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A SMALL BOY HURT.

A change in China Grove's Free Delivery System.—The Farmers in Good Spirits

China Grove, Oct. 6.—Master Chester Sechler, while scuffling with another boy, fell and broke both bones in his arm just below his elbow.

Mr. Martin Shive, of Concord, spent last night here.

The farmers around China Grove have a different step now than that of several weeks ago. About the first thing they say when you speak to one is: "Say, old man, cotton will soon be eight cents."

Mr. A. L. Cagle, who has been carrying the mail in China Grove township, has resigned his position. He has been in the service nearly two years. He will accept a position with the Single Sewing Machine Co. under the supervision of Mr. M. L. Blackwelder of Concord.

Mr. W. Kimball, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Mendelsohn here, for several months, returned home last night.

Mr. Goodman, of Organ church, spent last night here.

Mr. Arthur Patterson has gone to Philadelphia to study electricity, planning another year.

Business in Western Cabarrus.

The Mooresville Record-Times has the following of the business being done in western Cabarrus:

Wallace & Gilbert, lumber dealers of Basfield, Cabarrus county, have, within the past two weeks, put out 53,725 feet of lumber for the Southern railroad shops. This lumber was taken from the stump, and was cut and shipped from near Troutman.

Robert Wallace, of Cabarrus, was here Wednesday night, and in conversation with the writer, stated that he made from his own lands this year 1,105 bushels of wheat, 300 and 300 bushels of corn, 100 bushels of soybeans, 100 bushels of peas, 100 bushels of beans, 100 bushels of clover, and 100 bushels of alfalfa.

Immigrants Sums For Travel.

The money spent by travelers to Europe every year is enormous. It has been found by even imperfect estimate that over two hundred and thirty million of dollars are spent annually in this European travel. It has been promised that there will be an accurate investigation of the subject; and when it shall have been made it will be a matter of astonishment how much the people of this country spend in foreign travel.—The Commonwealth.

The Stanly Enterprise says Troy had a severe fire Tuesday night that burned the Hearne livery stable and a dwelling house a hotel belonging to E. Green, several other dwellings and several stores. The loss is estimated at \$10,000. The origin of the fire seems to have been from a drunken crowd smoking in the livery stable.

THE BUSINESS CLOSED.

The Broker's Exchange of R. B. Wilson & Co. Closed Its Business Leaving Numbers of Customers Men Due Considerable Amounts.

Three weeks ago the firm of R. B. Wilson & Co., of New York, opened a broker's exchange here and secured Mr. W. G. Boshamer to have charge of their business.

The business, which is generally called a "bucket shop," has been running three weeks. A good amount of patronage has been given it and several hundred dollars have been made by numbers of our people.

But the last week came Friday evening. Mr. Boshamer received a telegram to discontinue all business, and that all that is known about the affair.

In case an assignment has been made by the company and that none of its debts will be paid it means that some of our people have jointly lost about \$1500. The last telegram received by Mr. Boshamer stated that a letter had been sent which will probably explain the matter partly. This is the second exchange that has started here and left some of our people wanting.

They Continue Their Efforts.

Continually there are requests made by the best patrons of the line that another train be put on the Yadkin railroad, running from Salisbury to Norwood. In the last issue of the Stanly Enterprise, Editor Bivins makes quite a plea for a change, claiming that the employes now have too much work to do, and that the service needs improvement, relieving the passengers of such delays on the road.

With the Churches Tomorrow.

The pastor, Rev. C. B. Miller, will hold regular services tomorrow morning and tomorrow night at St. James Lutheran church.

Rev. J. D. Arnold will hold regular services at Forest Hill church tomorrow morning and night.

Regular services both tomorrow morning and night at Central E. church by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Thompson.

Rev. W. B. Oney will hold services at St. Andrews Lutheran church tomorrow evening at 4 o'clock.

Rev. L. T. Cordell, pastor of the Methodist church at Mt. Pleasant will fill the pulpit of Epworth Methodist church tomorrow night. Sunday school tomorrow morning at 9.30 o'clock. Preaching at 11 o'clock.

There will be regular services at the Baptist church tomorrow morning and tomorrow night by the pastor, Rev. B. Lacy Hege. Subject for 11 a. m., "Where is the Lord God of Elijah?" Subject for 7.30 p. m., "Heaven." Baptism at night service.

Communion services will be held at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning. At 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the Sunday School rally will begin. There will be a collection taken on that occasion. Regular services tomorrow night.

