

LOCAL.

Thorpe's Comedy Company are playing to good audiences in Meroyne's Hall.

A debate on the above question came off last Friday night, at Setzer's School House, District No. 22, Litterer's Township, and after a lively discussion was decided in the affirmative.

Dr. D. B. Wood, of this county, met with a painful accident several days since. While returning to his home from Statesville, he was thrown from the mule he was riding and had his right arm broken above the elbow.

Why do old men persist in riding these long-eared, deceptive animals?

Edison's Phonograph, the wonderful talking machine, will be exhibited at the Court-House in this place Monday evening, Tuesday, and Tuesday evening.

Some of our citizens are trying to organize a Reading Club in our city, and they have good hope of success.

Bope Walker - Dangerous Accident. - A rope walker stretched a rope from the 3rd story of the National Hotel to the 4th of Hollis's Hardware Store, Tuesday, at the height of 30 to 40 feet from the ground.

Mill Improvement. - Mr. Pagenstecher, of Shelby, is here for the purpose of introducing a valuable improvement to grist mills, which he says will turn out from four to six lbs. more of flour to the bushel of grain than any mill without it.

Mr. Pagenstecher is also in the grape business, having a vineyard near Shelby, which comprises about sixty varieties.

Everything is quiet and generally prosperous. Lipe & Co. are not doing ginning out-of-yet.

Prof. Kizer's school is in a very prosperous condition. He has 83 enrolled.

Mr. Frank McKnight appears in the school-room again; he has been sick several days.

Mrs. Deal, who was severely hurt some time ago, is improving, under the kind treatment of Dr. Archey, of this place.

Several of our prominent citizens had a party here worried very much a few days ago with a balky horse, but they never expect a word.

The death of Mr. Henry W. Gense, which occurred the 22d inst., about two miles from this place, has cast a gloom over the community.

Francis Fisher, Esq., of Cabarrus county, was in our village several days last week getting lumber sawed to build a new mill.

Mr. H. B. Willford, the carpenter contractor of this place, cut his hand very badly a few days ago. Dr. Archey sewed the wound and it is healing.

Mr. Ed. Overcash got hurt badly by the falling of a tree. A limb was thrown over his shoulder, striking him in the face, cutting several gashes, and knocking some of his teeth loose. He is improving.

An election held at the last meeting of the Literary Society of this place, the following officers were elected for the next year: A. A. Demareus, president; H.

R. Plaster, secretary; W. Bradford, ass't secretary, and W. C. Rose, treasurer for the ensuing year.

Have you seen them? "Hit 'em hard," at Yopp's, sign of Big Book.

Call and examine my work. All pictures are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Don't forget that all of Yopp's Valentines are new.

TO THE FARMERS. As it is now about time for preparing your Compost Heaps, I would call your attention to the fact, that I can furnish you pure Chemicals (Ammonia, Soda and Potash), and Super Phosphates (being Dissolved Bones, or Acid Phos.), at lower prices than ever.

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USE PARSON'S STUFF! It is very pleasant to the taste; gives more than satisfaction to the users of it.

WATT PLOWS and a splendid lot of Castings now on hand.

We would like persons intending to buy for Christmas trees or Christmas parties to come and see what we have and get our lowest prices.

Extra Cream Soda Biscuit, Milk Biscuit, &c., &c., very fine indeed.

Preserved Ginger, Cross and Blackwell's Chow Chow; Atoms Mince Meat.

Young man go to Linton's for a box of nice Bon Bons for your sweetheart.

Mr. Forster - Probably it is not necessary to ask you to call the attention of our people to the fact that the General Assembly will proceed to elect magistrates on the 18th of February.

The friends of Senator Christianity are quite frank in giving the history of his appointment to the Perygian mission.

The high-salaried officers have one friend - the Weldon News.

It is not very long since Mr. Comly, of Ohio, another personal friend of the President, was given the comfortable appointment of minister to the Sandwich Islands.

While the essential feature of Pratt's Astral Oil is absolute, it should also be remembered that it is of no less value on account of its illuminating qualities.

If the poor and cons were even our vote should be cast for Wilmington.

Endorsed by the Faculty. The reputation of Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup has been achieved on account of its merit.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE.

The Institution bearing the above title ought to be well known in all this region of country.

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ZEBULON B. VANCE. The election of this gentleman by the State of North Carolina to succeed Senator Merriam, brings back to the National Council one to whose voice the halls gave glad echo in "the days before the war," and to whose voice they will now respond with greater gladness.

Not yet forty nine years of age, Governor Vance was in 1854, at the age of twenty-four, elected to the State Legislature, and in 1858 was elected to Congress to fill the unexpired term of Hon. Thomas L. Clingman in the thirty-sixth Congress.

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State of North Carolina. Rowan County. Simon Klutz, administrator of John Lippard.

MARRIED. In this county on the 1st of Feb. inst., by Wm. M. KIRKAL, Esq., Mr. DANIEL F. WISE and Miss MARY R. RUTZ.

Pocket-Book Lost. It was in the town of B., and Mr. S. had just concluded some purchases, when he made the startling discovery that his pocket-book was lost.

USE THIS BRAND. 99% PURE. CHURCH & CO'S. SODA WATER.

BEST IN THE WORLD. And better than any Saleratus. One teaspoonful of this Soda used with sour milk equals four teaspoonfuls of the best Baking Powder.

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