

DEATH OF PROF. G. B. HANNA

Passed Away Unexpectedly at the Home of His Wife...

Prof. George Byron Hanna died suddenly of apoplexy in the morning room of the United States mint...

Prof. Hanna entered the mint of which he had been assistant assayer for 37 years, early yesterday morning...

Prof. Hanna was born in Hollisbrook, Mass., October 10, 1835. After completing his collegiate education...

Prof. Hanna was twice married. On December 22, 1879, he was wedded to Miss Nina Trotter...

In the death of Prof. Hanna, Charlotte has lost one of her truest and best citizens. He was, at all times, active in promoting the best interests of the city...

two weeks after it had started, in November, 1874. In 1878 he was elected president of the association...

Prof. Hanna was an influential member of the First Presbyterian church. He was a man without guile...

As a mark of honor to the deceased, the rooms of the local Y. M. C. A. were closed last evening and will not be opened until after the funeral...

TO ATTEND FUNERAL IN A BODY

The superintendent asks that all the officers, teachers and scholars of the First Presbyterian Sunday school gather in the Sunday school room...

PROF. INGRAM A VISITOR

He Was Here Twenty-Two Years Ago and Wrote a Story for Leslie's Weekly—Some Interesting Facts...

Prof. Ingram, globe traveler lecturer and writer, is in the city on return from an excursion into the Carolinas...

PERSONAL

The Movement of a Number of People, Visitors and Others. Mr. H. Mahler Kramer, of Durham, is spending gala week here...

Among the out-of-town people here yesterday was Mr. Charles A. Lord, of Wilmington. Mr. H. T. Page, of Asheville, was in the city yesterday...

Mr. Charles Bell, of Statesville, was in the crowd of visitors yesterday. He was at the Central. Mr. Edward Erwin, of Morganton, was a guest at the Manufacturers' Club yesterday...

Mr. Frank Ross, of Wilmington, is spending the week in the city with relatives and friends. Dr. Lyndon M. Humphrey, of Greensboro, is the guest of his brother...

Among the out-of-town people in the city for the big celebration is Mr. William Henry Harrison Wylie, of Rock Hill, S. C. Mr. J. F. Shuford, of Fayetteville, was registered at the Central yesterday...

Among the visitors here for the celebration yesterday were Messrs. W. M. Gordon, L. C. Bickett and F. B. Ashcraft, Jr., of Monroe, who were guests at the Central.

Messrs. J. R. Ballew and Sam Tuttle, of Lenoir, came down yesterday to attend the celebration.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday were Messrs. W. F. Crump and Isaac Martin, of Polkton, who were at the Hotel Raleigh.

Mr. G. H. Dorich, of Raleigh, was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. G. T. Morgan, of Wilson, is in Charlotte for the celebration.

Mr. W. C. Stack, of Marvin, was among the out-of-town people here yesterday. Messrs. F. B. Glover, Sr. and son, F. B. Glover, Jr., of Statesville, were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Among the guests at the Manufacturers' Club yesterday were Messrs. A. C. Johnson, E. Miller and A. Martin, of Lenoir.

Mr. Fred Horton, of Union county, is in the city to attend the Elizabeth College commencement and the celebration. He is the guest of his uncle, Squire S. H. Hilton.

Among the out-of-town people here yesterday were Messrs. S. W. Steel and R. L. Higgs, of Rockingham. Mr. Frank Gough, of Lumberton, the Seaboard excursion man, is among the celebrants here.

Mr. James Duffy, of Greensboro, was a guest at the Buford yesterday. Among the Monroe people here for the celebration yesterday were Messrs. C. H. Hasty and E. C. Williams, who were at the Buford.

Mr. J. M. Carson, of Rutherfordton, was a guest at the Manufacturers' Club yesterday. Mr. W. C. Kenyon, of Newton, is in the city to take in the celebration.

Mr. Mark Warrick, of Gastonia, a former resident of the city, is spending gala week with relatives and friends. Cole, W. P. Wood and J. E. Walker, of Ashboro, arrived last evening to attend the celebrations. They are guests at the Buford.

Mr. J. Lubin, of Baltimore, Md., formerly a resident of Charlotte, is spending gala week here. Mr. Lubin is a member of the Lubin-Lyon Company, of Baltimore, importers of China and Japan draperies, mattings, etc. Mr. Lubin is accompanied by his wife.

Mr. W. I. Underwood, of Greensboro, is a Charlotte visitor. Dr. A. J. Crowell will go to Monroe to-day to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry L. Crowell, who died yesterday.

Mr. J. H. Blanner, of Mt. Holly, is the guest of Dr. J. H. Spillman, on the Boulevard. Mr. John Morrison, of Rockingham, is the guest of his brother, Mr. Cameron Morrison, on North Church street.

Mr. W. M. Bostic, of Charleston, S. C., is spending a few days in the city attending the celebration. Mr. W. Reynolds Crook, of Asheville, is spending the week in the city.

Mr. Philip St. George, representing Thorn & McGinnis, cotton brokers of New Orleans, La., is in the city on business. Capt. S. E. Linton, formerly of Charlotte, but now of Raleigh, is in the city. He will be here all week.

Mr. M. O. Dickerson, clerk of the court of Rutherford county, will arrive here to-day to be the guest of Mr. T. W. Dixon. Dr. L. M. Humphrey, of Greensboro, is visiting his brother, L. W. Humphrey, at 499 North Tryon street.