THE BEST PRESCRIPTION FOR CHILLS.

and fever is—Little's Chill-Tonic. Never fails to cure; try it. Why experiment with worthless imitations? Price 50 cents. Your money back if it fails to cure.

DESTRUCTION'S FREE SHOW.

How the Car Company Gets Rid of Old Cars.

The Baltimore Sun gives a most interesting account of a free show near Detroit, Mich. It is the daily collision of fifty trains of antiquated cars by the American Car and Foundry Co. There is an accumulation of out-of-date cars in which there is some good material but the cost of getting it out is a serious drawback. A short way has been fallen upon to build a track crossing a deep declivity. On every afternoon a fifty train, loaded probably with rubbish much like the old cars, are, two at a time, pushed on down this incline to meet each other at the rate of about 80 miles per hour.

Here the reader may get various degrees of interlarded enjoyment by the exercise of accurate imaginations as the thousands of spectators do by a frequent view of the affair.

There is a crash, a thud, a clang, a rearing up of cars upon each other, the air bedouled with fragments of matter only to be broken up and jammed by the bump of the next train. When the fifty trains have been thus tenderly dealt with the show is over for the day and the torch applied. Next morning the ashes are raked and the material wanted is gotten out till time for another afternoon's display of destruction. The company makes no charge for seeing it but it might gather a "pretty penny" if it did for it is a drawing card with interest increasing with the performances.

Something New.

The following is an extract duplicate of an invitation recently sent out to a church entertainment.

HUGGING MATCH.

Given to Swell the Church Treasury. Terms.

Girls under sixteen, 15 cents for a hug of two minutes, or 10 cents for a short squeeze, from sixteen to twenty 50 cents; school mams, 60 cents; another man's wife, \$1.00; widows, according to looks, from \$2.00 to \$10.00; old maids 3 cents a piece, or two for a nickle, and no limit of time. Preachers are not charged. Editors pay in advertising, but are not allowed to participate until everybody else has gotten through, and even then they are not allowed to squeeze anything but old maids and school mams.

Truly we editors are an abused class.—Sunny South.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent effects have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere. For sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggists.

FOR SALE—A new Wilson & Wilson sewing machine with five drawers, just from the factory. Call at this office for first class machine on easy terms.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. Jno. Rutledge spent last night in Charlotte.

—Prof. Jas. P. Cook returned home this morning.

—Mr. Frank Robbins, of Goldsboro, arrived here this morning.

—Mrs. Jas. C. Gibson went to Salisbury this morning to spend several days.

—Mr. W. A. Smith returned home this morning from Norwood, where he purchased cotton seed.

—Mrs. W. G. Boshamer went over to Charlotte this morning to attend the bedside of Miss Julia Gray, who is sick.

—Miss Lillie Lantz, of Norwood, who is teaching school at Rockwell, was expected here this evening to visit at Mr. A. B. Lantz's.

—Mr. S. J. Durham, of Bessemer, spent last night here at Mr. O. O. O'Leary's. Mrs. Durham and children returned home with him this morning.

—Miss Lillie Ury, of Hickory, accompanied by Miss Van Wageningen who is a teacher in Claremont college there, returned home last night. They are at Mr. R. A. Brown's.

Both Meetings To Continue.

The revival meeting, which has been in progress at Forest Hill Methodist church this week, will continue after Sunday for at least several days. Rev. Craven, of Spencer, will arrive Monday to assist Rev. J. D. Arnold.

Rev. T. W. Smith, pastor of Epworth Methodist church, will continue his protracted meeting next week, having services in the afternoon and at night.

A Fresh Line

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S. J. Erwin's.

Erwin's makes one sick, weary and restless. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine brings rest.

Humping!

With a car of TRUNKS. Car load of STOVES. Car load of CHAIRS. and the Third Car of SPRINGS in the last four months, all in this week.

But any wonder we had to figure on the "Mayor's Courts" for black money? Our trade makes it necessary. Give us your trades, what we want. We need new seats and straighten old ones—it takes money to get them and we are willing to contribute—just keep us busy. We won't kick—as we haven't time.

We are expecting a Car of Furniture today.

BELL, HARRIS & CO.

Something new in town. Ye weary ones let us show you a C. M. Bell Spring Mattress. The Best in town. Bell, Harris & Co.

Wet Weather

Calls for Rubber Harkintoshes, Etc. all of which can be found at this store at the most reasonable price.

H. L. Parks & Co.