KILLED IN JAIL

A Crowd Ends the Life of a Murderer.

CLOSE SHAVE OF RAPIST.

Three Men Attack Jail at Alexandria to Lynch Negro but Were Driveu Off by the Jailer.

Gainesville, Ga., July 15.—Si Smith, a farmer, who killed W. Bell, a commercial traveler from Atlanta several months ago, was shot to death this in jail about midnight. Sheriff Monday, who lives in the jail, was awakened by a man at the door who said he was the sheriff of Gilmour county, and had a prisoner he wanted locked up for the night. The sheriff could see nothing for the darkness except three or four men just outside of the building. He hur-riedly dressed himself and appeared at the entrance. The leader stepped for-ward and said: "Here, come here." The man stepped forward, hands bound, and the entire crowd followed into the building. The sheriff, seeing what was up, remarked "Keys downstairs." Monday was told to hurry and get them. When he got downstairs he heard the rattle of the guns in the room he had just left. Smith had been shot six times and was dead.

Washington, July 15.-Three men cheered on by a crowd of several hun-dred, who gathered to see the fun, made an attempt to storm the Alexandria jail early this morning in order to lynch William Dodson, an aged negro. The jailer, his wife and three friends delivered a shower of bullets upon the attacking trio. The lynchers' wrath finally cooled, and no further attempt was made to reach Dodson during the night. Dodson was arrested on the charge of assaulting an eight-year-old girl, Viola Elliott, last Tuesday night Dodson was terribly ffightened, and prayed continually for his life. He is about 80 years old and was born a

DEWEY'S RECEPTION

Accorded Only the Same Honors by

British as to Other Admirals. London, July 15 .- According to information obtained from British naval sources Admiral Dewey's reception at the various British stations was no more cordial and in no way different to that accorded the admirals of other fleets. Dewey's visit to Malta is likely to be very quiet. Governor Deep is mourning the death of his wife. The British fleet left Malta last Sunday on its summer cruise, and half of the officers of the garrison and English residents are absent, the former on furlough, the latter in Great Britain or traveling on th Continent.

WITHOUT A HEAD.

Washington, July 15 .- The War Department is practically without a head Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn is off on a vacation. Contrary to law General Miles was not notified officially and is

ARMY OFFICERS APPEOINTED

The president has made the following additional appointments in the volunteer army, each officer's former service b ing given. To be captains:

Amos W. Brandt, captain, Seventh U.

Frank E. Eckers, captain, Fiftieth Iowa Volunteers. William H. Gillenwaters, captain, Sixth U. S. V. I.

Frank M. Hime, captain, First Maine artillery.
William M. Scofield, captain, First

Ohio cavalry, Charles D. Roberts, first lieutenant,

Seventh U. S. .V I.

T. G. Summerlin, second lieutenant.

Eighth cavalry.

To be first lieutenants—Alltn T. Bal-To be first lieutenants—Altin T. Balentine, Third U. S. V. engineers; Edgar N. Coffey, captain, B, First Mississippi; Henry M. Fales, captain. Third New York volunteers; Julian E. Gaujot, captain Second West Virginia; Joseph W. Porterfield, captain, Ninth Illinois; William Sullivan, captain B, First New Henrythin relunteers. Cooper I. Becker. Hampshire volunteers; George I. Becker, first lieutenant, Fifteenth Minnesota; Solomon L. Jeffers, captain First Arkansas: John H. Lewis, captain Seventh U. S. V.; Henry Stroup, captain First Arkansas; Theodore Schultz, captain

Sixth Missouri; Wilson B. Strong, in volunteer service.

To be second lieutenants: B. Herbet, First California. John W. Healy, sergeant major, Twen-

Archi Miller, first lieutenant, Sixth Holmes Conrad, Jr., second lieutenant

Second North Carolina. Albert J. Dillon, lieutenant U. S. V., signal corps.

Vincent M. Elmore, Jr., first lieutenant, Second Alabama,

Henry Gibbons, first lieutenant, Third John P. Spurr, first sergeant, Fourth

Webb C. Hayes has been appointed lieutenant colonel of the Thirty-first in-fantry volunteers. He was major of the First Ohio and saw service in Cuba and

Porto Rico. The reports from the recruiting stations show that 313 men were enlisted for the new regiments yesterday, mak-ing a fotal of 1,124 since the recruiting

Miss Foster, of Louisburg, passed the city this afternoon on way to Morehead City.

