

Daily Concord Standard.

PRICE: \$4.00 per year.—

CONCORD, N. C., MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1900.

—SINGLE COPY 5 CENTS.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

Emperor and Empress Dowager Said to Be Captured—Russia May Give Trouble—None With Whom to Treat. News from China indicates a good deal of uncertainty. A dispatch says the Japs actually caught the Emperor and the Empress Dowager but it seems to lack confirmation.

There is a measure of unrest and uncertainty about the action of the several powers. Indications are that Russia would like to press much further than the mere rescuing of her citizens.

The wires are suffering some disturbance so that Gen. Chaffee has not been heard from since Thursday.

The government seems to feel confident of quiet so that the consuls may again return to their posts.

All, however, is chaos and the commanders of the allied forces have no one to treat with for the adjustment of affairs.

The Township S. S. Convention.

The township Sunday school convention was a very successful event. A number of the reports were very encouraging.

The singing was done by the several schools and Messrs C S Coler, J D Lentz and Z A Morris delivered able addresses.

Mr. Morris was elected president of the township convention and is ex-officio vice-president of the county convention. Mr. D B Coltrane was made township Sunday school secretary.

Mr. M B Stickley who presided at the meeting impressed the great need of securing the attendance of all children in the town.

He gave the number of families of the different denominations and the number of children out of the Sunday school, saying they should be brought in by personal effort and that if those interested will come to him he will furnish the names and locations of all the material to be won.

At night Dr. Kilgo addressed a packed audience. The address was well received.

A summary of the address might be briefly put, the Sunday School a disseminator of Bible knowledge, the Bible a revelation of God's will to man and God as a living reality, a personal power ruling and overruling the events of the world.

Boys and Teachers Friends.

The students and teachers at Bingham School, Mebane, N. C., live, board and exercise together and are constant associates and friends, hence the health, morals and manners of the boys are always carefully looked after.

MET DEATH BRAVELY.

Lieut. Cordua Shot in the Jail Garden. A Pretoria dispatch of the 25th says:

Lieut. Cordua, of the Transvaal army, the officer who was tried on the charges of being implicated in a plot to kill the British officers and abduct Roberts, and who was convicted by a court presided over by Judge Godfrey, was shot in accordance with the sentence this morning.

The ex-Transvaal officer was warned last night that the sentence would be carried out today. The chaplain visited him and remained all night, and at 7 o'clock this morning Cordua was marched to the place of execution in the garden of the jail. He was cool and brave. As the escort left him, the commanding officer ordered the firing party to take arms for the volley, the prisoner voluntarily walked to the place assigned. He was not bound but sat in a chair with his arms folded, facing the garden wall. After the necessary orders finally came the order was given to fire. Cordua, who had arisen, fell dead. He was buried in a grave close by.

First Day of Teachers' Institute.

The Teachers' Institute opened up this morning with a good attendance for the first day. The Institute is conducted by Prof. C S Coler and Prof. W W Morris and from the interest manifested today proves to be both a successful and a beneficial Institute.

Prof. Coler lectured this morning and gave outlines on geography, and this evening on history. Prof. Morris gave a talk this morning on the method of teaching arithmetic and this evening on grammar. The following teachers were enrolled today: Misses Daisy Hartsell, Hattie Weddington, Lillie Misenheimer, Hattie Goodman, Callie Lipe, Ora Hoover, Rosa Phifer, Mary Lewis Harris, Laura Leslie, Pauline Means, Ada and Cora Isenhour, Mrs. J Misenheimer, Messrs Will Overcash, E C Misenheimer, W A Stone, J H Bost, H L Baker, Chas E Boger, W F Shinn, P A Bost, W W Talbert, A H Penninger.

To Take the Place of Prof. Rolf.

Prof. W Lohrman, of Eden Valley, N. Y., arrived on last Friday to take up the work of teaching the Colored Lutheran parochial school resigned by Prof. Rolf.

Prof. Lohrman is a single man and was educated at Addison, Ill.

Bandsome Contribution.

After preaching at Forest Hill M. E. church Sunday the sum of the that congregation's contribution to the century fund was announced to be \$2,553.51.

WOULD KILL BRYAN.

Dastardly Anarchist Makes the Threat and is Arrested.

An Omaha dispatch of the 25th says William H Williams, an alleged anarchist, who is employed in the smelter in this city, it is said, announced to one of his fellow workmen this morning that he was going to kill William J Bryan when he came to address the Jacksonian picnic that afternoon.

