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**Mr. James Long Very Low.**  
Mr. James W Long, alone an unattended by tender hands and affectionate ties by blood or friendship, lies at almost the point of death in his obscure abode in rear of Church street. He has typhoid pneumonia and needs attention. Let not the Christian people of the city see this man pass away for want of nursing. Go to him at once.

**To Atlanta.**  
The Atlanta Exposition is catching Concord and Cabarrus in great numbers now. On Monday night the following parties left for a week's visit: Dr. and Mrs. R S Young and Master Robert, Mrs. D D Johnston, Mrs. L J Foil, Mrs. T A Moser, Misses Belle Moser and Lillie Ludwig, and Messrs R L Dove and D J Bostian.

**Selling His Products.**  
Mr. E G Ervin, of Saunders, this county was in the city Monday. He brought with him a lot of tomatoes put up at his cannery. He sold to Messrs. G W Patterson and E P Hill.

Mr. Ervin tells us that he put up about 1500 cans of tomatoes. THE STANDARD notes this with much pleasure.

**Little Folks Entertained.**  
Little Miss Ollie and Masters Ralph and Campbell Ohne entertained a number of little folks at their home on Corbin street Monday night, the occasion being the celebration of the thirteenth anniversary of Master Ralph. Those who responded to the invitations were Misses Ollie Fisher, Janie and Zula Patterson, Lottie Davis, Lidia Bakka and Fred Ross, Homer Fisher, Ralph Odell, Walter and Fletcher Fink. A refreshing supper was served and the little folks had a gay time until 9 o'clock, when they dispersed for their respective homes.

**Insure Now.**  
Everybody is getting a Penn policy. They are the nicest that can be written. Christmas is coming and you had better get a life insurance policy for some of your folks. Come early and avoid the rush. They are non-forfeitable and incontestable. J. F. HURLEY, Agent.

P. S. You may have a fire "at home" and should have some fire insurance beforehand. J. F. H.

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**Notice of Dissolution.**  
Notice is hereby given that the firm of C. Holsouser & Co., composed of C. Holsouser and J L Miller, was dissolved by mutual consent on Nov. 1st 1895.

C. HOLSOUSER, J. L. MILLER. I will continue the business and assume all liabilities of C. Holsouser & Co., and collect all notes accounts and other indebtedness one said old firm. Nov. 4 1895. J. L. MILLER. Thanking the public for past favors I solicit a continuance of same. J. L. MILLER.

## A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

**Henry Kimmons Fatally Burned in the Guard House—Another Prisoner Escapes.**

Monday's Salisbury Herald: Saturday afternoon Henry Kimmons, white, and Bob Boyden, colored, were found on the streets drunk and put in the guard house. This is a common occurrence but the imprisonment proved to be the death of Kimmons.

About 8 o'clock at night the alarm of fire was given and it was found to be in the guard house. The room in which Boyden was confined was burning fiercely on the inside and the door was soon opened. He stated that he was burned and was sent to Klutz's drug store for treatment by a physician. Dr. W W McKenzie was summoned, but before he came Boyden left and has not since been seen.

After the door to Boyden's cell had been opened an effort was made to unlock the door to the cell in which Kimmons was confined, but the key refused to work, and it is said was dropped and lost, and the heat and smoke drove the officers out of the building. The fire companies promptly responded to the alarm and soon had two lines of hose stretched to the building, and in the meantime parties with axes were cutting into Kimmons' cell. This took time and the building was burning rapidly. Owing to its nature the fire was hard to control and it was ten minutes or more after the water was turned on before the building could be entered. The door was then broken open and several men rushed in the room and brought Kimmons out.

The man was unconscious and was hurriedly taken to Klutz's drug store, where several physicians did all they could to relieve him. He was badly burned and had inhaled a large quantity of smoke and heat, and his recovery was thought hardly possible.

After remaining at the drug store some time Kimmons was taken to the Rowan House. He recovered consciousness yesterday and spoke to his wife and some friends who came to see him, but gradually grew weaker and died at 3:30 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Kimmons lived near China Grove and was about 46 years old. He was an honest, industrious man and his only failing was an over indulgence in strong drink. He leaves a widow and four children. The remains were taken to Grace church this afternoon for burial.

While conscious yesterday Mr. Kimmons advised the friend around him to live right. He had not done as he should, for which he was very sorry, but it was too late for him to reform, as his hours were numbered. This warning from the death bed should be heeded.

