

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Unpleasant Plight of Bright Youth who Claims to be From Greensboro.

A handsome, bright-eyed boy, who said he was 16 years old and gave his name as Henry Fulton, and his address as Greensboro, N. C., was arrested last night at the first precinct station suspected of trying to pass worthless checks.

When he was searched a number of checks of the Norfolk Bank for Savings and Trusts, of Norfolk, Va., were found in his pockets. Most of the checks were blank, but several of them had been filled out for sums ranging from \$5 to \$10. According to the boy he had made no effort to have any of them cashed.

After an hour of sweating Fulton said that before coming to Washington last Saturday he had been living in Norfolk for about three weeks. Inspector Boardman wired to the chief of police at Norfolk inquiring if a boy was wanted in that city for passing bogus checks. Several hours later he received a telegram in reply stating that a number of small checks on the Norfolk Bank for Savings and Trusts had been forged in that city by a boy answering Fulton's description, and to hold the lad.

The boy emphatically denies that he is guilty of forgery and is indignant at his arrest. When arrested Fulton was well supplied with funds and faultlessly dressed.—Washington special to Charlotte Observer.

The "Mob Arrested."

The honor of North Carolina has been redeemed, the outraged dignity of the State has been satisfied, and the mob whereof Governor Glenn spoke has been "arrested and identified" by the trial, conviction and sentence of one lone ex-convict named Hall. Gaze on the culprit and you will see in him the five thousand howling outlaws who defied the State soldiery, stormed the county jail, dragged out therefrom three negroes and hanged them to a tree. For doing all that alone and single-handed, Hall will go to the penitentiary for fifteen years. You see, he was a jail bird any how, had no friends to speak of, and as somebody had to be made a scape goat of, he was "arrested and identified" as the mob. It was an easy matter to get a jury to convict him, and the other 4,999 "good citizens" who trampled on law and order will be lost in that indefinable haze which every now and then envelopes the judicial machinery. Oyez! Oyez! "God reigns and the law is still supreme!" Of course. And "the mills of the gods grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly fine." Tubbyshore, tubbyshore! So fine did they grind that out of a harvest of five thousand, a mob consisting of one ex-convict was ground out.—Asheville Citizen.

Gold Nuggets Galore.

J. Wilson Miller, of Sardis, Crab Orchard township, was in the city yesterday. Recently he has found a half dozen beautiful gold nuggets in his fields. He was showing one yesterday that he thinks is worth at least \$15 and it is a beauty. Any ordinary man could see that it was a bit of pure gold. Mr. Miller was trying to find some miner, who knows his business, to examine his place and search for a regular veins.

There is much gold in this county if it could be found in workable quantities. Much money has been made here by gold miners in days gone by and much more will be made in time to come. Gold hunters are turning their attention to the mines of the county. Mr. Miller is not a miner; he knows nothing about gold, except in coins such as he gets for cottou.

The pretty piece of gold that he had yesterday weighed an ounce. He had others just as attractive but not so large.—Charlotte Observer.

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Eczema.

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctors' remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's Salve, and it proved to be better than anything she had tried. For sale by James Plummer, Salisbury, N. C., and Spencer Pharmacy, Spencer, N. C.

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