The police were notified and arrested him an hour later.

Every precaution is being taken to prevent anything happening to Mr. Bryan while in the city.

"Number;" Not "Hello."

Probably few people know that in articulating the word "hello," there is a peculiar strain on the throat. Nevertheless it is a fact, especially if there is a rise in the voice in pronouncing the last syllable. The throats of the young women in the Home Telephone Company's exchange have become so affected by articulating this word so many times a day, that at the advice of a physician, Dr. W C Black, they have abandoned the word altogether, beginning yesterday. Miss Eudora Martin, who has been serving the company for several years as operator, is most affected.

Hereafter in answering calls the operators will say "number," but this does not mean that there will be any difference in making the connections.—Greenville, S. C., News.

Valuable Studies for Our Boys.

The importance of the study of Bible, Physical Culture and Penmanship cannot well be overestimated. They are carefully taught at Bingham School, Mebane, by thoroughly prepared graduates of the leading institutions.

Pointed Paragraphs.

A true love match makes two hearts light.

The winner in a horse race has a good run of luck.

The more checks a spendthrift receives the faster he goes.

A duke's eyeglass is a glaring fraud on the face of the thing.

The fool sometimes gets the best of a wise man in a horse trade.

A detective says there is more craft upon land than there is upon water.

The girl who runs a soda fountain must expect to be winked at occasionally.

At a recent shoemakers' banquet the following toast was proposed: "May we have all the world to shoe—and men to boot."—Chicago News.

The rarest feeling that ever lights a human face is the contentment of a loving soul.—H W Beecher.

NEWS CULLINGS.

During a thunder storm last Friday at Newbern, the lightning struck the Standard Oil Company's plant. The wagon house and sheds with ninety barrels of oil was consumed, but the tank did not explode.

A Spartanburg dispatch of the 24th tells a sad story of death by lightning. The little 7-year-old daughter and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dillard was sitting near a tree from which a clothes line extended to the house where the parents sat. A bolt struck the wire and killed the child and knocked the father down. He soon recovered however.

No Extra Tuition Fees.

Thorough courses in the classics, English, Science and Mathematics are offered at Bingham School, Mebane, as well as in Shorthand, Typewriting, Book-keeping, Telegraphy, etc., for one tuition fee. No extra charges for any study.

Aphorisms.

They are never alone that are accompanied with noble thoughts.—Sir Philip Sidney.

The testimony of a good conscience is the glory of a good man.—Thomas A Kempis.

Whatever makes good Christians makes them good citizens.—Daniel Webster.

There is a remedy for every wrong and a satisfaction for every soul.—Emerson.

The necessity of circumstances proves friends and detects enemies.—Epictetus.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25c. Money back if not cured. Sold at Fetzler's drug store.

Meeting Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of N. C., High Point, Sept. 4. Round trip \$3. Tickets on sale Sept. 1-4; final limit Sept. 12.

You All Know About The Man Behind the Gun!

We are also ready for action in correct form with steady aim, loaded with all kinds of

Furniture and House Furnishings

to the muzzle. We go forth conquering and to conquer.—Car lots and saving all discounts. We are in a position to do you good. Our line of

Mahogany, Birds Eye Maple and Golden Oak Suits are beauties. Iron and Brass Beds are the talk of the town. You can't call for anything made out of wood used in the house for Furniture that we haven't in the store, or on the way.

Pictures!!

Did You Ever!

Musical Instruments

Third shipment in two months, which shows we didn't buy unadvisedly.

Come and see us, we are never too busy to welcome you.

Bell, Harris & Co.

Residence Phone...90.

Store Phone...12

WE ARE AGENTS FOR FOR
Eureka Piano
AND
Furniture Polish,
which has been well introduced through here by one of its makers. Those who have tried it know what it is. Removes Spots, Stains, Scratches, etc.
Price: .50 cents per bottle.
Concord Drug Co.
Phone 37.

A FRESH LINE OF
NICE CANDIES,
ALSO NICE FRESH
SUMMER CHEESE
AT S. J. ERVIN'S

Questions Answered.
Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for indigestion or biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of appendicitis, nervous prostration or heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by all dealers in civilized countries.

Industry pays debts, while despair increaseth them.—Franklin.

Sanitary Notice!

All persons are notified to clean up their premises at once, those keeping hogs are especially warned.

The commissioners have taken strong action in the matter and the mayor has given strict orders. A word to the wise is sufficient. Clean up and stay clean and save yourself of fine and cost. JAS. F. HARRIS, Chief of Police.