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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Opera House to-night—East Lynne.
Rheumatism cured by Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

THE MOMENS MUSICALE will meet this evening at the home of Miss Laura Peterson.

THE COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN LEGION OF HONOR of this city will hold an important meeting at the usual meeting hour this evening, at which every member is urged and expected to be present.

THE COMMUNICATION OF "TAX PAYER," in this issue, on the condition of our thoroughfares and the cause thereof, is timely and pertinent and carries the remedy on its face. Let our "City Fathers" read and profit thereby.

THE ECLIPSE STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY, under the foremanship of Mr. F. W. Hilker, is now right abreast of any fireman's organization in the State. They had a drill practice yesterday afternoon which moved along like clock work. Success to the Eclipse always.

THE LADIES OF THE BAPTIST CHURCH will have a festival in one of the stores of the Opera House on Thursday night of this week. They propose to make some needed repairs to their paraphernalia and will appreciate the attendance and patronage of our people, who are always open-hearted to every good object.

WE ARE IN RECEIPT OF THE FIRST COPY OF THE PARISH VISITOR, a new publication in Goldsboro, in the interest of St. Stephen's Episcopal parish. It is neatly printed and edited with ability and discretion. The first issue deals almost exclusively with the proper observance of Lent, and furnishes much wholesome food for spiritual meditation at this holy season.

M'LE ARNE and her excellent company presented the Two Orphans at the Opera House last night as it has never been seen in Goldsboro before. She is very pretty and a painstaking little actress, and is supported by a company that is exceptionally good. She has decided to remain in our city to-night and present the ever popular play "East Lynne," in which she appears in the dual role of "Lady Isabel" and "Madam Vine." As a treat to the ladies of Goldsboro the manager has decided to sell the reserved seats at Messrs. Robinson Bros. drug store at 75 cents each, entitling the purchaser to two reserved seats.

THE SERMON OF REV. R. C. BEAMAN in St. Paul's Methodist church in this city Sunday morning is more praised than any sermon that has been delivered in Goldsboro in a long time. Every one who heard him was moved to deeper interest in and to higher purposes of life. It will abide long for good among those whose blessing it was to hear him Sunday morning. His lecture at the anniversary exercises of the Young Men's Christian Association in the Baptist church Sunday evening, was the perfection of practical ethics, breathing with fervent zeal eloquently expressed for the furtherance of Y. M. C. A. work. It was attended by a congregation that filled the spacious edifice from the gallery to every corner of the building below,

and listened to with rapt attention. The choir singing was grand and Miss Nellie Waddell's solo was sublime. It was a grand occasion, and has given new impetus to the cause of the Y. M. C. A. in Goldsboro, the best evidence of which is that then and there some six hundred dollars were raised to evade the demands of the Association during the coming year.

PERSONAL MENTION.

MR. B. B. WITHERINGTON, of Faison, was in the city yesterday.

MISS MARGARET SMITH, who has been on an extended visit to school friends in Charlotte and Winston, is at home again.

MISS FEREBE DEWEY, of Raleigh, who has been visiting Mrs. W. F. Korney in this city, where she has won many admiring friends, returned home yesterday, much to the regret of us all.

MR. W. R. BURCH, representing Messrs. Robert Moore & Co., commission and cotton factors, of New York, is spending a few days at his home in this city, where his many friends are glad to see him.

HON. B. F. AYCOCK, Senator from Wayne and Duplin, and Messrs. J. W. Bryan and Hiram J. Ham, our county's representatives in the House, were in the city yesterday, on their way to Raleigh after spending Sunday at the respective homes.

MR. T. B. GALLOWAY has been appointed as the successor of Mr. W. J. Crews in the management of the Western Union office in this city. We congratulate our young friend and townsman right heartily. Tom is thoroughly competent to fill the responsible position, and his preference is fully merited.

MR. F. M. SWANN, of Passaic, N. J., one of the pioneers and leading business men of that substantial New Jersey city, accompanied by his son Wilbur Thomas, is on a visit to his brother, our esteemed townsman Capt. Thomas W. Swann. THE ARGUS wishes them a pleasant sojourn in our midst.

MR. BASIL MANLY, of Newbern, master machinist of the A. & N. C. R. R. shops, was in the city yesterday, returning from Richmond, where he has been for some days, superintending the final construction of the two new locomotives of that road. One of the locomotives will pass through to-day, and the other will be on about the latter part of next week.

MR. W. J. CREWS, who for a number of years has been in charge of the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, was yesterday promoted to the charge of the Asheville office, and will leave for his new post of duty to-day. Both Mr. and Mrs. Crews have a host of warm friends in this city who will rejoice at his promotion, but who will part with them from this community with real sorrow.

Mud and Dust.

