

A BATCH OF LOCAL NEWS.

Picked Up and Put in Shape By Our Rustling Pencil Pusher.
Sour kraut making is in order.
Mr. J W Foil is quite sick on East Depot street.

A meat market has been opened on West Depot street, next to Walter's store.

Revs. T W Smith and J R Moose are conducting a successful meeting at Shiloh (Methodist) church, in No. 3 township.

The graded school building and yards is a rendezvous for tramps. Several have lodged there in the past few nights.

Messrs. Will Johnson and Morrison Fetzer will leave next week for Mebane, where they will enter the Presbyterian High School.

Rufus Patterson, of Durham and the next chief marshal of the State Fair, spent part of Tuesday in the city. He looks quite natural.

Mr. Bob Wallace's clover threshing machine passed through town to Brown Bros plantation, where there is several days work for them.

THE STANDARD gets about three numbers of the Salisbury Herald per week. We want our interesting neighbor on the North every day.

Rev. M G G Scherer went out to Organ church, Rowan county, today to address the annual convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society.

The cotton-weigher has himself a mattress and a pillow at the cotton platform to make the waiting hours between now and cotton season as comfortable as possible.

The street force is working on the blind ditch that crosses Main street in the front of Mr. Hutch Kiziah's. The sewer had become clogged and had things in pretty bad fix during the rainy spell.

Mr. J R Nassman was in the city Tuesday and says there is less grumbling among the farmers in his section than for years past, as everything is plentiful except money, and that even the wealthiest grumble about its scarcity.

The top glass to the front door of Swink's store room fell out Tuesday night. Mr. Dolph Hamilton was putting in the shutter at the time. Several pieces struck his left hand and badly lacerated it. The gashes are ugly ones and very painful.

"The Daughters of the King," finding they need some money very much for their work, will have an ice cream party Thursday or Friday night. These ladies are making a reputation for their delicious creams and ices and we advise you all to go.

You cannot say that you have tried everything for your rheumatism, until you have taken Ayer's Pills. Hundreds have been cured of this complaint by the use of these Pills alone. They were admitted on exhibition at the World's Fair as a standard cathartic.

Messrs. G W Means, Luther Biles and several children had quite an experience with a bumble bee nest Monday afternoon. They were chasing a rabbit when they ran into the buzzing things, but as the rabbit was gaining on them they didn't stop to investigate. The rabbit got away, nevertheless.

Not one complaint has ever been made by those using Ayer's Sarsaparilla according to directions. Furthermore, we have yet to learn of a case in which it has failed to afford benefit. So say hundreds of druggists all over the country. Has cured others, will cure you.

What is all This about?

EDITOR STANDARD:—As you may not know me I will state that I am an oral architect. In classical parlance I would be called an odontologist, so you see I am somewhat of a scientist, but I have recently discovered that which I cannot explain. On hearing that you could solve knotty problems and with the eye of futurity gaze upon things enexplicable, I submit it to you for an explanation.

When I go down town at night a short route takes me through an alley. About midway of said alley there is a mud-hole—or at least it is so situated during the day—but at night its location is erratic as will be shown in the conclusion. The first night I went to the right, but I went into it. The second trip I veered to the left, but into it I went again. The third night I cautiously kept in the middle but I found it there.

Out of thirteen nights trying to avoid it I have stepped into it twelve times and the most remarkable feature is I have invariably stepped into it with my left foot. Why is this, or can it be a movable mud-hole? Wm. SMOTHERSOCK.

[The above is profounded by a gentleman, well known to Cabarrus people. We can not answer it, but we have reasons to believe there are several gentlemen, who have in the past solved more "difficulty problems" for Col. Smothersock, whose earmarks we believe they will at once recognize. To them, it is submitted—they are surviving members of the Lyceum that didn't survive.]

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old People and it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at Fetzer's Drug Store.

His Shirt Stolen

Mr. Ed. Castor is minus a shirt. He is working near the depot and owing to the excessive heat, had discarded his top shirt, placing same on a box with his coat. His business called him to the Buffalo mills, and when he returned his coat pockets had been rifled and his "biled" shirt taken. It is thought a tramp lifted it.

To the Citizens of Concord.

On and after the 20th day of this month of August, I will open out a first-class meat market and will be glad to serve the public with their needs in the fresh meat line. My place of business will be in the McNinch store room, first door above marble yard on West Depot street. Respectfully,
J. F. DAYVAULT.

To Increase the Per Capita.

A prominent gentleman of Charlotte writes THE STANDARD that he is the only man that can solve the per capita circulation and regulate the financial matters. Says he "nothing short of black-tongue or hog cholera will solve the money question—too many people"

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

School Announcement.

Miss Marshall having taught so successfully for the past two years in Concord, will again open her school, Monday Sept. 2nd, in the same building. She endeavors to meet the demands of a school combining thorough mental work with the best Physical and Moral developments. Terms \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00 per month. a31.

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High Grade Tobacco AND ABSOLUTELY PURE

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People Who Travel, as Seen by Our Reporter.

—Miss Ella Walter returned this morning from Newels.

—Mr. J W Cannon returned this morning from New York.

—Master Louis Brown is in Salisbury attending the races.

—Mr. George W Means arrived in the city last night from Greensboro.

—Mrs. John Little and three children are visiting at Davidson college.

—Miss Annie Bost, of Bost's Mill, spent the day with her sister, Mrs. J W Cannon.

—Misses Mary and Lila Stafford, of Harrisburg, are visiting the Misses Sims.

—Mr. Brevard Montgomery has returned from a month's stay in Montgomery county.

—Mrs. Dr. E G Register, of Charlotte, is visiting at Judge Montgomery's, her father.

—Mr. and Mrs. M L Brown and little Miss Fay are spending the afternoon in Charlotte.

—Messrs. Charles Stone and Banks Ruderick, of Charlotte, were in the city Tuesday night.

—Mrs. R S Harris and daughter, Miss Mary Harris are visiting Mr. Wade H Harris, of Charlotte.

—Mr. A N McNinch has gone to Rock Hill, S. C., on business. He will be absent for several days.

—Miss Emma White, of Belvidere, N. C., is visiting at Dr. J E Cartland's, on National street.

—Dr. C C Wilson and little daughter, Louise, are up from Harrisburg, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N F Yorke.

—Miss Nannie Thornwell, after spending several days in the city with Miss Esther Ervin, left last night for her home at Fert, Mills, S. C.

—The Raleigh News and Observer says: Miss Mary Montgomery, of Concord, is now the guest of Miss Lollie Williams, on Fayetteville street.

—Misses Maggie, Maude and Grace Brown have returned from Salisbury. Miss Maude was quite ill while there, but was able to make the trip home.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. mwf&w

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We are determined to close out all of our

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Look at the handsome line of

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that we are selling at 8 cents Other houses charge you 12 cents for the same stuff—all lawn at half price. And

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for ladies at net cost. We don't want the shoes—would prefer for you to have them. All the

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that we have will be sold at the Lowest Prices named on Shoes We are tired of getting Sample Shoes and we are going to give you the full benefit of it.

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want the coolest and prettiest hot weather dress call and see our 2-yards wide white Organdie.

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Blue Crepons for Shirt Waists are the correct thing for Hot weather.

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