

CHARLOTTE, N. C., THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL
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- The editor is out of town today on business. It is his first day

REDVCED TO FIFTY DOLLARS The Mayor Listens to New Evidence and Takes of One Hendred Dollars
since The News was established. Suggestions tor aldermen are
coming in fist. As yet there is but one for mayor.
-A ten year old child in this city did the "Pigs in Clover". puzzle six times in five minutes;
-Citizens and residents un South down that way. Tbay say the dust is intolerable.
-Charlotte may not join the well settled that we are to have -Mr. S. M. Howell has sold h ane farm near the city to Mr. Fred Oiiver. The farm contains $1871 / 2$ acres, a,
section.
-There was but one case belor the mayor this morning. Ike Young was fined \$3.50 for raising a bump
on Mattie Johnson's head, at 2 o'dock this morning.

- Work was commenced today on
 lot on Trade street, next to Nichols
furniture store. Edwards \& NorLhey have the contract.
-Criminal Court has been enSauple for burglary, committed in Loog Creek township. The jury had not returned a ve
time of gping to press,
-Ats a meeting of the riding club, held at Capt. Wm. Clarkson's last night, Miss Mamin. MeAden was
elected president, Miss Maggie Clarkelected president,Miss Maggie Clark-
son, vice-president, Misi Annie Tate, Secretary, Miss Noannie Dowd, cor-
responding secretary. Mrs. A. B responding secretary, Mrs. A. B.
Reese, chaperone, and Miss Bleecker Reese, chaperone.
Springs, treasurer.


## What We Need.

To-day's Democrat says: Among
other thinga, wanted in Charlotte is a City Mision. The churches do much, but a mianion would do more. and look after this, and when needy and worthy oses present themselves will be a place to send them for reliel

20eo Milise to See Hie Arotber.
Mr. John H. Krucger and family are in the city visiting Mr. Henry Krueger. Mr. Krueger came all the Way irom Guayaquil, Eccaidon in
South America, a distance of nearly tree thecitand a lio, by ar aik the first time the brothers had met in two years. Among other curionities H. Kraeger brooght with him and bank notes of that country. He leaves for an 8 montha tour to Ea rope on Saturday.
Mrs. Nhoperwall Juchaon.
In commenting oa the rumors now The tory that has bees going the The sury Wars to therflect that the Preldent had tendered the pos! tion of postmater at Lexiogton, $\mathrm{Va}_{\mathrm{a}}$ to Mra, Stoniwnil. Fackpon, and that
whe had declined it, and that he now intended to offer her the position a pontanater at Richmond, Va , is ut terfy divcrelited at the postoffice de
oprtanet. Offisils is position to know, my mothing of the kind liag wer been contemplated.
$\mathrm{Mr} . \mathrm{J} \mathrm{S}$.
Mr. Ed Beall is mafioed to he toem by sicknes.
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h. E. KANKIN \& BRO.
 but the standing room as welh A meeting was held and some of the
parts have been assigned. Miss Annie Tate, the sweet-voiced
"Esther" of the oratorio, will enact the role of "Arline," the Bobemian he can easily conquer that most difficult part in the opera. Miss
Minnie Wriston, a lady well known or ber vocal talents, is to be the Bapsy Quill take the part of FloresBaker, will take the part of Flores tions are happy ones as each part is eminently adapted to the voices each to whom it is assigned.
In connection with the production, an orchestra of twenty-six pieces,
ander the able leadership of Prof. Win. Baker, will be organized and thoroughly rehearsed. The books or the periormers were telographed lor this morning, and are expected to arrive Saturday. Monday active
preparations will ensue in order to preparations will ensue in order
have everything perfect for the 2oth have everyhing periect har the
of May when the opera will be put on in fine shape.
After performing here, it is the
intention of the troupe to go to
Asheville and abso to Wilmington, Asheville and also to Wilmington, where Estion.
recep
Amusements To-Night.
Joln Wild and his "Running
Wid" Company are at the opera
Wouse to-nighe. The New York
house to-night. The New York
World says of them: "A crowded
World says of them: "A crowded Theatre last night in the farce ceme-
dy 'Running Wid.' The tumultudy 'Running Widd.' The tumultaioaypplause with wbich his finst ap. ald-time popularity with none of hiant
ol ald-time popularity with- the theatre-
oing poblic. When quiet had been tion in a neat listle speech. The play
was characteristic of its leading interpreter, aboupding in many laughable stiuations and iscidents, which
misen ey, ia her eflorts to maintuin ber position asa full-blooded Irishwoman who does the cleasing,' and 'know oloted Joe King (Mr. Wid). digly samasing, and Gertrade Fort, as Dollie, is eapecially entertaining
is her songs and dances. Every. Aing promises that the short sowo 'Running Wid' at this theatre will
lighly succesfat." be lighly succenfal."
Pailp Piand in acharibe or Bons - Philip Phillips nov takes his as Sience with him in his Charior Sopk, showing thea the principa
sights of the wortd, and interpersing the sceases with song ithatrated whity be sing
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Irom Nerwis' Fine.
Shortly after nine o'ciock this
orning, Mr. W. C. Maxwell, one morning, Mr. W. C. Maxwell, one of our prominent lawyers, appeared ciore the mayor's court in behaif or he bookseller Otto Nerwis, and re ried and noted in THE News, be ried and noted in The News, be well stated that he did this because he defendant stood mute at the
quminted with the procedure in our
courts and no testimony was offered
or the detense? Since the trial, ta
which, be thought, went far in miti
gating the offenses. In reply the
nayor stated that be had given Ner-
wis every opportunity to procure
counsel and witnesses, but he, (the
mavor, ) would be glad to hear any
thought would affect the case. There-
upon the court heard statements made by Mr. James Harty, Drs. R. and R. L. Gibbon. The mayor
thought that the evidence greatly mitigated two of the offenses, bu the chiet of police called for severe punjhiment. - He would change the
udgment and impose a fine of $\$ 50$ on Nerwis, as he was satisfied that be punishment already received had tendency to inspire him with The sympathy of the public appears to be with the prisoner, and it is nown that another lawyer is looking efter the case, intending to fight it in the courts, if any grouad for the action can be found.
McDosala Probably Postmaster.
It is now asserted that Mr. Ed.
McDonald is 80 boss the postoffice
Since the fight has narrowed down
to two, the polling of wires has been
unctasing and all the influence at commapd has been brought to bear
upon the officials who have the appointing power, by the friends of ton lawyer who ran against Rowland ane
his districe, has been in Washington lor a time and is doing anl be can to
secure the postmasternhip for Mcecure the postmastenhip for Mc-
Donald. It is said that Lockey's influence is as great among the de
partment officials as if he had bec eally elected instead of his opponent, and that his coming to Washington Brady. Most of the Charlotte comlingeat have leff the capital and

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