ROUGH WEATHER IN PHILIPPINES

It has Delayed Landing of Troops at Negros-Soldiers Leave for Home.

Washington, July 15.— The War Department has received a dispatch from General Otis stating that twenty inches rain, attended by typhoons, made the landing of transports impossible at Negros. It is impossible to unload the Sixth Infantry until within the last day or two. The Californians are now load-ing. The Coloradians leave tomorrow. ing. The Coloradians leave tomorrow, The Idahos, North Dakotas and Wyomings leave next week just as soon as the transports can coal.

OLYMPIA LEATES PORT SAID.

London, July 15.—A special dispatch from Gibraitar says that the United States cruiser Olympia left Port Said

Trieste, July 15.-The Olympia due to arrive here on the nineteenth.

PLEASED WITH THE SHAM-

ROCK.
Southampton, July 15.—The Shamrock made a trial spin this morning. She cruised up in Southampton water under mainstil and foresail, proceeded through the west abancal into Scattering the west abancal into Scattering. the west channel into Solvent, where she hoisted the juckyard topsail and jib. Here she caught a spanking breeze and behaved superbly. -ae spectators were immensely pleased with the speed ap-

THE FILIPINO JUNTA

The Headquarters Will be Moved Owing to Vigiliance of Americans.

Manila, July 15.-The transport Warren will sail tomorrow with the Colorado regiment on board. It is reported that the Filipino Junta will be moved from Hong Kong to the Island of Labaun, a British colony six miles from the coast of Borneo, as American officials have watched the members of the junta so closely that the latter have found it impossible to supply the army of the

THUNDERSTORM TOMORROW.

For Raleigh and vicinity: Fair tonight and early Sunday; moderate thunder-

storm Sunday evening. The storm in the northwest has increased in force considerably, and the pressure is now below 29.80 inches at Davenport, Some heavy rain with thunderstorms occurred in the vicinity of the storm, Dodge City reporting 1.02 inches, Kansas City 1.10, and other points as far east as the Lake region, smaller amounts. Throughout the south and east very warm, fair weather continues with southerly winds. The highest temperatures yesterday were 98 degrees at Augusta and Savannah.

THE CORPORATION COMMISSION

The Arguments of the Railroads Overruled-Few Changes

After consideration of all the exceptions filed by the railroads of the State and the argument thereon, the Corporation Commission yesterday afternoon de-cided to over-rule them and it is or-

dered: 1. That the Atlantic and Yadkin Railroad (formerly the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley, but now a part of the ern) be valued at \$8,250 per mile instead

2. That the value of the East Tennessee and Western North Carolina Railroad be changed from \$5,000 a mile to \$3,500,

3. That the valuation of the Postal Telegraph Company property be reduced from \$100,000 to \$50,000.

4. That no change be made in the valuation of the property of the Western Union Telegraph Company, and it will stand at \$1,000,000.

5. That the exceptions of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad be over-ruled, and its valuation remain at \$6.500 a mile 6. That no other changes be made in

the valuation fixed, and that the excep-tions of the Southern Railway, the Seaboard Air Line and Atlantic Coast Line he not sustained.

RALEIGH STOCK MARKET.

QUOTED BY GRIMES AND VASS. RALEIGH, July 15, 1899. BONDS.

North Carolina 6s

Bid, Asked.

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North Carolina 4s		1084	
City of Raleigh 6s		_	
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Seaboard & Roanoke	5s	000000	
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Southern Ry. 1st 5s	1081		
Atlanta & Charlotte 7	s 117#		
Wake County 6s		125	
W. N. C. R. R 1st 6s	0.000000	118	
Ga. & Ala. Pref. 5s	105		
" Consoli		1014	
Ga. Car. & North, 1st 5	ia	1094	
Carolina Central 4s		92	
Ral. Water Co. 6s	105	355	
Raleigh Cotton Mill 6	8	105	
Albemarle & Chem.		1.000	
Oa'l Co. 7s.		103	
BTOO	KS.		
North Carolina R. R.	_		
Seaboard & Rosnoke			
Raleigh & Gaston	80		
Raleigh & Augusta	80	50	
Durham & Northern		52	
Southern Ry. Pref.	514		
" Common	104		
Mechanics Dime			
Savings Bank	106	174000	
Raleigh Water Co,		55	
Caraleigh Cotton Mill	8		
Preferred	110	1000	
Common		100	
Raleigh Cotton Mills		115	
Odel Mfg. Co.	106		
Virginia Carolina			
Chemical	112	114	

Common Citizens' National Bank 180

Raleigh Savings Bank J M Odell Mfg. Co.

