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LOCAL BIPPLES.

-Miss Mattie Vickers is booked for the opera house on the 25th. -Miss Virginia E. Sondley has re-turned from a visit to Richmond.

-Ground was broken today for the erection of Sam Jones' tabernacle. -Mr. R. F. Grier, one of Cabarrus county's representative men, is in Charlotte today.

-A hop will be given at the Concordia Club rooms, tonight compli-mentary to Miss Pauline Drucker, of Atlanta, and Miss Esther Gunhouse, of Chester.

-Mr. Charles E. Sterne, one of in the city Saturday afternoon for a brief visit to his relatives and friends.

-Mr. Thos. A. Edison has declined the proposition of a reception by the Chamber of Commerce. This has always been his ru'e, and he couldn't violate it, even in Charlotte.

-The spring term of the Superior court for Rowan county was opened at Salisbury today, Judge W. M. Shipp presiding. The docket contains but very little of public interest.

-Prof. Woodrow Wilson, a former student of Davidson College, has been elected to fill the chair of Jurisprudence and Political Economy at Princeton College, New Jer-

-Mr. Thomas Ross, an Air Line conductor, has moved to Charlotte with his family, and will make this place his adopted home. Charlotte is always glad to welcome such men as Mr. Ross.

-Mr. G. S. Holobaugh has on exhibition at his store today samples of ripe strawberries gathered from his garden this morning. Ripe strawberries in February is a novelty in Charlotte.

This would have been a bad day for fire on the cotton platfor m. It was a windy spring day, and the big platform was literally packed with cotton from the Carolina Cent 21 to the Richmond & Danville depot.

-In the Criminal Cour, this morning Will Jackson and Frank Maxwell, both colored, were convicted of colcred boys on the same charge.

The Cotton Market.

Only 13 bales of cotton were brought to towa by wagon today. There was no change of any consequence in the tone of the local market, 1034 being paid for the best cotton offered.

The Mardi Grav Rush. New Orleans is perhaps the greatest yet known. On Saturday Mr. Gresham, who keeps the railroad eating house here, took in \$100 from Mardi Gras bound passengers. Yesterday his receipts from the same source were \$87- The Northern people are flocking to New Orleans in greater numbers than ever yet known.

The Revenue Department and the Brug Stores-Important Ruling.

An interesting and very important uling has just been made by the department of Internal Revenue, bearing upon the question of the retailing of liquor by the drug stores. The ruling is that drug stores that retail liquor areto take out a retail whiskey tax. The ruling sets forth that no druggist will be allowed to sell whiskey, even on a physician's prescription, without having taken out a retail license. They are allowed to compound whiskey as a medicine, but cannot sell the straight stuff under any circumstances without a license. This raling her been pub lished in a Louisville paper.

The Murder Case to be Tried To-Mor

Coroner Cathey, Dr. H. M. Wil der, and other witnesses in the Kerns Davidson homicide were before the grand jury this morning. The coroner exhibited the wool hat Davidson wore when he received the fatal blow at the hands of Bob Kerns. and also the rock which was used. The hat had a ragged hole in it where the sharp edge of the rock had cut through and creshed into Davidson's skull. The grand jury oon found a true bill for murder, and Kerns was arraigned in court. Judge Meares appointed Messrs, E. defend him, and his trial was set for ing off, came to time with \$100. A one of his legs, crushing the bone was then remanded to jail.

A BANK REORGANIZED.

Charlotte bas a Conspicuous Part in it—The First National, of Winston, on

A very interesting meeting of banking men was held in Winston the First Netional Bank of Winston. Those present from Charlotte were Col. R. M. Oates, president of the First National Bank of Charlotte; Dr. John H. McAden, president of the Merchants and Farmers National Bank of Charlotte; Mr. H. G. Springs, vice-president of the Mer-Charlotte's rising young lawyers who chants Bank, and Mr. George E. has located at Spartanburg, arrived Wilson.

> Col. Oates was made president of the stockholders' meeting. The board of directors elected by the stockholders is as follows: Dr. John H. McAden, Mr. Geo. E. Wilson, Mr. Robert F. Phifer. Mr. M. N. Williamson, Capt. S. E. Allen, Mr J. C. Buxton, Mr. C. Hamlin.

> At the meeting of the directors, Mr. J. C. Buxton was elected president of the bank, in place of Mr. Bidding. Mr. Hamlin was elected vice president. Mr. J. W. Alspaugh was re-elected cashier, and Mr. Pegchanges were made.

The capital stock of the bank was increased from \$100,000 to \$200,000. The subscription books are to be kept open 30 days, as required by law. A committee was appointed to secure a new and more convenient banking house. Winston now has one of the firmest and strongest banks in the South.

Murder at Chester.

Parties who arrived in the city yesterday from Chester, S. C, report a bratal murder at that place Saturday night. Mr. John Hood, a respectable white man aged 70 years, was shot down and instantly killed by a negro. The negro, in the darkof gambling. The Cours is this af ness, mistook Mr. Hood for another ternoon engaged in toping a crowd man, of whom he was jealous. He fired a charge of buckshot into Mr. Hood, killing him instantly. The negro was arrested and confessed the shooting, explaining that he had shot the wrong man. Indignation was of course intense, and to prevent a jail breaking and lynching, the negro was promptly removed from Chester to Columbia, where he The rush for the Mardi Gras at is in jail. The murdered man was the father of the sherit of Chester. At the Churches.

