elizabeth City, where on the 19th Albemarle presbytery meets. The opening sermon will be preached by Rev C G Vardell, the retiring moderator.

Last night David McAllister, a wealthy resident of Wade, Harnett county, fell or jumped from the third story of the LaFayette hotel, at Fayetteville. His injuries are considered fatal.

In today's Charlotte Observer its Washington correspondent says: "Gradually the really serious condition of Senator Vance's health is becoming known. He is paralyzed in his legs, in addition to the liver enlargement already mentioned."

Mr Fab H Busbee says that while there are only three men now living who were elected governors of this state (Vance, Jarvis and Carr) yet of all the grand masters of Masons elected since 1863 only one has died, that one being Mr H F Grainger.

Arrivals at the Park hotel: C T Hathaway, Buffalo; J A Porter, Asheville; J T Juran, Greensboro; S B Bishop, New York; Charles M Carpenter, New York; R J Rogers, Durham; Henry Kishon, Newbern; Gustar Ree and wife, Glendon; J C Ker-Louisburg; G T Elmiston, Gulf.

The Federal Courts.

The Washington correspondent of the Charlotte Observer says: "Congressman Woodard's bill transferring Chatham, Durham, Moore, Person and Richmond counties to the eastern judicial district, crimes and offences heretofore committed triable in the western where defendants have been bound over, and giving terms of court at Raleigh on the fourth Monday of May and first Monday of December, was ordered to be reported favorably by the judiciary committee today. The bill will pass as soon as reached in course. The other district court terms are at Wilmington, first Monday after fourth Monday in April and October; at Elizabeth City, third Monday in April and October; the circuit court at Raleigh, fourth Monday in May and first Monday in December."

Y. M. C. A.

Gospel service at rooms of Y M C A Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock; Mr B R Lay will speak on the "Life of David." Song service of twenty minutes; J F Betts, soloist; J W Cheek, cornet; T B Wilkerson; violin; Roscoe Nunn, flute. All men are cordially invited to attend this service, especially railroad men.

Masonic.

Hiram lodge, No 43, will meet in regular communication Monday evening, April 16th, at 7 o'clock. A full meeting desired. Brethren of sister lodges cordially invited. W S Primrose, W M E B Thomas, Sec.

The West End Chapel.

The revival services at this place continues with unabating interest. Some fifteen made profession last evening, several of whom were A & M college students. Rev Mr Lowe preaches this evening at 8 o'clock. He will preach at 11 a. m, 8 p. m, and 8 p. m tomorrow. The afternoon services are for men.

Mr T A Bowen today sold straw berries at 50 cents a quart.

Joseph Pulley, colored, was sent to jail this afternoon by justice Roberts, for an assault and battery upon his wife and daughter. He was brought here from Johnston county, where he recently went to live. Monroe Lyon, colored, was sent to jail by the same magistrate for larceny, committed in this city.

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Just now gents' furnishings is attracting public attention. Low prices rule, and shirts, collars, cuffs and knit underwear seem to have the run. This is due largely to extra values. We retail a fine line of gents' scarfs, ties and bows at wholesale prices. Hemstitched, tape bordered handkerchiefs at 5c. The wonder is how we do it. See the quality. The people will not be deceived by gloss, nor are they entrapped by worthless articles at any price. Good goods satisfies, that is the kind we have but cannot keep.

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\$1.00 Children's Oxford Ties, black and tan, all sizes, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, and an additional line in black only at \$1.25.

\$1.75 Misses' Tan Shoes, Spring heels, buttons and bals at \$1.75. The sizes for children are \$1.50.

We have decided to continue this week the sale (heretofore advertised) of ladies' common sense, kid button shoes, reduced from \$3.50 to \$3; also the balance of the lot of ladies' common sense and opera kid button shoes reduced from \$2.50 to \$2.

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