DEAR ARGUS: The soil in Goldsboro is as favorable to good hard streets as any town in the State, and yet we all see that during the past five years our streets have become very muddy and grow worse every year. The cause is patent. It is that the loose dirt, etc., shoveled up by the street hands from the side drains or gutters is several times annually thrown into the middle of the streets, where it is now several inches deep, and when the rain comes we have mud and mud holes; and when dry weather comes the town is smothered with dust from the same cause.

The remedy is, stop throwing into the streets, scrape up the dirt in the side drains into piles and there are several farmers close by who will take it way and pay for it at the same time. Now the street hands throw it into the streets, the rains wash a part of it back and the hands throw it up again, and so it goes on yearly. Health and economy both require the correction, but how long shall we wait? Ten years ago we had hard streets (the natural soil) and but little dust. Yours, etc.,

TAX PAYER.

RATHER BE RIGHT THAN BE PRESIDENT.
The Richmond Times, commenting on the letter of ex-President Cleveland to the New York Reform Club, taking decided ground against the free and unlimited coinage of silver, says, and with great truth, that it has considerably stirred up

the Democratic party. The Democratic members of Congress are particularly wrought up over it, and express their views regarding its probable effect upon Mr. Cleveland's Presidential aspirations in accord with their individual sentiments. For instance, the anti-silver men unanimously endorse Mr. Cleveland's course, while the friends of free coinage assert with emphasis that the letter completely destroys all chances of his renomination.

Such expressions of opinion at this time are manifestly premature. It must be remembered, in the first place, that before the Democratic Convention will meet for the purpose of selecting a national standard bearer, there will have been held an entire session of the fifty-second Congress. In all probability, by that time, the silver question will either have been disposed of, or gotten into such shape that its solution will be a matter of comparative ease. It is not a party nor a political, but a financial and sectional question. Democrats and Republicans alike in the East are opposed to free coinage, while as a rule Democrats and Republicans in the West are agreed in its favor. It is, therefore, a question which imperatively demands a compromise by both parties, and for this reason is not so likely to prove a vexatious political issue in the national campaign of '92.

Not so, however, with tariff reform. On that issue the lines are already distinctly drawn. The Republican party is irrevocably bound to the doctrine of high protection of the strictest kind, except in so far as it may be modified by Mr. Blaine's reciprocity clause in the McKinley bill, while the Democracy are equally as firmly bound by the principles of a healthy general reform of our iniquitous tariff laws. The silver problem is one which the Democratic party, with characteristic regard for the welfare of the people, and in accord with its avowed principle of "the greatest good for the greatest number," is carefully considering, and in which it is making haste slowly, so as to avoid all careless and ill-considered legislation on so important a subject. As regards tariff reform, however, the mind of the party has long since been fully made up, and, having reached the conclusion that reform in this direction is what the country needs above all things else, it will never cease battling for that reform until it is accomplished.

The next issue before the country, therefore, will undoubtedly be that of Protection vs. Tariff Reform, and the people of the West and South are as much bound together by a community of interest in favor of reform as they can possibly be in favor of silver or any other economic question. Such being the case, Grover Cleveland still looms up head and shoulders above any other man in the United States as the champion of the Democratic cause. He it was who first advanced the Democratic standard to the front on that battle ground, although in doing so he knew that he was raising a new issue which would jeopardize his own chances of re-election.

Just as Cleveland, in taking this course, showed that he had rather be right than be President, so he has now again shown in his position on the question of free silver coinage, that he is as ready as ever to subordinate policy to principle. He knows, as well as any one can know, that in so emphatically antagonizing the free silver advocates, he is seriously impairing his chances of a renomination which as matters stood, was as good as if already his. But, as in his fearless position in favor of tariff reform, he counted no cost where principle was involved, so now he shows that he is no time server, but that while he realizes that for him to be returned to the Presidency now, under existing circumstances, would be a greater honor than has been conferred on any American citizen since the days of Washington—since it would be the first time in history that a defeated candidate still retained to so marked a degree the confidence of his fellow citizens—he refuses to permit even so glittering a prize to tempt him aside from the line of what he believes to be duty. This trait in his character must make even those who disagree with him respect him and will cause the American people to be willing, more than ever, to entrust him with the reins of the Government, for in so doing they know they are trusting a man pre-eminently honest, conscientious and incorruptible.

RATES TO EASTERN CAROLINA OVSTER, FISH GAME AND INDUSTRIAL FAIR, New Berne, N. C.

For above occasion the Richmond and Danville Rail Road will sell tickets to New Berne, N. C., and return at following rates from points named, for round trip. Tickets on sale February 18th to 25th inclusive, limited to March 2nd, 1891.

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From Durham, N. C., \$2.70.
From Oxford, N. C., \$3.40.
From Greensboro, N. C., \$3.80.
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From Salisbury, N. C., \$4.80.
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