BONDS SOLD WELL

109.24 Bid for the 4 per cent City Bonds

\$116.30 FOR TOWNSHIP 5's.

Lamprecht Bros. Company of Cincinnati Get the Township Bonds-The City has not Yet Accepted Any of the Bids.

The high standing of the credit both of the city and Raleigh township was evidenced by the large number of bidders and the prices offered for the street improvement bonds and the township school

bonds today. The bids for the city bonds were opened today at noon at the Citizens' National Bank by City Treasurer Joseph G. Brown in the presence of the finance comittee, several of the representatives of the bidders and others.

The street improvement bonds are \$100,000 and bear 4 per cent. interest.

The highest bid was made by S. F. Gascoigne, New York, \$109.24. The two next highest are Dennison, Pryor & Co., Cleveland, O., \$105,525 and Ru dolph, Kleybolte & Co., Cincinnati, \$105,455. The complete list of the bids

as follows: S. F. Gascoigne, New York, 109.24. First National Bank of Youngstown O., 100 and interest.

Rosenberger & Livermore, New York 102 and interest. H. B. Wilcox, Baltimore, 101.59 and

Charles II. Coffin, Chicago, \$100,251 Rudolph, Kleybolte & Co., 105,455 and interest. Cyrus Pierce, Philadelphia, \$101,005

and interest. 0
H. M. Holleman, Boston, 99,035.
C. H. White & Co., New York, 101, 50 and interest, Sensongood & Mayer, Cincinnati, 101,

681 and interest.
S. A. Keene, Chicago, 99.
W. J. Hayes and Son, Cleveland, O.

Grimes & Vass, Raleigh, 103.02. Mason, Lewis & Co., Boston, 104.75 and interest.

Dewitt Trumble and Co., Chicago, and Hamilton and Co. (joint bid), 104,475 and interest. Lamprecht Bros. Co., Cleveland, O. 103.75 and interest.

Briggs, Todd and Co., Cincinnati, 103.-43 and interest.

Dennison, Pryor and Co., Cleveland, 105,525 and interest. The bids for the \$50,000 5 per cent Raleigh township school bonds to run for thirty years from July 1, 1899, were opened at 12:30 o'clock in the office of the county treasurer by Bond Commissioner Capt. B. P. Williamson, in the presence of members of the school comnittee, the representatives of the bid-

ders and others. There were also a large number of idders and the high flattering.

The bonds were awarded to the Lamprecht Bros. Co., of Cleveland, the highbidder. Their bid was \$116.30. The following is the complete list of

Raleigh Savings Bank, Raleigh, 1114

Rudolph, Kleybolte and Co., Cincinnati, bid for 51,000 of bonds, 115.39. Thompson Bros., Baltimore, \$104 and interest.

Seasongood and Mayer, Cincinnati, W. J. Hayes and Son, Cleveland, O.

\$113. Citizens' National Bank, Raleigh, \$111 3-4 flat. Mason, Lewis and Co., Boston, 115½.

Dennison, Pryor and Co., Cleveland, \$116.27 and interest. F. R. Fulton and Co., Chicago, \$113,-

Dewitt Trumbull and Co. and Hamilton and Co., Baltimore, 108.76. Briggs, Todd and Co., Cincinnati, \$114.952 and interest.
The Lamprecht Bros. Co., Cleveland, O., 116.30 and interest.

DEATH OF MRS. J. F. BUTT.

Mrs. Mary A. Butt, wife of Rev. John F. Butt, died last night at 11 o'clock at her home in this city. Mrs. Butt was stricken with paralysis

on the 29th of September, 1897, and has since then been a helpless invalid. Through all the days and nights of her illness she bore the cross with true Christian resignation. Just before she died she spoke of her trust in the Saviour and her faith in Him.

Mrs. Butt was 62 years of age. She was a daughter of Mr. Cyrus Morrison who lived eight miles from Charlotte on the Lawyer's Road, and has one sis ter living, Mrs. Captain Dixon, of New ell, and several brothers living in Texas She married on the 11th of December 1883. She was a great help to her hus band in his work, and will be misser by his parishioners, to whom she was always kind and sympathetic. The funeral services will be conducted to morrow morning at 10 o'clock at Calvery Methodist Church by Rev. Frank Siler, of Trinity Methodist Church.— Charlotte Observer (Friday.)