While the origin of the fire is not known it is universally believed that Boyden was the cause of it. The fire started on the inside of the cell in which he was confined and there had been no fire in the building Saturday. The opinion is that he fired the building hoping to escape. He is an old offender, having served on the chain gang for two years, and is considered a bad character. Officers searched for him Saturday night and yesterday, but he has so far eluded arrest.

What stops Neuralgia? Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

## Dr. White, the "Ingin."

Dr. James White, who stands charged with a fendish insult to the half-witted daughter of Mr. Barbee, an account of which was in these columns, is now in the Rowan jail for safe keeping. The authorities of this county were made to believe, by a "sham" telegram from Harrisburg, that a lynching bee, several hundred strong, was headed towards Concord last Thursday night. Sheriff Sims had the doctor taken to the Presbyterian church and summoned a guard to stay at the jail to receive the lynching bee or do whatever was necessary. About 4 or 5 o'clock Friday morning he had Dr. White taken back to jail, where he remained until Friday evening's train, on which the sheriff took him to Salisbury, where, according to the World, he is now in jail.

Quite naturally Dr. White insists on his innocence, claiming that he is persecuted, etc. Being rather intelligent and gifted at speech he made some believe his side of the story. On the other hand, from responsible parties, from the tearful story of the young girl's parents and the testimony of Drs. Jerome and Hartsell, who immediately after the alleged crime were called in and examined the young girl, a very dark case is claimed against the prisoner. But THE STANDARD is not trying the case.

Some say the Magistrate's trial was a farce; some say it was fair, the prisoner having all the witnesses he desired.

It is alleged that while on trial, shot guns and pistols and other weapons were pointed at him. This is denied.

The offense was committed in Stanly county and the spot where the crime is said to have been committed shows evidence of struggle. The trial was in Stanly. The magistrate sent him, the prisoner, with the commitment endorsed by two Cabarrus magistrates, to the Cabarrus jail. It is said that the proceedings were out of order; that the sheriff had no right to receive a prisoner from the court of a magistrate of another county, but the sheriff knows his business and took him in and has thus far prevented his lynching.

There seems, from the best information we can get, but little ground for believing that there was any strong probability of lynching. While a number said he ought to be, etc, there was not any concerted action, we are told—it takes a leader to lead a mob. While all this talk took place before and about the trial, there was absolutely no danger of it after the prisoner was brought to town, not only because the mob would not come sufficiently strong but because we believe Sheriff Sims would die in his boots and have his guards do the same rather than have a prisoner lynched.

Attorney M H Caldwell is in Salisbury to day (Tuesday) conferring with his client. He took with him a volunteer witness, Mr. Bill Tally. This man is a great alarmer of the doctor. He said that he had not walked a step since court in July, except by means of crutches. He met Dr. White and the doctor took his case. "He gave me some medicine one night and the next morning," said Tally, "I walked out to the kitchen like a new man and the occurrence so surprised my wife she got so sick she had to sit down."

Messrs. Montgomery & Crowell

have been retained to assist the prosecution. The trial will, of course, take place in Stanly county.

Mr. Barbee said to a reporter, and he talked mighty square and frank amid all his sadness and pain, "all I want is that justice be meted out."

Inasmuch as the case belongs to Stanly, that county will have all the cost to foot up, among them the cost of the guard that watched the jail Thursday night while Dr. White was sequestered in the Presbyterian church.

It is indeed an ugly case and since the affair the poor young girl has had two spasms, directly traceable, the physicians say, to the wrong done her.

"Under such circumstances, with this light," said a well informed gentleman, a native of Ohio, "that man would not reach a magistrate's trial in Ohio—he would be lynched at once."

THE STANDARD has printed all the above for no other purpose than to give the public what is claimed, and because of the fact that the word has gone out to the effect that we are a people to take the law into our own hands. Such is not the case. Cabarrus people don't lynch.

It is understood that bail will be asked for Dr. White next Thursday when Judge Norwood opens court in Salisbury. The prisoner claims that he can easily give a \$1000 bond.

Attorney Caldwell said that the papers sent up by the magistrate do not show what the man is jailed for, whether for shooting a quail before Nov. 15 or something else.

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**Stacked Up in the Yard.**  
The Odell Manufacturing Company, not having sufficient room in their warehouses to store their cotton, several hundred bales have been stacked in the front yard of No. 4 mill, which will be put under a canvass, similar to the way it was preserved last winter. It is a massive heap.

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