> Rev. Edward Mack, one of the most talented young divines of this State, preached at the First Presbyterian church last night on "Peace," taking his text from Romans, 5-1. Mr. Mack supplied this pulpit during Dr. Miller's absence in Europe, and he was greeted last night by an unusually large audience.

At the Tryon street Methodist church yesterday, the pastor, Rev. Dr. Solomon Pool, preached two sermons, one in the forenoon and one at night, on "Love."

Rev. Joseph B. Cheshire, of St. Peter's Episcopal church, of this city, and Rev. B. S. McKenzie. of Concord, exchanged pulpits yesterday. Mr. McKenzie officiated at St. Peter's in the forenoon, and at St. Martin's chapel at night. He made a good impression in Charlotte.

Edison's Fame]

"That smooth faced man, with a dove colored overcoat on, going across the street, is Thomas A. Edison," remarked one of a group of citizens standing on Independence Square this morning. Just then a man who is evidently from away back came up. He caught the word "Edi-

"Edison?" he queried, and then before anybody could explain he continued: "Oh, yes, he's the man that invented the first steamboat I'veread about him in the gogaphy." The Lutheran Seminary.

The cutlook for the Lutheran Seminary grows more encouraging. One citizen who had subscribed \$50 today ra o'clock tomorrow. The prisoner little bit more of this same spirit and between the knee and ankle. Dr. was then remanded to jail. the seminary is ours. Wilder went out to attend Mr. Shaw.

SICK EVANGELISTS.

Mr. Pearson has to Adjourn His Balti-more Meetings and go Home-Evan-gelist Howren Very Sick.

Rev. R. G. Pearson, the evange list, has found it necessary to adlast Saturday. It was a meeting of journ his Baltimore meetings until the stockholders, new and old, of he recuperates from a serious illness. The meetings were discontinued last night, and Mr. Pearson went to his home, sick with fever. He says that overwork is the cause of his illness. He had been making good headway in Baltimore and had already done a great deal of good there. As soon as his health is sufficiently restored, he will return to Baltimore and resume his work there.

Henry D. Howren, who first struck Charlotte as a drunken reporter and next as an earnest evangelist, is se riously sick at Charleston. He has also been overworked. He has been very sick, sometimes unconscious for an hour or two at a time. He has had the "grip," and has been threatened with pneumonia, but the prime cause of all his sickness is nervous prostration and a general breaking down of the system. He has frequently preached three times on Sunday, and lectured every night ram assistant cashier. No other in the week succeeding. As most men do under such circumstances, he gave way all at once, and for days he has been too weak to take food. The Changes at Peace Institute.

> For some time past it has been rumored about here that Prof. John B. Burwell would retire from Peace Institute and come to Charlotte to reside, but it turns out that there is no foundation for the report. The Peace Institute transaction has been completed, and Mr. Bu well will remain there. The new principal of Peace is Prof. J. N. Dinwiddie, of Gordonsville, Va., and he will take charge as soon as the session of his Gordonsville school clours. The Raleigh Call says that "among the conditions under which he comes to the school is one which provides that Prof. J. B. Burwell remain with the institution as advisory principal. Mr. Burwell's health is not sufficiently strong to permit him to undertake the active duties of principal. Arrangements were completed today under which Prof. Dinwiddie will take charge of the school for a period of twenty years. Though he will not move here at present, he will at once begin the publication of announcements and catalogues for general distribution. Peace Institute has for years past drawn patronage from many States, and its reputation as an educational institution is co-extensive with the South and extends far into the North and West. A special object in view is to retain and increase this outside patronage. It is indicated that there will be very little if any change in the present faculty, but it will probably be in-

creased by two or more teachers "

The Tide of Emigration Checked. The emigrant business has completely pegged out in the past few days. The farmers in the section from which the negroes have been drawn, have taken steps to check the trade of the emigrant agents, and have not only warned the agents off, but have laid their complaints before the railroad officials. The farmers complain that the agents have induced laborers already under contract to leave, thus seriously crippling the farmers. As a result, the railroad companies will withdraw the emigrant rates, if they have not already done so. That will check the exodus from North Carolina.

Painful Accident to a Farmer.

Mr. T. M. Shaw, one of the well known farmers of Mecklenburg county, had one of his legs badly broken and crushed this morning. The accident happened near Mr. Julius Alexander's gin house. Mr. Shaw was seated on a wagon load of cotton seed, when some part of the harners gave way. As he dismounted to adjust it, he placed his hand on one of the mules. The mule gave a start, ordered his donation increased to Mr. Shaw was thrown to the ground T. Cansler and Wm. C. Maxwell to \$100. Another who had been hold- and the wagon wheels passed over

OUR TALE OF WOE

She was a mother, a woman, and likewise a fema'e. She had a heap of courage to be all three, when she didn't have to. But she was built that way. She was passing our store when

SHE BURST INTO SOBS

And came inside to repair damages. So we helped her hoop up her sob barrel and mop up the overflow. When somewhat recovered

SHE LIFTED UP HER VOICE

To express her gratitude, but the voice shook like a mold of jelly with the jim-jams, and besides was so hot with emotion that she dropped it kerflop and

IT BROKE THE SILENCE.

Not much to break around our store 'tis true. Wishing to comfort the afflicted, and having no more entertaining literature to offer, we placed in her hands a price-list of our goods. A smile stole into her face and robbed it of an old gold look which it erstwhile had. When the smile disappeared she discovered her loss. She was frantic.

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