Mrs. Butt was a resident of this city several years ago when her husband was pastor of Brooklyn Church here, and her friends here regret to learn of

THE STORY DENIED.

London, July 15.-Chamberlain this morning denied the Digger News story that the British government approved of Volksroad franchise proposals, and

CHURCH NOTES

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

James L. Foster, Pastor. Sunday school 10 a, m.; preaching at 11 a, m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Church conference immediately after morning service. Every member requested to be present. The public cordially invited to all services.

CHRIST CHURCH

Rev. M. M. Marshall, D. D., Rector. Seventh Sunday after Trinity. Early Celebration at S a. m.; Sunday school 10 a. m.; Divine Service and Sermon 11 a. m.; Evening Prayer 6 p. m. Services during the week, Wednesday 6 p. m. and Friday 10 a. m. Free seats.

St. Savior's Chapel-Sunday school 10 a. m.; morning service 11 a. m.; night service, 8:30 p. m. Sents free. All invited.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

There will be services at the Catholic church tomorrow, both morning and light, conducted by Father Price.

CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH. Regular services at Central tomorrow by the pastor, Rev. E. C. Glenn, at the usual hour, 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m., Sunday school 9:30 a. m. L. H. WOODALL, Supt.

CHURCH OF GOOD SHEPHERD. Rev. I. McK, Pittinger, D. D., Revtor, Seventh Sunday after Trinity, Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Service and ser-mon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 6:30 The seats are all free strangers and visitors are cordially in-

CASHIER VALENTINE IN JAIL

Total Amount of Embezelment \$145,000 -Claimed that Bank will Open

Again. New Brunswick, N. J., July 15,-It was stated this morning that Cashier Valentine, of the Middlesex County Bank, of Perth Amboy, embezzled all told one hundred and forty-five thousand dollars. He spent a restless night in jail. His father, who is worth half a million, has not yet visited him, but his wife and cousin appeared at the jail this morning and stated to the deposi-tors of the savings bank that they would not lose anything and that the bank will be open for business again Monday. It is claimed that the stockholders state that the bank is not liable for double hte amount of their stock as has been claimed. A great many foreigners are depositors in the Perth Amboy Building and Loan Association and threaten Val entine if he tampered with the funds of that institution. He says he has not.

WHAT THE PEOPLE OF NORTH CAROLINA ARE THINKING ABOUT,"

is the subject for Rev. O. L. Stringfield's talk at 11 a. m. next Sunday at the First Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Stringfield has just returned from a tour of the State. He has visited every county except three as many people as any one could and has come as near getting the mind of the people of the State as any one ever did, and that is not all-he since reaching Raleigh that every man woman and child in Raleigh is anxious to know what the people outside of Raleigh are thinking about. Hear Mr. Stringfield. No man is better qualified to tell you and tell you in language and manner that you will not forget than Whosoever will may come. all free. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

BASE BALL.

Wilmington street and Fayetteville street baseball teams will meet in bat tle royal on Monday at 4 o'clock sharp -both teams are made up of some very good material and both are confident of winning. Wynne and Pugh will do the honors for the Favetteville street

No admission will be charged. The grand stand will be reserved for ladies. Mr. J. Sherwood Upchurch will cal the game promptly at 4 p. m.

CYRENE'S LAST NIGHT

Close Their Engagement.

The Cyrene Vaudeville Company will give their closing performance at Pullen Park tonight. For the past two weeks this company has been furnishing a good clean interesting entertainment which has been relished by hundreds nightly many of the best ladies of the city being

This show has been furnished to the people of the city free, owing to the enterprise of the excellent president of Raleigh Street Railway Company. Mr. William J. Andrews.

It is to be hoped that President Andrews will secure another attraction for the park at an early date. The schedule of the cars to the park

at night has been a most excellent one, the best in the history of the company, and the crowds have been handled with perfect case and without any delay. Superintendent Charles Johnson is to be commended for this delightful feature. The Cyrene Company go from here to

ONE BABY'S IDEA.

