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CONCORD, N. C., Aug. 28.

It was a dog-on mishap by which Gen. Gordon was tripped by a greyhound to the temporary spoiling of his countenance.

John Jeffrey's was seriously hurt by being struck by a backing train in Durham Friday evening. The trouble was sitting on the cross ties while drunk, it is said. Wonder how much will be sued for.

The report that there was great excitement and a probability of a lynching in Waynesville is now said to have been a misapprehension. All is quiet and the law will be allowed to take its course. So much the better.

A leading physician in Char lotte is quoted as saying that a barrel of whisky is sufficient for the whole city for one year for medicinal purposes. That would not allow for many snake bites or fainting spells when the camphor bottle is always called for.

In view of the probable with drawal of our troops from Cuba, at no very distant day, the sentiment in favor of annexation has been growing and a committee is said to be on its way to the President with a plan to at least get the United States to exercise a protectorate over the island. Intelligent Cuban's can well conclude that they are safer under American help and direction than when left alone.

the war cloud between England and the Transvaal. President Kruger is charged with procrastinating and quibbling. Jeseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for colonies, has lost patience and talks like resorting to the last test and says if England must go into war she will not be bound by propositions already made in order to avoid it.

We have received, through Hon. Theo. F. Kluttz, a book of 636 pages entitled "Affairs in Cuba." We have had only time to glance through its pages, but see that it contains the President's messages to Congress, Gen. Lee's correspondence with the Secretary of State, and all other correspondence and investigations by Senate committees leading up to our decisive action in behalf of Cuba. It is full of interest as well as horrors, and leaves no surprise that we took action.

A Greensboro Citizen Killed.

An explosion of 300 pounds of dynamite and mining powder at Cartersville, Mo., last Thursday killed five men, including Mr. David J Sinclair, of Greensboro. The financial loss from the accident was more than \$6,000.

The Brown committee is making things lively about the penitentiary farms. Lewis Summerell is a very unfit man to manage convicts or is terribly misrepresented. If not extremely cruel he must be very indiscreet. It is expected that men come out of prison whole at least and not with parts of the body frozen and amputated.

National Encampment G. A. R., Philadelphia, Pa., Sept, 4-9, 1899.

On account of the above the Southern Railway will sell tickets to Philadelphia at rate of \$15.05 for round trip. Tickets on sale Sept. 1, 2, 3; limited returning Sept. 12, but an extension of final limit may be obtained until Sept. 30th by depositing ticket with joint agent at Philadelphia between Sept. 5th and 9th, both dates inclusive, and on payment of a fee of fifty Tickets iron-elad and limited to continuous passage in both directions. For further information, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to

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Twins All 'Round.

A dispatch from Middlesboro (Ka.) says: "A remarkable twin story is told by J C Harrison, a drummer, who has just returned from a trip in the mountains of Kentucky and Virginia. He says that at Caney, Morgan county Ky., there are two merchants known under the firn name of Cauble brothers. They are twins, and so much alike that they can hardly be distinguished. They married twin sisters and they each have twin girl babies, which so much resemble each other that there is danger of getting the children mixed almost daily.

Lynching Narrowly Averted.

Alamance came near having a lyncning last Friday night. Andrew McAdams, a negro, was put in jail for assault on a white child less than 5 years old, the daughter of Thomas Foucett. The indignation had risen to the point when he would doubtless have received summary vengeance at the hands of friends of the family had he not been removed to the Durham jail. Mc-Adams confessed his guilt to a representative of the Raleigh

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Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped There seems little breaking in for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnic Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best Best Pile cure on earth. 25cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by P. B. Fetzer, Druggist.

Train Stopped by the Dust.

The Morning Post says the train on the C. F. & Y. V. road was stopped last Saturday purely by the dust. It got into the parts of the engine, into the eyes and mouths of the trainmen and passengers. It took a cleaning up before it could move off.

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and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. Never fails to cure; Then why experiment with worthless imitations? Price 50 cents. Your money back if it fails to cure.

Appalling Death Rate. The appalling loss of life in Santa Clara province, Cuba, is shown in Gen. Lee's report to Secretary Day, in January 1898. He says that there were in that province of 14,000 inhabitants 5,480 deaths in seven years previous to 1897, which included one epidemic year of yellow fever which very much raised the rate. In 1897 there were 6,981 deaths with no epidemic, but the result of Gen. Weyler's concentration of the people only.

Pith and Point.

Little things trouble us, and little things console us.

The loser of the game is never

accused of cheating. The up-to-date optician takes

The individual who snores should be "rapped" in slumber. Paradoxical as it may seem, the close fellow seldom gets tight.

in the situation at a glance.

The doctor who gets out of patients is apt to lose his temper.

A weak back doesn't necessarily imply a man is behind the times.

The wine bottler is a corker, but he makes no less noise in the world than the uncorker.-Chicago News.

A press correspondent from Elkin says a country boy owing a \$15 account to a business man, stepped in and handed his creditor a \$50 Confederate bill. The business man cancelled the debt and handed the boy \$35, showing his faith in the Lost Cause.

Trouble About Over at Darien.

The negro Delegal, who killed Deputy Sheriff Townsend at Darien, Ga., came up and surrendered Saturday to the military men, he said, to avoid falling into the hands of the Sheriffs posse: A law of the ring leaders are to be taken in yet and the trouble will be considered over.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

On last Saturday Register Johnson issued marriage licenses to the following parties: Mr. Frank Lowder of Mt. Pleasant, and Miss Ada Suther, of No. 5 twonship, daughter of Mr. Nelson Suther. Also to Mr. G H Corriber and Miss Etta Bowes, both of Forest Hill.

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Bargains in Towels.

Hosiery.

Two job lots of Samples of Gent's fine sox, lot No.1, plain and fancy colors, at 15c-worth 20 to 25c. Fancy colored and black Lisle

at 18c-worth 25 to 50c. The best line of Men's and Ladies' Hosiery on the market for 10 cents.

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Crochet Cotton, 4c per speol, per 1.000. Silk (short measure) at 5c. Turkey Red Cotton, 20c per dozen spools. Embroidery Silks, filo, outlining, rope and twisted at 3c Supporters 3c per pair, Silk per skein, worth 5 cents. Also gold embroidery thread at 3c per skein. Embroidery Hoops 5e.

Bone Dress Stays 3c, Safeir Hooks and I's 10c box. Machine Thread 3c per spool, Safety Pins 2c per dozen, Brass Pins 4c per paper and 25c per pound, Iron Pins Ic, Rubber lined Dress Shields 10c, Mourning Pins 1 and 5c per box, Alumnium Hair Pins 5c dozen, Side Combs 5 and 10c Pompadour 10c, coarse and fine tooth Dressing Combs 4 to 25c.

Stationary.

Jobs in Box Paper at less than cost to produce. 25c boxes for 15c and 10c ones for 5c. Nice Paper at 10c per pound. Pencil Erasers 1c, Typewriter do 5c. Car. bon Paper for typewriter use 3 sheets for 5c, Typewriter paper at 3 ounces for 5c. Fancy Crepe Paper for Lamp Shades 6c up, Toilet Paper 2 rolls for 10c. luk and Mucilage 3c, Shoe Blacking 1c up, Tan do. 5c, Black Dressing 5 to 15e, Wood Tooth Picks 40

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