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The luggage for walking will be carried in a cloth-covered India rubber knapsack. This is light, portable and rain-proof. If the traveler makes his way by bicycle, he should nearly limit his luggage to the dimensions of a diamond frame case.

The slight overflow will be made into a thin bundle strapped to the handle bars, or to the frame behind the saddle. A "stripped" wheel is essential, guard and bell and brake being of the lightest.

The ocean trip is made in the second cabin of one of the lines plying between New York and Glasgow—the cost is \$30 single and \$60 for the round trip. The food is not poor, and there is abundance of deck room.

The time from dock to dock is ten and one-half days, so the total time on water is twenty-one days, and on land six weeks.

The seats for the grand stand at the corner of Tryon and Second streets for the competitive blue and grey drill this afternoon will be only 10 cents. The drill will take place immediately after the parade, and will probably begin about 1 o'clock.

Good Shows on the Pike. The Pike opened yesterday morning and was soon in full blast. The U. C. T. have secured quite a number of good shows, and last night the Pike was crowded.

When you "Meet me on the Pike" to-day, don't fail to take in all the shows, as they are all good and you will never regret it. The Electric Theatre is a peach and the remainder of the shows are a whole basket full. Don't fail to "Meet me on the Pike."

SOUTHERN TO BUY C. S. ROAD

Wants Absolute Ownership of Cincinnati Line—Double-Tracking in Part of Project. Nashville, Tenn., Special to Chattanooga Times, 20th.

According to information obtained here to-day through a high railroad official the Southern Railway has practically completed a deal by which it purchases outright the interests of the city of Cincinnati in the Cincinnati Southern Railway, dissolves the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific Railroad Company and merges the property with the Southern Railway proper.

This deal, it is said, will be in line with President Samuel Spencer's policy to consolidate all the properties in which he is interested. When the Legislature of Mississippi refused to allow the Mobile & Ohio to be consolidated with the Southern, Mr. Spencer took up the Queen & Crescent matter.

What has hurried the deal is the fact that the company has found it necessary to double its track from Cincinnati to Chattanooga, and this plan meets with many obstacles as long as the main stem belongs to Cincinnati.

Extensions have also been found necessary and these things have brought the plan to early maturity. The Cincinnati Southern is now forming the connection for several of the Southern's lines. The Louisville-St. Louis lines, the Nashville division and several smaller roads in east Tennessee as well as the new line being built toward Charleston and Savannah depend upon this line for north and south business.

The company has recently issued \$100,000,000 in bonds and only \$5,000,000 of that amount has been appropriated or apportioned. The remainder, it is said, is reserved to pay for the Cincinnati Southern.

The Cincinnati Southern is now cut off from Knoxville to Anderson, S. C., and a second track from Cincinnati to Chattanooga. According to the information obtained here the official announcement of the deal will be made in July.

A Virginia View of It

Madison, Va., News. Next Sunday, May 20th, is the anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, and is generally celebrated at Charlotte, N. C., with much enthusiasm.

Well may those husky and lusty Tar Heels proclaim the day, for in the history of the nation it marks the beginning of an epoch of American freedom from the galling yoke of British rule, and perpetuates the memory of those brave men who subscribed their names in living characters which said all too plainly to the British lion: "Thus far shalt thou go and no farther. Halt!" and which was again heralded from Philadelphia in thundering and reverberating, but unmistakable tones. To Mecklenburg belongs the palm!

POSTMASTER ROBBED. G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters, which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements.

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Gen. Grant's Joke

Harper's Weekly. Eliot M. Miller, a civil engineer of New Orleans, tells how Gen. U. S. Grant made his father, Chaplain Miller, swear.

It was one of the chaplain's duties to receive and distribute the mail to Gen. Grant's staff. Whenever the mail was late he was greatly annoyed by questions as to the cause of the delay, time of probable arrival, etc. On one occasion, when the post was unusually late, the chaplain, for fear of losing his temper, attached the following notice to the door of his tent: "The chaplain does not know when the mail will arrive."

Shortly afterwards Gen. Grant, passing the chaplain's quarters, noticed the sign. He paused before it a moment and then walked slowly on his way. Coming out of his tent a few moments later, Chaplain Miller was horrified to read: "The chaplain does not know when the mail will arrive, and he doesn't give a damn."

A Tuberculosis Cure

Harper's Weekly. A great deal of interest has been aroused in the medical world by the experiments being conducted by Dr. Giuseppe Carcano and other Italian experts in the use of the Behring system of vaccination as a cure for consumption. While the experiments have not yet been completed, enough data have been collected to indicate that the investigators are at least on the right track and a number of cures have been effected.

The treatment consists principally of the injection, by means of an ordinary hypodermic syringe, of a serum into the veins of the patient. This serum is shortly to be placed at the disposal of physicians generally, in order that it may be tested in the largest number of cases and under as many conditions as possible.

LETTER TO W. W. WARD & SON, Charlotte, N. C.

Dear Sirs: Thomas J. Hannon, druggist, Westerley, R. I., says: "Westerley painters expect a gallon of paint to cover 19 sets of blinds. Devoe covers 23; there is no such thing as rubbing this out. (The usual reckoning is for a gallon to cover 16. We suspect the Westerley people don't wear their paint till it gets very shabby.) Devoe covers more; of course, we know that; we know why too; it's all paint and full-measure."

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BABY'S VOICE

Is the joy of the household, for without it no happiness can be complete. How sweet the picture of mother and babe! Angels smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that she looks forward to the hour when she shall feel the exquisite thrill of motherhood with indescribable and fear.

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