From the Chicago News. Early one morning little Helen be-came restless and crawled out of her tiny bed.
"What are you doing. Helen?" called

"I is lookin' for a match." was the re-

"What do want with a match?" "Oh, I just want to light the gas to see if it's daylight," answered Helen.

AROUND AND ABOUT

Items of Interest Gleaned by the Wayside

SHORT STATEMENTS

Familiar Faces From the Passing Throng-Movements of People You know-Snatches of Street Gossip Today.

Miss Eunice Worth returned this morn

Miss Louise Holt returned this morning to Graham.

Mr. D. D. Upchurch will leave for

Portsmouth tonight.
Miss Laura Williams will leave tonight for Portsmouth to visit relatives.

Mrs. Hal M. Worth and Miss Eddie

Haywood left this morning for Mill-Mr. W. D. Terry, the gardner at the capitol square, has an umbrella that some one left there. Owner can get

same by applying to him.

Mr. J. S. Wynne, secretary and trasmer of the Raleigh Coton Mills, today paid the semi-annual 4 per cent divi-dend declared a few days ago. This

is one of the best managed mills in the South. Rev. J. L. Foster and wife returned today from Auburn, where they have been attending the Sunday School Cha-

The Payetteville street and Wilmigton street baseball teams will cross bats at the A. and M. College grounds Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. This bids fair to be one of the most interesting games of the season and there will be a large crowd at the game. Admittance

ee. Miss Kate and Maria Allen went to Forestville this morning. Miss Kate Connor, who has been visit-ing Mr. C. M. Busbee, left today for her

home at Wilson Graham Andrews went to Morehead City this morning, Mrs. J. A. Sheets left today for Fay-

Miss Lizzie Bellamy and Miss Grace Bates returned from the summer school at Chapel Hill this morning.

Miss Frances McRae and Miss Susie

Moses returned from Chapel Hill to-Miss Belle Fleming went to Dunn this morning.
Mr. C. J. Parker went to Virginia

Beach today. Dr. Eugene Denson left this morn-Miss Annie Jarvis, of Washington, N.

is visiting Dr. R. H. Lewis, Mr. Dick Lewis and Mr. Aldert Root eturned this morning from Chapel Hill. Mr. Lawrence W. McDowell left this morning for Warrenton,

Miss Fannie Landis left this morning. Prof. Massey left this morning for Old Point.

Mr. F. A. Watson left this morning Judge Nichols went to Waterbury, Conn., today. Mr. E. W. Pon left today for Smith-

Mrs. James H. Pou returned to the city from Morehead City yesterday, Mrs. William Holladay returned to Wilmington today

Miss Berdie Dunn left today for Wyatt. Miss Nellie Massey and Miss Mary Davis left for New York this morning. Mr. J. A. Briggs left today on a busi-

the Baptist Tabernacle tomorrow morning and Rev. O. L. Stringfield will preach at night. Captain Charles F. Davis, the clever conductor on the G. C. and N. railroad,

ness trip. Rev. B. W. Spillman will preach at

s recreating in the city today. Davis has a host of friends in Raleigh vho are pleased to see him Prof. N. Y. Gulley, of Wake Forest, Up to the present time ten men have

been received for the volunteer ments. Six were from Raleigh and four from Greensboro. The Raleigh Rough Riders left this evening for one week's cooling off in the salt sea waves at Morehead. carried plenty of hermetrically scaled embalmed supplies for the trip.

their stay they will give a shark party complimentary to Billy Green and Joe Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Whitaker and children left today for Morehead City. Mr. John Royall and Jack Perry left this afternoon for Morehead City. Congressman J. W. Atwater went to

Mrs. B. A. Capehart went to Lincoln Lithia Springs this morning. Miss Edith Royster returned today

from Wake Forest, where she has been attending the summer school. Mr. Gann Dortch is in the city. Prof. Sykes, of Wake Forest, is in the

Mr. Moore Parker returned from Wake Forest this afternoon.

Messrs, E. C. Dunca, Watkin Robards, James McKee, J. M. Ayer , Ben Baker, John Andrews and Sol Murray this afternoon for Morehead City. Miss Catherine Skinner went to

Morehead City today.

Miss Elsie Haywood and Miss Florence Boylan left this afternoon for Morehead City. Mr. George Syme has returned from

Dr. Curtice left today for Concord and Pineville, where he will examine some suspected cattle.

Mr. William Dean Howells is writing some notable poems for Frank Leslie's Monthly Magazine. The August number has an illustrated poem from his pen. We have already called attention to the fact that Mr. Howells, not content with writing some of the best novels in the language, is now crowding the poets out of their chosen field.

ODD FELLOW NOTES

The Doing's of the Order in this and Other States

The Grand Muster says he has given permission to admit 298 members on the club plan.

A letter from Salem, N. 36, says that

There has been such indications of prosperity in the order as now, some places

Grand Secretary Woodell left the city yesterday to attend a District meeting of the order at Wilson, to be held last night, at which the Grand Master, Spe-cial Deputy T. B. Winstead and all the members of 44, 50, 96 and 163 are expected to be present.

Active preparations are being made for the Golden Jubilee of the Order of California, which will be celebrated in

It is reported that through the efforts of the Rebekahs of Indiana \$11,172.76 was added to the home fund of that jurisdiction last year.

Special sessions of the Grand Lodge of Colorado will be held as follows: July 11, at Greeley; July 18, at Pueblo; July 29, at Central City; and July 27, at Colorado Springs,

At its recent session the Grand Lodge of Ohio passed a resolution to assess every member in the State 40 cents a year, payable quarterly, for the Odd

The Odd Fellows of Chleago and Cook county held their annual picnic at Kankakee, June 24th. The entire net proceeds go toward creating an endowment fund for the Old Folks Home and the Orphans Home.

The trustees of the Odd Fellows Home at Thermalito, California, have been fortunate in securing a superin tendent, a physician and a matron, all in one family. Dr. W. M. Hilton Is superintendent and physician, while his estimable wife will fill the place of The order is represented at Salt Lake

City by eight subordinate lodges, three Rebekah lodges, one Encampment and one Canton, this includes the new lodge No. 55, at Murray. The lodges owns a building erected at a cost of \$50,000. Upon invitation the Odd Fellows of Waco, Texas, will say the corner stone of the auditorium at that place July 4th. The Grand Master has called a

special of the Grand Lodge in honor of

the event, and a very large gathering of Odd Fellows is expected. The Odd Fellows and their families of Sheridan, Wyoming, met at their lodge room Sunday afternoon, June 17, where they held memorial after who a they formed in line of march and proceeded to the cometery, where they decorated the graves of all Odd Fellows and their relatives with

California has had much trouble in regard to the location of the Odd Fellows Home It has he some that for sanitary reasons the loeation should be changed, but after much discussion the Grand Lodge decided to continue the Home at Ther-malito for a period of five years, and see what drainage and other improvements will do toward making the loca-

tion healthful. LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Deputy Collector J. W. Perkins and Posseman George Perry returned from Henderson this morning after a success ful raid on an illicit distillery last night The still was 65 gallons capacity and was full of lo wwines when capturned. Four hundred gallons of beer were destroyed in addition to the still. Five men were captured, but were released. as no deputy marshal was along to le-gally take them into custody. The Elk Club of Charlotte was incor-

porated today by the Secretary of State.

No capital stock. The incorporators are B. S. Davis, Charles, F. Wadsworth

and James A. Bell.

Mrs. Hal Worth, of Worthsville, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned home today. Mr. W. T. Davis and Dr. A. O. Jones, teh newly elected Noble Grand and Vice Grand, respectively, of Senton Gales Lodge, I. O. O. F. gave an tee cream supper to the memebers of the lodge present, which was greatly enjoyed. Miss Annie Sturgeon has accepted a

position as nurse in Rex Hospital, Ral-eigh. We hope her much success in her new chosen profession,—Apex

THE QUARTETTE BACK AGAIN. The Atlantic Quartette, which left Raleigh some weeks ago to tour the principal cities and towns of the State. has closed a very successful and profitable season, and three of its members-Mr. J. Sherwood Upchurch, Mr. W. P. Smith and Mr. Willie Nowell-returned to the city yesterday. Mr. George D. Jordan, the other member, has gone to

Richmond for a few days. The quartette is just back from the western part of the State. Eight concerts were given in Charlotte. The organization has been well received everywhere. The second tour will begin in September.

There was a fall in United States mail this morning. The mail wagon ran into a wagon loaded with brick with the result that the mail wagon was capsized. This happened at the corner of

Salisbury and Martin streets.
Postmaster Bailey and his clerks hurried to the rescue and got the wagon on its feet again. In order to avoid delay the mail bags were carried by the clerks to the postoffice, only a short dis-